



Celebration of Life

Friday, November 17, 2023

1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Norlite Hall 74 1st Street East

The Pas, Manitoba

*In Lieu of flowers donations to
a charity of choice
would be appreciated by Gerald's Family.*



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In Loving Memory
Gerald William Gordanier

October 17, 1944-November 2, 2023

Gerald William Gordanier was born to LuLu Faye Gordanier (nee Black) and Lewis Edgar Gordanier on Tuesday, October 17, 1944 and grew up in Deseronto, Ontario. He was one of 4 siblings. His siblings were James Edgar (Ed), Alfred and June Gordanier.

Growing up, Gerry made many memories. His nephews (Ed's children); James/Jimmy, Philip and Paul were very close in age to Gerry and the four of them were an unbreakable team. They referred to Gerry as 'Unc' and with that name, it became a tradition of the boy's families to dearly call him 'Unc' always.

Gerry also grew up with a best friend from the age of 9 to their adulthood. Doug Hagerman was like a brother to Gerry, for many years to come, until Doug's passing in 2010. Gerry always remained in loving touch with Doug's family.

He had his first child, his daughter Brenda, with Rosemary Noah during his time spent in Maniwaki working for Environment Canada. He loved his meteorology career, which he spent most of his life doing. He also loved working in the extreme far north where he took hundreds of pictures for his projector slide albums. Soon after Brenda was born, Gerry married a beautiful lady, Crystal Hubble, while living in Deseronto in between his meteorology job placements. They then moved to Toronto where

Gerry's second child was born, a son; Andrew (Andy).

In 1978, the 4 of them moved to The Pas Airport, Manitoba where Gerry spent most of his career of meteorology with Environment Canada. Gerry absolutely loved the outdoors and Clearwater Lake was very endearing to him. He loved many years laughing and enjoying his time with many friends. He also loved building fun electrical things in his basement workshop and tinkering around with fixing various items.

In 1990, The Pas Airport community was forced to leave. By this time, Gerry and Crystal went their separate ways and Gerry started his next stage of his life with Nancy Anderson. Gerry and Nancy were still together at his passing. Nancy has been an incredible comfort to Gerry and the two of them resided in The Pas.

In the early spring of 2023, Gerry was diagnosed with aggressive cancer. He knew he had to act quickly to ensure things would be finalized before his passing. On early Thursday morning of November 2, 2023, at the age of 79 years, Gerry lost his battle with cancer.

Gerry leaves to mourn his passing to his children; Brenda (Francis) and Andy along with his step-children Chuck Harrington (Isabel) and Chris Harrington; his common-law wife Nancy Anderson; grandchildren Jeremy, Brendan, Eric, Kelsey, Michael, Tristen, Dylan, William, O'Ryan and great-children; Leland and Missy. He also leaves his sister-in-law Jackie, his brother Alfred, and nephews and nieces; Jimmy (Johanna), Philip (Sherry), Paul (Penny), Linda (Gene), Muriel (Jeff), David (Janet), Robbie and Murray.