REMEMBERING

Ronald Anderson

June 16, 1949 - December 3, 2014

It is with profound sadness that we announce the peaceful passing of Ron on December 3, 2014. He was surrounded by his family, after a courageous battle with cancer.

Ron is survived by his loving and devoted wife of 43 years, Mona; son Ian (KelliAnn) and daughter Kyla (Michael) Bridge; three cherished grandchildren, Alexis, Birkley and Tyson; his siblings, Carolyn (Kelvin) Rasmussen, Gary (Deanna), and Sharon (Mike) Anderson; and a large extended family.

Ron was born June 16, 1949 in Duncan, B.C. to Ernest and Dolores Anderson, and he grew up on Gibbins Road with family and lifelong neighbourhood friends Reg, Dan & Ken. Entering the work force at a young age at the Youbou Sawmill, Ron's tenacious work ethic led to a trade in saw filing in various Cowichan Valley mills, and he officially retired from the WFP Cowichan Bay

Sawmill earlier this year. Ron proudly operated his own saw filing company, C & R Saw Repairs, that was founded with his close friend Clark Sayers. Throughout the years Ron played a variety of sports including soccer, hockey and golf, in addition to practicing Judo & Karate. His true passion was playing baseball and fastball as a first baseman.

A doting husband, father & grandfather, Ron enjoyed many happy summers at Lake Cowichan and traveling to Waikiki to soak up the sun and enjoy the beaches. His loss has left a huge void in the lives of his family, friends and coworkers. We will carry forever his spirit in our hearts and minds.

The family wishes to thank Dr. B. RudstonBrown and Dr. N. Robertson for their kind and compassionate care of Ron during these last few months of his life.

A Celebration of Life will be held at 11:00am on Saturday, December 13, 2014 at Arbutus Ridge Golf and Country Club.

In lieu of flowers, donations, in memory of Ron, may be made to the BC Children's Hospital Foundation.

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