



HAWKER, Gordon (Gord) Vernon

Member of Westmount Kiwanis; longtime member of Kingsview United Church.

Surrounded by his loving daughters at Lakeridge Health in Oshawa on Friday, April 24, 2020, Gordon dearly beloved husband and best friend of the late Audrey (née Falliaze). Most precious and loving father of Carolyn Ricica (late Bob) and Janice Hawker. Best grandfather ever (Boppy) of Daniel 'Dan' Ricica (Lais), Lori Vendra (Angelo), Tom Ricica (Jill) and Mike Ricica (Erinn). Special great-grandpa to eleven great-grandchildren. Son of the late William and Marie Hawker. Brother of the late Russell Hawker (Betty) and Doreen Panowyk (Pete). Gordon will be dearly missed by his dog Maggie. A very special thank you to Dr. Stephen Cohen for all his support. Dad was one of a kind and his big heart and love for his family will live on forever. Arrangements entrusted to **McINTOSH-ANDERSON-KELLAM FUNERAL HOME LTD**, 152 King St. E., Oshawa (905-433-5558). Donations in memory of Gordon to SickKids Foundation or Kingsview United Church would be appreciated. In light of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic we encourage relatives and friends to express their sympathies and condolences online at makfuneralhome.com.

Condolences

Apr 27, 2020

Janet McGill

Janice and family. I am so sorry for your loss. I know how close your family is and this will be a huge loss for all of you. Please know that I am thinking of you now.

Apr 27, 2020

Mary Moses

I worked with Gord at Coulter Manufacturing. He and Audrey were a delight to know.

My sincere sympathy to the family who have lost loving parents and grandparents.

Apr 27, 2020

Sandra

Janice and family,

So very sorry for your loss, I know how special your dad was to you and how lucky he was to have such a loving family.

My sincere Condolences

Sandra Anderson

Apr 27, 2020

Berenice Sangwin

Carolyn and family, I am so sorry to hear of your Dad's passing. He and your Mum were a lovely couple and he will be greatly missed.

My deepest condolences.

Berenice

Apr 27, 2020

Sharyn Besse (formerly Eymann)

Gord Hawker - a true gentleman of outstanding moral character and honour. He was our "Boss" at K.R. Coulter....the person we always went to for sound advice and a steady hand to deal with any problem that arose. No finer person to lead the way.

My condolences to the family who loved him so much.

God be with you and give you peace and comfort during this grieving time.

Apr 27, 2020

Kent MacCarl

Kelly and I are sorry to hear about Gord's passing. Outstanding individual. Gord was the best minor hockey manager I ever worked with.

Apr 27, 2020

Sandra and Don Hercia

Gord was a welcomed, regular visitor to Sydenham Kiwanis Club. He was a gentle and generous presence at our meetings.

We had the pleasure of working with him on a number of cold days gathering food for the Kiwanis Food Drive, always with a laugh and a smile.

Apr 28, 2020

Roger

Janice, I'm so sorry for your loss of your dad, I know he was a very special influence in your life and be greatly missed.

Thinking of you in this time of sorrow. You will get through this with your family by your side.

Apr 28, 2020

Mark McConkey

My condolences to the family.

Apr 28, 2020

Betty Wright

Janice

We are so sorry to hear about the loss of your Dad, I know it must be such a difficult time for you and your family. Glenn and I are thinking of you.

Betty

Apr 28, 2020

Lais

My prayers are with you Carolyn and Jan. Boppy was a really good person and we will miss him.

My condolences

Lais

Apr 28, 2020

Bryan and Valerie Swift

Our condolences to Gord's extended family. Gord always had an optimistic outlook and welcome perspective. Always a strong and faithful supporter of Kingsview, his stewardship will be dearly missed.

Apr 29, 2020

Shari Power

Janice,

I am so sorry to hear about your Dad. I know how special he was to you and your family. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.

Shari

Apr 29, 2020

Gloria Taylor

Janice

I am so sorry to hear of your father's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you. I know how close you were to him.

