

REMEMBERING Gordon Arthur Watson

September 4, 1942 - September 24, 2023



Tribute from Kettle Valley Memorial Services

The Kettle Valley Memorial staff send our condolences to family and friends.

Tribute from Gerry Karr

Relation: Close friend and fellow Rotarian

Dear Helen, It was such a shock to learn of Gord's passing. It is so sad that he was unable to find the care he needed to help him deal with his pain. He is at peace now. I hope it gives you comfort to know that he was loved by so many, and that he made a positive difference to the lives of all who knew him. He was such a good man, gone too soon.

Gerry

Tribute from Tracy

Relation: Fellow Rotarian

Helen and family!

My heart breaks for all of you and most of all for Gord. What an amazing man.

He left an incredible legacy in Starfish that will live on for a long time to come.

Tribute from Blake Stephens

Relation: Boyfriend of grand daughter

I never got the chance to meet you in person, Gord but I had heard so many amazing things about you. You were a loving and caring man to those who you were close to and I hope you may now rest in peace. Love you Gordon.

Tribute from Natalie Ferebee

Relation: Friend

Helen and family. So sorry to hear of Gord's passing. He had an infectious belly laugh and made sure that Starfish got its start in Penticton with Rotary. He was determined and always had a smile. He will be missed

Tribute from Keith Johnson

Relation: Friend and fellow Rotarian

Helen and family: My sincere condolences on your loss of Gord. He and I enjoyed working together on Rotary projects including Ribfest. May you hold your good memories dear to help ease the pain of

Tribute from Tiffany Thoreson

Relation: Wife of his Grandson, Curtis Lassam

My sincere condolences for the loss of a special man. He was always welcoming to Curtis and myself, and our trips together around the Okanagan wine valley showcased how truly wonderful and beautiful the area he was in could be. Those are really cherished memories, and I'm so glad I was included with his wonderful family to share a glass from his cellars at the table. A bottomless hug to Tracy, Norm and Helen, as well as all others who have known and will miss him. I'm glad he was able to touch so many lives and see so many places. I always appreciated his wit and wry humour. My next glass of red, I will toast to him.

Tribute from Sandra Krauer

Relation: Friend

Dear Helen and family We are so sad to know that Gord has left us. Roland and I saw him as a big hearted person who always seemed ready to share a joke and a good glass of wine. We appreciated your and Gord's kindness and your remarkable ability to make all who entered your home feel incredibly welcome. With love, Sandra

Tribute from Dave Lassam

Relation: Son in-law

I have so many cherished memories of all our times together. So many great visits to the Okanagan, spending time with you and Helen. Before that it was to the family home in Coquitlam or the cabin at Dot Lake with you and Judy. You welcomed me into the family and you made me feel like one of your own boys. I will miss our conversations about just about everything we could think to talk about. You were a generous, fun loving man and we always appreciated your advice and everything you were to us. Rest in peace Gord, say hello to Judy, Steve and Dougal for Tracy and I. Love ya lots and lots.

Tribute from Jim & Denise McIntosh

Relation: Worked with Gord

Denise and I want to provide our sincere condolences to Helen, Tracy, Norm and all members of Gord's family. Denise and I were fortunate to share many fun moments with Gord during company Christmas parties and social events. I (Jim) was fortunate to work with Gord while at Infowave. He was a positive and strong influence in my career and I consider him a very good friend.



