



ALLANSON, Beverley (nee Flemmer)

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BEVERLEY⁸ FLEMMER (DAVID CHRISTIAN⁷, CHRISTIAN LUDVIG⁶, CHRISTIAN LUDVIG⁵) was born on 7 May 1964 in Pretoria, Transvaal, South Africa. She married ROBERT ALLANSON on 5 February 1983 in Pretoria, Transvaal, South Africa. He was born on 2 March 1961 in Durban, South Africa and died on 7 July 2001 in Johannesburg, South Africa.

My brother Clive and I were born in Pretoria, we lived in Park Street Hatfield. You can imagine what a busy household it was, 4 boys at Pretoria Boys High, 1 girl of 10 years and then Clive and I (babies).

My mother was just the most amazing person, and she cared for all. I remember my Dad working night shift at Iscor.

All the brothers moved out of home, 2 to East London. My sister married an American and she was gone for 10 years. The folks built a house in a suburb in Pretoria East called Ashlea Gardens. I was 5 yrs old when we moved.

Clive and I attended Waterkloof Primary School, Clive excelling at football and cricket. We both attended Glen High School, which was brand new! Not much in the way of sporting facilities, however Clive still got selected to play for Northern Transvaal (soccer).

Dad had a stroke when I was 14 yrs old. He died 5 days later on the 5th August. What a blow! Mom never remarried.

We both got through high school, and Clive went on to 2 years Army duty!!!!

I met and married Rob Allanson, a Durbanite who had a great sense of humour. We were always surrounded by biking, motocross in particular and Clive raced for many years. Clive and Rob both started out working at a bike shop in Pretoria. I had 2 daughters in quick succession, 11 months to be exact!!! Jessica (now 22) and Candy (now 21).

I moved to Halfway House in 1989, and still live there now.

Rob and I bought a business in Benoni doing glass and aluminium in 1992. Our business did well. Girls went to Halfway House Primary and Sagewood School.

Clive got married later on and had their 2 children, Christian Justin and Jamie Flemmer. Clive also started a glass business in Pretoria called Zambesi Glass. His wife Corin runs the business. After my husband passed away, I had endless trouble with unions and closed the business before they closed me!! Clive and I are now in business together doing aluminium window frames and doors. Our business is called Classic Aluminium. Doing well!