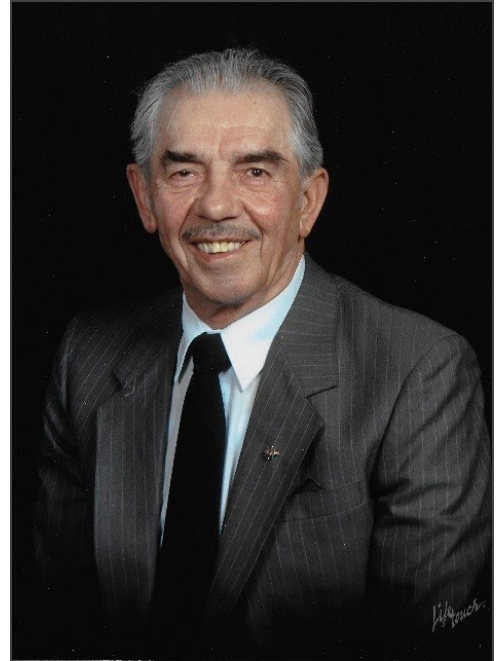


# Paul Kirlik

DECEMBER 12, 2018

Surrounded by his family, Paul Kirlik went to be with his Lord and Saviour in his 88th year, on December 12, 2018.

Paul was born in Romania and immigrated with his family to Medicine Hat, Alberta in 1952. He later moved to Vancouver where he met and married Eleonore Truderung in 1954.



Paul worked at Silvertree Sawmill in Vancouver as Head Sawyer. He was awarded a “30 Years Accident Free” award, and retired in 1993.

Paul is survived by Eleonore, his loving wife of 63 years; his three children Walt (Laurie), Harry (Janice) and Marita (Lyle); eight grandchildren Kelsey (Cody), Bobby, Marie (Cody), Ben (Alicia), Cody, Grant (Danica), Sarah and Tyler; and one great grandchild Elenor.

The family would like to thank the staff at Elim’s Harrison 3 East for their loving care of Paul over the last eight months.

A celebration of life for Paul Kirlik will be held on Saturday, January 12, 2018 at 1:30 pm in the Oasis Room at Elim Village, 9025 160th Street, Surrey, BC.

You are invited to leave a personal message of condolence for the family.

## Messages of Condolence

Paul has left behind a great legacy evidenced by his loving and caring family. May Gods peace dominate your every moment during this sad and memory filled time.

— **Paul Lengyell**

Dear Kirlik family:

We are praying for the comfort & assurance only the Holy Spirit can bring to you in your loss.

As followers of Christ may the words in Romans 8 be of great hope as you think upon your husband, father & grandfather..."I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory that is to be revealed to us. We know that in everything God works for the good of those who love Him, who are called according to His purpose. For I am sure that nothing will be able to separate His children from the love of God in Christ Jesus."

Mark & Gaylene Frogley

— **MARK FROGLEY**

To Opa, May you rest in piece, thank you for all the wonderful conversation we had. I enjoyed your stories from your life expectancies. And watching you open "Useful" birthday and Christmas gifts.

To the family, sorry for your loss, glad you all got the chance to say good bye, my thoughts and prayers for you as you deal with his passing

Lots of love

Ben.

— **Ben Formo**

Dear Harry, Janice and family. We are so sorry for your loss. We know how hard it is to lose a parent and the large void it leaves in the family. Knowing he was a Christian gives the eternal hope of seeing and being with him again. God is faithful to his children. Your Dad lives on and will also, forever be in your hearts.....Love Colleen and Dave.

**— Colleen and Dave Wardell**

In March of 1983, Walt took me to meet his family when they lived on St. Catherine's in Vancouver ~ I later became a member of their family in 1985. I have many fond memories of Dad, and although I believe I gave him 'a run for his money', it was in his last weeks that he held my hand told me that I was so precious, which meant more to me than he knew. Although he tended to be a more serious person, I recall times of when I would tell him stories of something that I had done, and he would laugh so hard with tears coming from his eyes. Those were very treasured times for me. In his later years, he would tell us that he only wanted gifts at Christmas time, or on his birthday, if they were useful. I gave that a great deal of thought and that year Dad got a case of toilet paper! I don't know who laughed harder! It will be memories like this, that we will find comforting in this next while. I believe that Dad is in a much better place - he is home now.

God Bless you Dad, Love Laurie

**— Laurie Kirlik**

My deepest sympathies Elly to you and your family. I know it is a great relief when we know our spouse does not have to suffer anymore and is in a better place. May God comfort and give you peace during this difficult time. Love, Verna Sandison

**— Verna Sandison**

I'm so sorry to hear about this! Although I did not know him, I can clearly see his faith legacy living on through his children and grandchildren - praise God for that faith. I am praying for your family at this difficult time.

— **Leah Calder**

Our deepest Condolences to the whole family. May your wonderful memories of Opa (Paul) fill your heart with warmth.

— **Kim Gates & Todd Evans**

Our thoughts are with you at this time Kirlik family. Paul instilled in you the faith that is so evident in all the Kirlik family members. May he rest in peace in God's arms.

— **James and Marilyne Kelly**

Marita and family-many thoughts and prayers are with you in these days of grief. As you miss your Dad, may you only be overwhelmed by God's peace, love and healing. May memories bring joy and remembrances of the special loved one you had some wonderful days with and hopes for time again in eternity.

— **Jodi and Mark Dunstan**



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