



Mr. Czelav (Chester) Krzeminski

January 12, 2014

Czelav (Chester) Krzeminski, age 78, died peacefully at the Toronto Western Hospital on Sunday, January 12, 2014 after a fall in his apartment. Family and friends were with him.

Born January 3, 1936, in Montreal, Quebec, he had an infectious smile and charm. He moved to Toronto in 1978 and worked as a safety deposit security officer at the CIBC at Yonge & Bloor. Dressed in his company jacket and at ease in his role, many thought he owned the place. He retired in 1993 but worked part time as a consultant for several years bringing that same organization and charm to other financial institutions.

Chester loved music and is known for his boisterous version of Sto Lat (100 Years), a traditional Polish song sung to express good wishes, good health and long life to a person. No celebration was the same without his rendition. He had many friends but had a smaller circle of dear friends who were always there for him. Although he lived on his own, Chester was never alone.

Chester is survived by his older brother, Stan Krzeminski of Windsor, Ontario. He will be placed to rest beside his oldest brother Stephan and sister-in-law Helen. A private service for immediate family is to be held at Heavenly Rest Cemetery, in Windsor, Ontario.

Chester will be missed dearly by family and friends.

Tribute Wall

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Susan Neil - February 13, 2014 at 07:55 AM

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“ *Uncle Chester, your wonderful laugh and unique rendition of "Sto Lat" at every family get-together and at the many parties in Toronto over the years are etched in our minds and hearts forever. The wonderful smiles you generated on so many peoples faces whenever you sang "Sto Lat" will always be remembered.*

To my Uncle Stan, and to my Cousins Linda, Susan & Michael and their families, may you find comfort in knowing that Uncle Chester was loved very much by me and many other people and will be greatly missed...

Love, Frankie Pietras & Ian McNicol



Frank Pietras - February 08, 2014 at 06:50 PM

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Cindy Karch - January 20, 2014 at 10:36 AM

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Presque oublier 11 ans Deja. A chaque fois que j'entends le mot Windsor Je pense a Chester.

James Stevens - October 17, 2025 at 06:34 PM