Gloria

Apr 29, 2020

Holly Huard (formerly Flaro)

Janice and Carolyn,

I remember your Dad as a gentle, kind and generous man...sincerest condolences on his passing. Thinking of you, praying for you and the family.

Blessings and peace,
Holly

Apr 30, 2020

Ryan Curtis and family

Sending our sincerest condolences to you and your family at this time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Apr 30, 2020

Elsbeth McCulloch

Dear Carolyn Janice and families.

I am sorry for your loss, Gord was a special person and a great supporter of my son Steven Hilts and my late husband Laurie McCulloch.

May God be with you all in this time of sorrow, much love Elspeth

Apr 30, 2020

Tom Corby & Kathy Ranstead

Tom & I would like to express our sincere condolences on the loss of your dear father, grandfather and great-grandfather. A man of integrity, Gord was a gentle giant, a true gentleman of the old school. His love and devotion to his family was so apparent. He will be greatly missed. I will especially miss his wonderful hugs! Our thoughts are with you at this difficult time.

Apr 30, 2020

Wendy Capp and Heather McWilliam

Our deepest condolences to Carolyn and Janice, as well all the kids. Mr. Hawker will fondly be remembered by my mom and myself in a professional capacity and personal. May beautiful days spent with he and Audrey.

Truly a beautiful soul.

May 1, 2020

Bob Stroud

I am saddened to hear of Gord's passing. I have known Gord for over 50 years and always enjoyed his company, especially his smile and sense of humour. I remember Gord as a gentle, kind and generous man, always volunteering for Kiwanis projects. He will be greatly missed.

May 1, 2020

Lana Gahagan

My sincere condolences to all of Gord's family. I'll remember him as a kind man of integrity who loved his family. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.

May 1, 2020

Natalie Affolter

Carolyn & Family, my sincere sympathies at this sad time. Your Dad was a lovely man. You will all miss him dearly. Thankfully he leaves with you warm, loving and wonderful memories. I want to believe he has joined your Mom, they were a special couple.

Thinking of you,
Natalie's

May 1, 2020

Buck & Martha Crouch

Read in the paper last evening of your Dad and Grandfather's passing. Gord was a thoughtful sharp minded genuine person. He was full of wisdom and strikingly witty as these skills were used adeptly during work play and family life. Gord provided many great memories for some young hockey players and families including an extremely successful peewee hockey game against boy's from Ukraine. Will be missed and always remembered. A wonderful man a great inspiration to his entire family.

Our thoughts and memories,
The Crouch family.

May 1, 2020

Dr. Michael Pellgrino

Carolyn and all the family, I wish to express my deepest condolences in these difficult times. Gord was a great man and I am proud to have know him. Every time he came in to see me I feel like he taught me something.

He will be remembered as gentleman - and he will be missed.

Our thoughts and prayers are with you all
The Pellegrino Family

May 2, 2020

Peter & Judy Pillman

Peter and I were so saddened to hear of your father's passing. We will miss his porch visits as he always came out to say a kind word. He greeted Pete with "and how are you today young man". He was a true gentleman and the neighbourhood will miss him terribly.

Time heals and the sadness and loneliness will lighten but his memory will never be forgotten. When you lose a loved one, they become a memory and that memory becomes a treasure.

Carolyn, Janice, family and of course wee Maggie we extend our deepest sympathy at this time.

Peter & Judy

May 3, 2020

Janet Rytwinski

Carolyn and Janice. I was saddened to hear of your Dads passing. My thoughts are with you and your family at this difficult time.

Janet

May 5, 2020

joe hircock

Hi everyone in the family

I just want to pass on my condolences to you

I'm sure you have great memories of Gord as I do in my time in getting to know this great man

I so admired his outstanding positive character in working with people

His attitude for his family and their health was always important all of the time

Such great memories of the times with hockey

Take care

May 6, 2020

Lois McEachern

Dear Jan, I was sorry to read about your dad's passing. Please accept my sincere condolences.

May God give you His peace and surround you with love during this time. Blessings,? Lois McEachern