

Wake Service

Tuesday, April 7, 2026, at 7:00 p.m.
Margaret Henderson Parish Hall,
Opaskwayak, Manitoba

Funeral Service

Wednesday, April 8, 2026, at 1:00 p.m.
Church of the Redeemer
, Opaskwayak, Manitoba

Presiders: Rev. Charlie Lathlin
and Rev. Agnes Lathlin

Music Ministry:

Russell Cook Memorial Singers

Interment

St. Michael and All Angels Cemetery,
Opaskwayak, Manitoba

Reception

Margaret Henderson Parish Hall,
Opaskwayak, Manitoba

Pallbearers

Kenzie Dorion, Joseph Constant Jr.,
Reece Constant, Keith Beardy,
Faron Bercier, Adam Buck,
Roger Kematch, Archie Kematch.

Honorary Pallbearer

Barry Kematch

Acknowledgements

The family of **Gordon "Gawchin"**
George Constant Sr. extends their
heartfelt gratitude to **Hemauer Funeral**
Home, the **OCN Elders Program**, the
dedicated staff at the **Church of the**
Redeemer, **Rev. Charlie Lathlin**, and
Rev. Agnes Lathlin for their guidance,
care, and support.

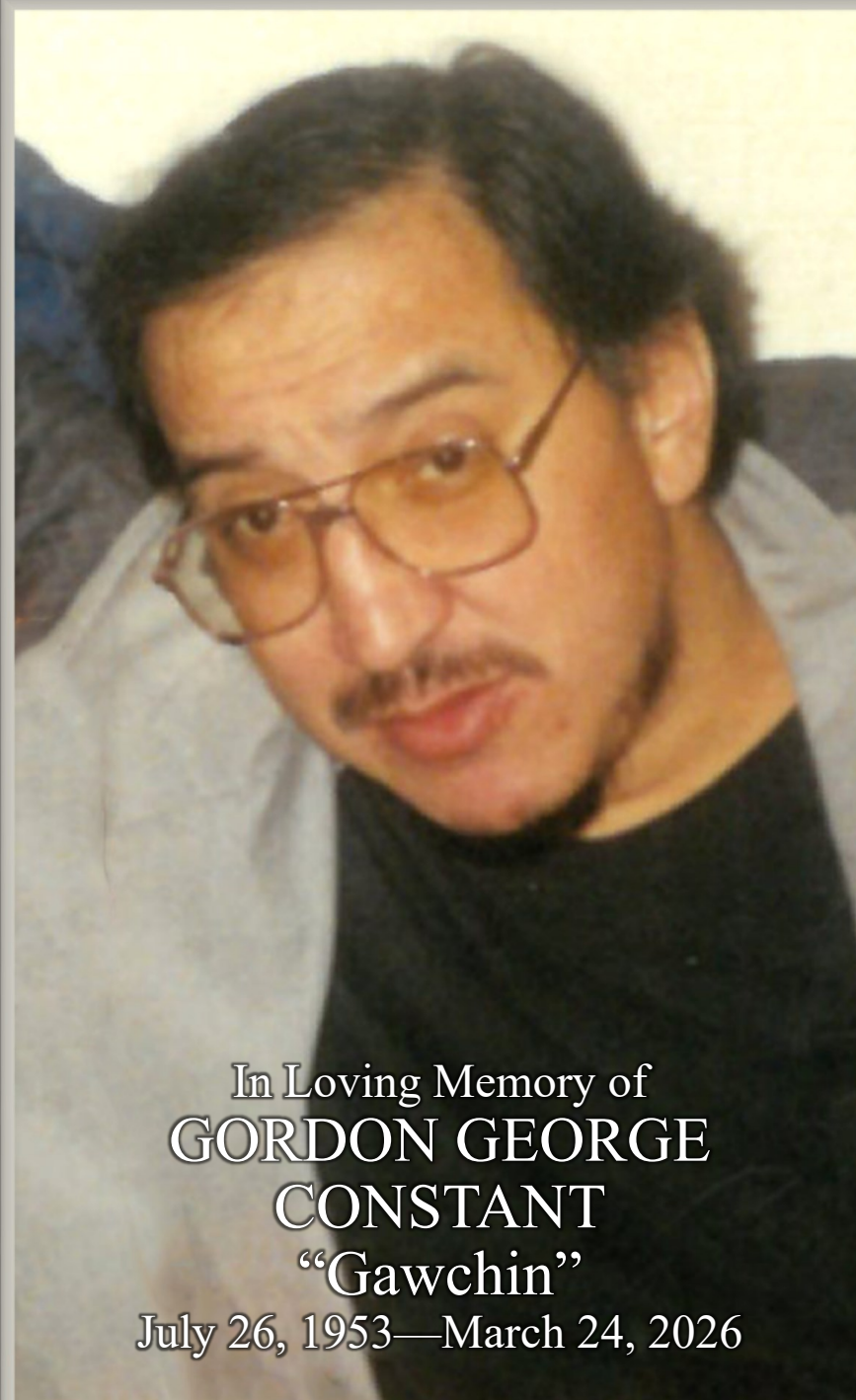
Thank you to all who offered love,
kindness, prayers, and comfort during
this difficult time. Your presence and
compassion are deeply appreciated.



