

# REMEMBERING Mike Cherneff

August 11, 1948 - June 22, 2022



# Tribute from H.W. Wallace Cremation & Burial Centre

H.W. Wallace Cremation & Burial Centre staff send our condolences to family and friends.

# **Tribute from Ken Robson**

Relation: Colleague of Brigitte

Judy and I were saddened to receive news of Mike's passing. We know how much you have meant to one another over the years and what a caring father and grandfather he has been for your family. We truly hope that your vast storehouse of treasured memories will sustain you in the days ahead. Please accept our sincerest condolences.

Ken Robson and Judy Eifert

#### Tribute from Cora Uhlich/Doren

Relation: Mike was a friend of our family, we met him when he and Brigitte were married

Brigitte, what a beautiful tribute to Mike! Wonderful to read all of the many things he accomplished in his life and just how creative and talented he was. Thinking of you Eva and Theo.

#### Tribute from Karen Hudson

Relation: Friend of Wife

We are so sorry to hear of Mike's passing. He is remembered as a creative man with too many talents to number. We always enjoyed his visits to the Salt Spring Island Public Library because of his kind nature, and you never knew what project he was working on and what you might learn. Mostly we remember him as a supportive husband and partner to Brigitte, especially during her time planning and building our new library.

Sending sympathy and condolences on behalf of all the library staff and volunteers, you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Karen Hudson, Library Director

#### **Tribute from Grethe Dehn Norgaard**

Relation: Friend of Brigitte from junior high school.

I was shocked and saddened by Mike's passing. Every word written about him is a tribute to a life well

lived. He was a good man in the true sense of the word. He will always be remembered by my family for teaching my sons to ski (between his legs) when they were very little. His patience was epic ! Our thoughts are with you Brigitte and, of course, Eva and Theo. He will be missed.

#### Tribute from Susan-Ann Gibson

Relation: Cousin So sorry to hear of Mike's passing

Sue-Ann & family

# **Tribute from Audrey Denton**

Brigitte, I'm so sorry to hear about Mike. I hadn't ever met him but he was indeed a man with many talents and interests. And I miss you at the library.

# **Tribute from Sheila Spence**

Birgitte, I am so sorry to learn that you not longer have Mike by your side. I remember how supportive and good humoured he was during that time when all our lives seemed to revolve around the library project. He will be missed by so many. With our deppest sympathies, Sheila and Barry

#### Tribute from Lina Marinelli

Relation: Through work at the City of Burnaby.

I worked with Mike at the City of Burnaby. I really enjoyed having conversations with Mike - he was such a delight.

# Tribute from Mike Hansen

Relation: Co-worker (survey assistant/surveyor) with Mike at the City of Burnaby

Very to hear of Mike's passing. We shared a good deal of time together as (survey) co-workers at Burnaby back in the late 80's. Mike was very much a mentor to me in my career development, and provided invaluable guidance and wisdom to myself as a young person. To Brigitte and Eva (and Family), our deepest sympathies are with you at this time.

## Tribute from Larry Phillips

Relation: Coworker/friend

Only just learned of Mike's passing. I worked with Mike in the early '80's at the Corp of Burnaby. We had a lot of laughs together... usually at each other's expense.

Brigitte, you and your family have my heartfelt condolences on Mike's passing, but there may be some consolation in knowing his was truly a fine life well lived.

#### Tribute from Maria Hansen

Relation: Co-worker

I was very sorry to hear of Mike's passing. I worked with him at the City of Burnaby in the 80s. He was a great guy and I loved our many chats. Sincere condolences to the family.

