



Wake Services

Wednesday, October 9, 2024
224 Personius Drive, O.C.N., MB
Thursday, October 10, 2024
Margaret Henderson Parish Hall O.C.N., MB

Funeral Service

Friday, October 11, 2024 at 1:00 p.m.
Church Of The Redeemer O.C.N., MB
Presider : Rev. Irene Personius
Music Ministry: Russell Cook Memorial Singers

Interment

Friday, October 11, 2024
St. Michael and All Angels Cemetery
O.C.N., MB

Active Pallbearers:

Barney Monias, Silas G Lathlin, Gideon Bignell, Eric Monias, Gregory D. (Buzz) Personius, Steven (Steve-O) Lathlin, Carl (CC) Crane, Rodney McLeod Jr.

Honorary Pallbearers:

Perly Stevens, Dave and Terry McKellep, Archie Wilson, Nelson ("Cut") Lathlin, Stanley Gott, Perly (Linda) Stevens, Teddy (Lillian) Bignell, Aseneskak Casino Staff, God Children and Grandchildren.



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In Loving Memory of

Edward James Prince

April 9, 1947 - October 6, 2024



Dad (Edward) was born on April 9, 1947 to Alfred & Florence (nee: Robson) Prince in Peguis First Nation. He and his sister, Mabel were later raised by Elsie and Allan McPherson & family.

Known by many as Poppy, he grew up and received his education in Peguis First Nation, Dauphin Residential School, and Brandon, MB. While in Brandon, he met the love of his life, Marian Personius. They were united in marriage on December 3, 1965.

Together they had three children, Diana, Keith, and Marilyn.

Poppy worked for a short time at CFI before taking a job at the Limestone Project. After working up north he headed to BC to work at bush camps. After that, he returned home to his family in Big Eddy and worked as a taxi cab driver. Poppy had a skill of being his own mechanic.

Dad loved playing cards and socializing. He loved listening to his radio program "Friends on Friday" with his son, Keith and nephew Silas. You would see him with neighbourhood kids playing sports in the early days. During the summer, the family would travel back to Peguis where we would enjoy being with all extended family.

Mr. Prince was well-known by the community. He was best known as a snooker champion, especially during the times when OID held this event. His poker game was his favorite pastime. When the VLT's and Casino came around, you would see him playing the slot machines. During the last years of his life, one could see him at the Casino playing the penny machine right until the last week of his life.

He was blessed to have in his life, Gilbert and

Gideon, his Grandsons, whom he helped raised with Mom. He cherished and loved his babys' children, Rodney, Renee, and Robyn. Chapans: Broly, Brolyne, Johnny, Nicole, Lucchese, Cedar, and baby Autumn.

Edward is survived by his children, Diana (Joey Martin) Prince; Keith Prince; Marilyn (Rodney Sr) McLeod; Grandchildren: Gideon (Brittnee) Bignell; , Rodney (Dorothy) McLeod Jr.; Renee McLeod, and Robyn (Leo) McLeod. Chapans: Brolyne, Johnny, Nicole, Lucchese, and Cedar. Godchildren: Sydney Lathlin; Brooke Personius, and Eric Monias. His siblings: Mabel Hutchinson, Tommy Prince, Gwendolyn Hazelwood, Joseph Prince, Brenda Cook, Edith McPherson, Betty Ann McIvor, Andrew, Ralph, Carl and Glen McPherson. In-Laws: Irene Personius, William G Lathlin, Louis (Pauline) Personius, Rose Personius. Numerous relative and extended family.

Dad was predeceased by his wife Marian; his infant daughter (unnamed); Grandson: Gilbert (Gilligan); Chapans: Broly, and Baby Autumn. His Parents: Alfred and Florence Prince; Elsie and Allan McPherson; Siblings: Christine Prince, Theodore McPherson, Lorraine (Robert) Thomas, Harvey Cook and Darlene McPherson; Parents In-Law: Louis and Betsy Personius; In-Laws: John Hutchinson, Horace (Marie) Personius, Lillian (Sidney) Bignell, Patrick Personius, Myra Lathlin, Paul Personius, Catherine (Terry) Trueman, and Eileen Personius.

He also leaves to mourn many extended family members, cousins, nieces, nephews, and close friends. Dad will be sadly missed by all his family and close friends.

If we missed anyone it was not intentional.