

Michael Henry Hayward Peckham

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July 10, 1953- March 30, 2021



Michael (Mike) Hayward Peckham was born and raised in New Waterford, Cape Breton Island, NS. He was the oldest son of 14 children born to parents Mary and Hayward Peckham. Mike later met and married Lorraine Roach, settling in Avondale Vernon River, PEI where they started their family together welcoming children Amy and Ian. Mike tried his hand at pig farming but later sold and packed up roots, moving to Alberta in the early 80's expanding the family and welcoming youngest daughter Victoria. Mike continued to put his farm experience and knowledge to good use working for local farmers and then taking on work with Laden's Industrial in Linden and later moving to Innisfail. Mike's career led him to parts management and sales. He enjoyed working with agricultural customers and built many long-term friendships as he traveled throughout the province.

As those of you who knew Mike, you will recall his love for story telling, practical jokes and company. He always had the door open and enjoyed visitors. You will also know that he struggled with diabetes, and in the end after a strong and determined willingness to overcome his disabilities, he sadly succumbed to his illness and several related and underlying medical conditions, passing away in Red

Deer hospital on Tuesday, March 30, 2021.

After having lost one leg several years ago due to diabetes he was determined and committed to making huge life changes but unfortunately, in 2020 Mike had a second leg amputation. He achieved incredible milestones in the last 12 months regaining his ability to stand and walk with the help and encouragement of his long-term partner, Linda.

Mike will be sadly missed by his children, grandchildren and his 2 great-grandsons and Linda Traveline, as well as his brothers and sisters (near and far) and extended family of nieces and nephews.

Messages of Condolence

Our deepest sympathy to all the family. Our thoughts are with you during this difficult time

— **Wayne & Leni Scheske**

love you brother, and will always remember my trip out west to see ya, will miss you lots.

— **Lynn Robinson**

So sorry for your loss. We used to enjoy listening to his stories when we were neighbors.

Barb, Caidan, Dallas and Camryn

— **Barb Hogeland (Fuller)**

Uncle Hayward, you will be missed. I will always remember the time spend on your farm when I was young along with the misadventures you took us on. Wishing your family strength in their grief, and lots joy in sharing their many stories and memories of you. I know my dad, Ed has many a story. Rest easy Mike.

— **April Peckham**

Our family sends condolences, to Amy, Ian and Vicky and their family's. Our hearts and prayers go out to all. Your Dad (Hayward) is going to be missed so very much. I'm going to miss out conversations, and his stories. We've had so many chats and laughs. Even though we've been miles apart ya will always be in our hearts. Love and miss ya bro. Sending love and hugs to our nieces, and nephew and there families. ☐☐

— **Susan, Bob Roach and Family**

Sending our deepest condolences to Mike's family. We had the pleasure of meeting him in Chilliwack BC, we all went to the Expo in Vancouver that year .. RIP.

— **Colleen MacNeil**

Sorry for your loss Amy, Ian and Victoria. We remember your Father when he was living in Linden. We enjoyed the visits we had with your parents. In our thoughts and prayers.

— **John and Lucie Van de Laak**

So sorry for your loss condolence to the family prayers an hugs God Bless RIP Mike

— **donna gouthro**

So very sorry for your loss thoughts and prayers.

— **Darlene**

Amy, Ian, Victoria and families our thoughts and prayers are with you during your time of need, he will be missed everyday. I will miss his calls, stories and jokes.
Missing you brother.

Peckhams in New Brunswick

— **Emil and Family**

We're so very sorry for Mike's loss. Prayers for all family & friends.

— **Lora Thomas**

Sincerest condolences to family and friends on Mike's passing. He was a very nice person; only met his once on a visit to Linda's home and he was most gracious and an interesting person to chat with.

— **Michael Travaline**

I am so sorry to hear of your Dad's passing. I hope you find comfort in the coming months.

— **Melanie Millette (Toews)**

Dear Amy, Ian and Vicky our deepest sympathy in the the loss of your dad. Mike was always a happy person and enjoyed himself where even he was . Prayers for strength and healing.

Susan (Larson) Litz , Karen (Larson) Sisson and Mike Larson and families.

— **Susan Lirz**



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