

We Gather To Celebrate The Life of
Frank Joseph Ducharme
Wednesday, February 23, 2022 1:00 pm
Cormorant Community Hall
Presider: Pastor Tom Cnossen



Order of Service

Lighting of the candles – Barney’s children

“Tonight I Hold This Candle”

Opening prayer – Pastor Tom Cnossen.

Opening song – “Missing You”

granddaughter Erin Ducharme

and son Raymond Ducharme

Eulogy – Son, Jack Ducharme

Song – “Suppertime” Kene and Milly Jackson

Slideshow – Granddaughter, Meghan Ducharme

Song- “I’ve Got a Mansion”, Kene and Milly Jackson

Psalm 91- Recital Brother Ray Ducharme

Message – Pastor Tom Cnossen

Last Songs – “As a Warrior”, “I Sure Miss You”,

Kene Jackson

Traditional footwear placing, Son, Alex Ducharme

Final Viewing music – Grandson, Derek Dick

Last Walk – “Will the Circle Be Unbroken”,

Barney’s Family

Interment – Cormorant Cemetery, Goose calling send off,

Bugsy Ducharme

INTERMENT

Cormorant Community Cemetery, Cormorant, MB

Feast to follow at Cormorant Community Hall.

PALLBEARERS

Kevin, Derek, Steven, Clayton, Skot, William, Dallas, Jason,
Hudson Jr., Jessie James, Kenan, Blair, Jarvis, Jordan, Justin,
Matthew, John, Bryden.

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Phillip Genaille, Donnie Fenner, Ronnie Fenner, Larry Ladouceur,
Barry McKay Jr., Tom Cnossen, Tim Hoepner.

*Special thanks to Dr. Marie Noel and the medical team that cared
for him. Special thanks to his personal barber Hillary Lambert.*



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In Loving Memory of
Frank “Barney” Ducharme
October 18, 1934—February 16, 2022

Frank Ducharme passed away suddenly in the comfort of his home on Wednesday, February 16, 2022 with his family by his side at the age of 87 years. Dad was born in The Pas to Victor and Annie Ducharme. He lived in Cormorant until the time of his passing.

Mom and Dad met while working in the fish plant in Cormorant. They were married on September 15, 1956. Together they raised 10 children. Dad worked as a trapper and commercial fisherman, but he was a man of many trades. He worked as a carpenter, miner and for conservation. Dad was an excellent fishing and big game guide for over 50 years. Dad served on Cormorant Community Council, School Committee, Trappers Association, and Cormorant Arena Committee.

Dad was very proud of the Cormorant Lakers Ladies fastball team. He coached them for many years. They were very successful and talented and they won many championships over the years. Dad made it fun; some of the team still call him "Dad" to this day.

One of Dad's best friends was Pastor Tom Cnossen. He helped Dad find a personal relationship with the Lord. This change didn't happen overnight. It was a gradual thing that turned into him living his life for the Lord.

Dad was a man of few words. He taught us through action. He showed us love, respect and family values. He loved all his brothers and sisters deeply. He spent a lot of time with his brother Ray who he was very close with. Dad loved his family very much. He was a loving grandfather to all his grandchildren. He loved when his house was full with them.

Dad was an avid outdoorsman. He had a deep love for fishing and hunting. He always made sure that his family was taken care of with moose meat and fish. Dad loved the outdoors and his annual hunts with his family.

Dad had a great love for sports. His pride and joy was watching his grandchildren play hockey and hearing about their accomplishments.

Dad and Mom were married for 64 years. They had a deep abiding love for each other. Whenever one of them fell ill, they would spend



long days and nights at each other's bed sides. When Dad lost his soulmate it affected him deeply. Mom had always been there to bring him home when he was ready. To his last breath he loved her and now they are together forever.

Since Mom's passing Dad was slowly declining but made it his priority to make sure his family was going to be okay.

Before Mom passed she made Dad promise to look after her dog Bronco. He kept that promise right until his final breath. We will miss Dad.

Frank is survived by his **brother** Raymond Ducharme; **sisters-in-law** Margaret Keeper, Liz Genaille, Charlotte Evans; **children** Louise (Jean Luc) Lamothe, Victor (Nora) Ducharme, Milly (Kene) Jackson, Alex (Bernadette) Ducharme, Frank (Carol) Ducharme, Freda Parenteau, Jack (Melinda) Ducharme, Jerry (Mavis) Ducharme, Linnette (Barry) McKay, Raymond (Sheri) Ducharme, Steve (Darlene) Ducharme, Delores (Dale) Boulette; Dog Bunny Bunny Bunch; 47 grandchildren, 71 great grandchildren, 9 great-great grandchildren; nephews, nieces, cousins, relatives and friends, too numerous to mention. He took Cindy Jacobson, Bugsy and Audrey Ducharme, Delbert Chalfoux as his children.

Frank was predeceased by his **wife** Annie Ducharme; **parents** Victor and Annie Ducharme; **In-laws** Jacob and Louisa Evans; **brothers** Lawrence (Audrey) Ducharme, JoePete (Lillian) Ducharme; **sisters** Grace (Zebras) Genaille, Verna (William) Hunter; **sister-in-law** Geraldine Ducharme; **brother-in-law** Walter Keeper, Bert Genaille, Jack, John and Fred Evans; **grandchildren** Clinton Ducharme, Candice Turner, Alexander Dale Ducharme; **great grandchildren** Dallas Ducharme, Jayda Dick; **his dogs** Jake, Misty, and numerous other relatives.



In lieu of flowers, donations to the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Manitoba, 6 Donald Street, Winnipeg, Manitoba, R3L 0K6, would be appreciated by Frank's family.