## In Memoriam - Dr. Jane V. Curran

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It is with deep sadness that the Department of German at Dalhousie University announces the death of Dr. Jane V. Curran a wonderful, committed academic, and also a proud, devoted supportive mother. Jane joined the Faculty of the Department of German in 1992 after obtaining her BA (1975) and two MA degrees (1978, 1984) at Dalhousie University and her Ph.D.(1992) from the University of Newcastle upon Tyne, England. During her career at Dalhousie University she was a dedicated Professor and Researcher. She chaired the Department from 1996-2008, became Graduate Coordinator in 2006 and Coordinator of the European Studies Programme in 2008. Since 2009 she held the Alexander McLeod Chair in Modern Languages. Her research interests included 18th-century German literature, the reception of antiquity and the history of the novel. All students, faculty, staff and friends will miss her quiet, friendly, generous and determined nature. She was a valuable, helpful friend, full of grace.

A Burial Office and Requiem Mass will be presided by Dr. Gary Thorne on Thursday, August 4th 2011 at 3.00 pm in King's College Chapel, 6350 Coburg Road, Halifax. Jane's designated charity is King's College Chapel Choir c/o The University of King's College, Halifax, NS, B3H 2A1.

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