

REMEMBERING Karl Johansen

October 22, 1934 - May 19, 2024



On Sunday, May 19, 2024, Mr. Karl Ingwald Johansen of Penticton, BC passed away suddenly at the Penticton Regional Hospital at the age of 89 years.

He was predeceased by his beloved wife, Anne Johansen; father and mother, Charles Johansen and Williama Mabley and brothers, Jack Johansen and Edward Johansen.

Karl will be fondly remembered and dearly missed by his loving family including wife, Ardell Johansen; children, Martin Johansen (Melanie) and Kim Johansen (Joseph King); four grandchildren, Kristopher Karklin, Ciara Johansen, Megan Johansen and Maklen Zinger; sister and brother-in-law, Pauline & Ken Yaeger; brother-in-law Tony Novotny Jr as well as a blended family of nephews and nieces.

Karl was born on October 22, 1934 in North York, Ontario. He served in the Royal Canadian Air Force from December 1956 - December 1964. He then started working for BC TEL from 1967 - 1995, in Fort St John and then retired in Penticton where he was responsible for maintaining the microwave radio site towers.

Over the years, Karl was a member of the Backporch Gospel musical group and a longtime member of the Penticton Golf and Country Club. He was known for his easy-going and good natured outlook on life, a playful sense of humour and the ability to find happiness in every circumstance.

Karl was an accomplished musician and could play several instruments, including the guitar, banjo and mandolin. He was an avid golfer, loved cycling, playing tennis, curling, playing hockey, skiing and was a member of the Red Cross Ski Patrol in Fort St John.

An urn interment will he held at the Penticton Lakeview Cemetery at a later date.

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

