

Ben N. Hunter passed away peacefully with his family by his side on January 17 at the age of 82yrs.

Ben was born in Aberdeen, Scotland on January 15, 1928 and after serving in the British Merchant Services during WWII he immigrated to Canada with the Hudson Bay Company. Ben and his family enjoyed many years living in small communities in northern Alberta and the Northwest Territories. In 1968 he joined the newly-formed Territorial Government in Yellowknife and remained in Yellowknife until his retirement in 1989. At this time Ben and his wife moved to Grande Prairie, Alberta to be close to their children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Ben is survived by his wife of 58 years, Mary, his son Bob (Diane), daughter Jane (Dave), grandchildren Neil (Tara), Karie (Geoff), Benjamin and Daniel. Ben was blessed with 5 great-grandchildren, Kennedy, Kassidy, Calvin, Luke and Jordan. Also left to celebrate Ben's life is his sister Francis (John), still in Scotland, as well as many nieces & nephews in Scotland, Australia and Abudabi. Ben was predeceased by his son Neil Howard Hunter in August of 1962.

In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made to The Canadian Red Cross or the Salvation Army.