

*It is with great sadness and respect we say
"so long" to a one of a kind gentleman.*



On February 20th, in the early morning,
Gary Apted of Chase, BC, passed away.

He will be lovingly remembered by his loving wife, brothers, children, extended family and friends, and will be remembered as our village barber for many years.

Gary was quick to offer you a smile and a few kind words because it was the fellowship of his community members he cherished. We would all have our spirits bolstered by this one of a kind man when in his barber's chair. He had a great ability to make you feel good about yourself and to look sharp. As a barber, Gary was a real man's man, sporting his famous "Elvis" haircut and if you were lucky enough, you'd catch him humming a tune from the legend himself.

Anyone that knew Gary knew he loved golf and made a point of getting out weekly. He had a passion for life and for playing the drums, and he cherished the strong bond he had with all his musician buddies. Always received with a smile by his friends, Gary could make the best of any circumstance, lighting the mood with ease. Gary was a treat to all that knew him. He will be sadly missed.

A donation to the Lung Association of Canada would be what Gary wants us all to do.

There will be no service by request. Condolences may be expressed at www.schoeningfuneralservice.com