

## Hans Vooro August 11, 1932 - September 9, 2020

It is with great sadness we announce the passing of long time Yellowknife resident Hans Vooro at Stanton Territorial Hospital on September 9, 2020 at the age of 88. He was the second oldest of four siblings in the Vooro family. He was predeceased by his older brother George who passed away just a few years earlier. He is survived by his son Chris, his sister Malle, and his brother Matti.

Hans was born in Estonia in 1932 and emigrated to Canada in 1948. He spent his initial years in Canada at Red Lake, Ontario. He moved to Yellowknife in 1955 and lived here until his recent passing. He worked at the mill at the Giant Yellowknife Gold Mine. Later he got into taxi driving and eventually owned his own taxi service. He married and had a son who now lives in British Columbia, Hans was predeceased by his wife Pauline.

Hans loved fishing and he owned his own boat for many years. He will be missed by his many friends and coffee drinking buddies at A&W and Tim Hortons where he could be found most mornings. The family would like to extend a special thanks to the staff at Stanton Territorial Hospital, Avens, McKenna Funeral Home, Lynda Koe and Margaret Peterson for your kindness and compassion. His wish was to be cremated and funeral services will be private.

In lieu of flowers, if you wish a donation can be made to Avens "Care on Wheels": www.avensseniors.com Send message of condolence to the family at messages@mckennafuneral.com