



Mr. Harold Don Kettlewell

April 2, 2016

(Harold) Don Kettlewell passed away peacefully with family at his side in Toronto on Saturday, April 2, 2016.

Don was born in Nelson, BC on July 14, 1933 and grew up loving and respecting the great outdoors ('the bush' as he called it). He attended school in Nelson and later St. Andrews Academy in Toronto before graduating from LV Rogers in Nelson. He fell in love and married his first wife, Elizabeth (Liz) Wilson and had four children: Leah, Pete, Nona and Marcy. He worked for the city of Nelson before working at Celgar in Castlegar B.C. Don and Liz separated amicably and Don moved back to Toronto. He fell in love and married his second wife Zsuzsanna (Zsuzsi) and had their son, Brian together. Don retired from Cadillac Fairview in 1998 where he worked as a Stationary Engineer.

Don is survived by his wife Zsuzsanna (Zsuzsi) Paska, children Leah (Ward) Nelson, Pete (Eileen) Kettlewell, Nona Kettlewell (Inge Wenngren), Marcy Kettlewell and Brian Kettlewell (Jee Young Kim) and his loving grandchildren Justin (Heather) Nelson, Spencer Kettlewell and Damen Masson. Hannah and Jack made Don a great grandfather.

A celebration of Don's life will be held at a later date when we return his ashes to Nelson and the surrounding area where he can remain peacefully among the mountains and Kootenay Lake that he so dearly loved.

Memorial donations may be made at <http://www.coperniculuslodge.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ Dearest Kettlewell Family,

My heartfelt condolences goes out to all of you. I had the pleasure of meeting Don when he would visit Leah & Ward here in Nelson. I loved the many stories he shared, particularly the ones about the hiking in our area. I remember Don speaking of " Fry Creek Canyon" and how magical it is. I agree with him...

Embrace all the wonderful times shared.

Thinking of all of you at this sad time.

*With Love,
Carol Majeski*

Carol Majeski - April 10, 2016 at 02:02 PM



“ Lots of great memories while working together at the TD Centre. A very patient and intelligent Man who taught me everything I needed to maintain employment for life. Technically and politically. Sincere and heartfelt condolences to his son (Brian) and Harold's wife as well his other family members I never had the chance to know.

Steve Craig

Steve Peeve - April 09, 2016 at 06:27 PM



“ I'm sorry for your loss Leah (Ward). You are in my thoughts. ❤️

Nicole Perreault - April 08, 2016 at 12:05 PM

DH

“ *Sad to hear of Don's passing ,i have many fond memories of working with him at the TD Centre*



dave holubek - April 08, 2016 at 07:08 AM

ZG

“ *My deepest condolences to the Kettlewell Family.*

Zoran Grgar - April 07, 2016 at 09:19 PM

DH

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Dave Holubek

Dave Holubek - April 07, 2016 at 06:16 PM

DR

I first met Don, in the early '60s and we were good friends until he left Nelson about 10 years later. I never saw him again and I left for Vancouver, in 1981. Don and I enjoyed yakking about guns, gear, the bush and I really miss that. We have lost a REAL gentleman and I will never forget him, God Bless and Keep You, Leah, Pete, Nona and Marcy.

Dewey Riesterer - April 14, 2016 at 05:41 PM

DR

“ *"my sincere sympathy"*

Doug Rothschild - April 07, 2016 at 04:46 AM

TK

“ *My most sincere condolences to Brian and the extended family.*

Thomas Kirk - April 06, 2016 at 06:49 PM

PK

“ *Pete,Eileen An Spencer Kettlewell lit a candle
in memory of Mr. Harold Don Kettlewell*



Pete,Eileen an Spencer Kettlewell - April 06, 2016 at 06:02 AM



“ *Ward Nelson lit a candle in memory of Mr.
Harold Don Kettlewell*



Ward Nelson - April 05, 2016 at 09:28 PM

M#

“ *LOVE you dad...see you later...Love Marcy*

Marcy Kettlewell (Daughter #4) - April 05, 2016 at 02:39 PM