

GILL MILLER

I am Cambridge born and bred and have lived here all my life as my parents and grandparents before me. Leaving school (Linton Village College) at 15 I took an apprenticeship in hairdressing, thus learning people skills like diplomacy, listening, equality, cooperation, empathy and a sense of humour as well as to cut hair!

Moving on, after raising a family of 3 I became involved in voluntary youth work and worked as a childminder and new baby nurse. From these beginnings I became a regional development officer and eventually the national training officer for the Woodcraft Folk (a national voluntary youth organisation). I also spent time both volunteering and working for the Cooperative Group in the membership department promoting the aims and principles, values and ideas of the society.

Through all this work I have sat on many committees and organised many events.

I have been married twice and now have 5 grandchildren who all live locally. I retired over 5 years ago and moved to Burwell after my last husband died. I like to keep active and belong to the Women's Institute and the (retired/active) Badminton Group both here in the village.