



Elizabeth “Grandi” Fletcher

(1882-1960)

Elisabeth Fletcher was born and educated in Brampton, Ontario.

In 1918, she settled in Hatzic with her husband where they tended a small raspberry farm and cultivated holly trees. In an 1950 article published in the newspaper about the farm, it described Elizabeth as ...*jolly and gay as the Christmas cheer she grows* (Fraser Valley Record).

She became the Hatzic news reporter for the *Fraser Valley Record* which satisfied her love of writing.

She also taught Sunday School in the Hatzic United Church, was a long-time member of the Hatzic Women’s Institute and for 32 years was secretary treasurer of the Women’s Missionary. For many years she volunteered at the United Church Women’s Association and the Draper Creek Water Works.

Affectionately known as “Grandi”, her daughter Ann recalls: “I remember her warmth, her concern for others. She never had a bad word to say about anybody – even those who caused trouble.”

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