Harold (Harry) Condon



Harold (Harry) Condon, longtime resident of Yellowknife, NWT, passed away suddenly on May 5, 2015, at the Royal Alexandra Hospital in Edmonton at the age of 79 years.

Harry was born in Summerside, PEI, to David and Stella Condon. Harry lost his mother to illness early in his life, and during WWII Harry and his brother Ralph were raised by their grandparents, Ben and Ethel Condon, in Kensington, PEI. After the war, the boys were reunited with their father and moved to Winnipeg's north end in 1949, where the family continued to grow with the arrival of brothers Douglas (Doug) and David.

Harry moved to Yellowknife in 1960, the place he called home for the remainder of his life. In Yellowknife, Harry worked at the Giant Mines, was a truck driver, carpenter, and then ice-maker at the Yellowknife Curling Rink. Most recently, Harry worked at True-Value Hardware.

Harry was active in sports and played baseball and hockey in Winnipeg and Yellowknife. As part of the Manitoba Clothing Co. baseball team, Harry was inducted into the Manitoba Baseball Hall of Fame in 2003.

Harry was predeceased by his mother Stella, father David, brother Douglas, step-mother Ida, and sister-in-law Rose.

He is survived by his brothers Ralph (Winnipeg) and David (Denver), nephew Edward (Dallas), nieces Nicole (Denver) and Rene (Las Vegas), as well as many friends in Yellowknife.

Harry's family would like to thank the medical staff at the Royal Alexandra Hospital in Edmonton, and the Parsons family of Yellowknife for their assistance. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Canada in Harry's name.