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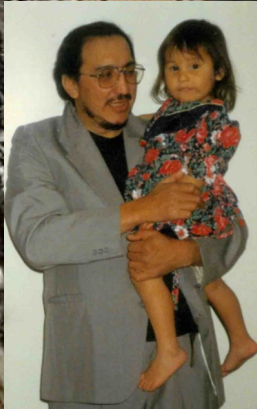
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In Loving Memory of
GORDON GEORGE
CONSTANT
"Gawchin"

July 26, 1953—March 24, 2026



Gordon “Gawchin” George Constant Sr., of The Pas, Manitoba, born July 26, 1953, passed away on Tuesday, March 24, 2026, only eighteen days after the passing of his beloved wife, **the Late Verna Marie Constant (McGillivray)**, May 31, 1955 – March 6, 2026. Married in the 1980s, Gordon and Verna shared a lifetime of love, partnership, and devotion to their family. Their passing so close together is a testament to the bond they carried throughout their lives. Together they proudly raised three wonderful sons Gordon ‘Chico’ Jr, Joseph and Solomon.

Born and raised in Big Eddy, Manitoba, Gordon was known to friends and family as **Gawchin**, but to his grandchildren, he was simply **Grampa Gordon** — a title he cherished above all others. His grandchildren were his greatest joy. Every morning he would look at their photos and say, *“That’s what keeps me going.”*

Gordon worked as a **large log line operator** at The Pas papermill for 35 years, where he built lifelong friendships and eventually retired. A true outdoorsman, he was a hunter, fisherman, and trapper. Skilled in the bush and deeply connected to the land he grew up on, he passed that knowledge proudly to his three sons. His hunting buddies — Chingy, Sloop, Action, Lupoo, Sulla Moo, and many more — remained close to him throughout his life.

He was predeceased by his mother **Christianne**

(nee Gott); grandparents who raised him **Silas Constant** and **Bella Constant**, his brother **Andy Kematch**, his sister **Audrey Kematch**, his uncle **John W. Harris**, and his aunties **Mary E. Partridge** and **Kathleen Merasty**, brother-in law **Billy Samatte**

Gordon is survived by his sisters **Linda (Joe) Bonneau**, **Holly Kematch**, **Rita Kematch**, **Beverley Gornik (Bill)**, and **Verna Samatte**. His Brothers **Bruce Jr Kematch**, **Christopher (Elmer) Kematch (Darlene)**, **Archie Kematch**, **Barry Kematch**, and **Roger Kematch**, cousins **Sharon Bear**, **Georgina Constant**, and **Allan Partridge**; his partner of 10 years, **Ida Head**; and by his three sons and their families:

Gordon “Chico” Constant Jr. (Janet Lowther)

Grandchildren: Teneshia, Kenzie, Jordan, and Tsiana

Great-granddaughter: Mandy

Joseph Silas Constant Sr.

Grandchildren: Larissa, Tianna, Brooke, Joseph Jr., Reece, Precious, and Alycia

Solomon Raymond Constant Sr.

Grandchildren: Solomon Jr., Alyiah, Darian, Darius, and Adrian

Stepson **Craig Constant**

Grandson Philip; great grandchildren Parker, Carter, and Nathan.

If we forgot anyone it was not intentional.