



## John Alvin Corless

September 24, 1947 - February 21, 2024

CORLESS, John Alvin

John passed away on Wednesday February 21st. in his 76th. year.

John will be forever loved and cherished by his wife of 52 years Bonnie (nee Shortt).

Upon moving to Peterborough, John was an employee at City Hall in the Engineering Department as an inspector and then at Public Works.

John was a long time member of the Peterborough Curling Club which included service on the Board. Because of the club, we established many life long friendships.

John volunteered at the Mount Community Centre with the ' Friday Morning Crew'. That Mount team were recognized with the Peterborough Civic Award in 2018. His knowledge of the city infrastructure proved to be invaluable many times.

In 1956, John 's parents Ben and Dot had a cottage built on Red Pine Lake in the Halliburton Highlands. Every summer from that year until 2017, the family and then John and I spent every summer at the lake in the ' Beaton / Corless

bay'. Strong generational family bonds were established with a very unique group of cottagers. They all worked hard and played hard!

John and I enjoyed traveling to many destinations within Europe and coast to coast within Canada. We experienced many amazing hiking trips in the Rockies with his sister Susan who lived in Banff.

As per John's wishes cremation has taken place and there will be no visitation nor funeral.

In memory of John, donations to the Peterborough Regional Health Centre Foundation would be greatly appreciated.

' death leaves a heartache no one can heal.....

love leaves a memory no one can steal '

# Tribute Wall

DS

“ Dear Bonnie, I was so very sorry to hear the sad news of John's passing. I am thinking of you at this sad time. With fond memories of earlier days at PRHC. David Swales

David Swales - March 05, 2024 at 02:11 PM

JR

“ Bonnie, we were sorry to read of John's passing. We are thinking of you at this difficult time and we miss seeing you in the neighbourhood. Our sincere condolences on your loss.

Janet and Jeff Rexe - March 04, 2024 at 12:45 PM

CS

“ I am so sorry to hear about John. You will always cherish the wonderful memories you made together. My prayers and thoughts are with you at this very sad time. Chris

Chris Shine - March 02, 2024 at 03:30 PM

IM

“ Bonnie, I am saddened to know that John has passed. My condolences. John always had a smile whether we met at the curing club or by chance in Peterborough or at a Peterborough Civic Hospital DI function. May you find comfort knowing that John was a great person. Best Wishes, Ian Moffat

Ian Moffat - March 02, 2024 at 12:49 PM