DEATH IN THE FAMILY

I AM LUCKY TO HAVE AN EXTREMELY CLOSE RELATIONSHIP WITH MY PARENTS AND BROTHER, AND EVEN MY DADS WHOLE EXTENDED FAMILY. IT IS EASY TO FORGET THE STRAINED RELATIONSHIP IN MY MOM'S FAMILY. I WAS REMINDED RECENTLY WHEN MY GRANDPA DIED SUDDENLY AT AGE 90. THIS IS THAT STORY.

EVERYONE HAS BEEN GIVEN PSEUDONYMS.

