

REMEMBERING
Charles Hamerton

January 9, 1920 - June 3, 2024



It is with deep sadness that we announce the passing of our Dad, Papa and Great Papa. Charlie is predeceased by Violet "Vi" his wife of 67 years, who passed on November 2, 2015.

He will be lovingly remembered by his daughter, Ruth (Ian Borland): son, Keith Hamerton (Laura) and 5 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren and his sister, Joyce Holman in Ontario.

Charlie was born in England, the second youngest of the five children of Charles and Ellen Hamerton. The family came to Canada in 1925 and settled in Northern Ontario. Charlie enlisted in the Grey & Simcoe Foresters, 22nd Armoured Regiment of the Grenadier Guards on June 22, 1940. He was the radio/loader operator in a tank that landed in Normandy shortly after D-Day, travelling through Belgium, Holland and Germany. He was discharged on January 17, 1946. Charlie was a life member of the Royal Canadian Legion. He was so proud of the Legion of Honour Medal from France he received the week prior to his death.

Charlie and Vi settled in Niagara Falls following his discharge, until 1986 when they moved to Osoyoos in retirement and settled comfortably into the community. In 2003 they moved to Penticton. Charlie lived independently, in full health right up until the time of his death at 104 years old.

A celebration of Charlie's life will be held at Saint Saviour's Church in Penticton on Wednesday, July 3, 2024 at 10:30 am A private family interment will follow in the Osoyoos Lakeview Cemetery Veteran's Field of Honour.

Condolences and tributes may be directed to the family by visiting www.nunes-pottinger.com