Mavis Ryan

10th September 2025 Aged 105 years

Paul Power nephew of Mavis advised that Mavis passed away suddenly on Wednesday 10/9/25. Paul said "Mavis had fond memories of her time working with friends and colleagues over many years at ANZ".

Born in Melbourne on 7th February 1920, Mavis attended Sacred Heart College in Geelong after her Railway family moved there in 1927.

Mavis enjoyed a career spanning twenty-eight years with ANZ, initially joining The Bank of Australasia in Malop Street, Geelong. Mavis was eventually transferred to the Advance department in the ANZ Divisional Office (V & T) situated at 351 Collins Street, Melbourne. She also enjoyed three and a half years at 2 Martin Place Sydney, before being appointed to Personnel Department at the 394 Collins Street, Melbourne Headquarters.

On the opening of the new ANZ Headquarters at 55 Collins St, the Personnel Department moved to that location, and it was from here, that Mavis eventually retired in 1981.

On retirement, Mavis, together with a long-time school friend, spent 5 months travelling Europe.

Mavis lived independently in a unit in Belmont, a suburb of Geelong.

An avid reader, her local library provided her with regular deliveries that assisted her to keep up with current events, both nationally and internationally.

We send our condolences to Mavis' family.