



Mr. Wayne "Bud" Thurlow

August 26, 2019

Passed peacefully at Southlake Regional Health Centre on Monday, August 26th, 2019 at the age of 76. beloved husband of Diane Thurlow. Loving father of Tanya Jamieson (Paul) and Tara Grigoriadis (Peter). Cherished grandfather of Pierce, Preston, Zach, Lily and Gibson. Predeceased by his parents Murray and Frances. Will be sadly missed by his brother Bev Thurlow (Linda), his sisters Sherri Sylvester (Al predeceased), Shelley Trace (John), his brother-in-law Jack Phillips (Heather), and a great many friends and colleagues in the community. Visitation will take place at the Steckley-Gooderham Funeral Home, 30 Worsley St., Barrie on Thursday, August 29th, 2019 from 6 – 8 p.m. and on Friday, August 30th from 10:30 a.m. until the time we celebrate Bud's life in the Chapel at 12 p.m.

Following the service, guests are invited to remain for a reception luncheon in the Lounge. In lieu of flowers, donations to Doctors Without Borders or a charity of choice would be greatly appreciated by the family. Online memories and condolences may be forwarded via www.steckleygooderham.com

Events

AUG **Visitation** 06:00PM - 08:00PM

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Steckley-Gooderham Funeral Home Worsley Street Chapel
30 Worsley Street, BARRIE, ON, CA, L4M 1L4

AUG **Visitation** 10:30AM - 12:00PM

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AUG **Service** 12:00PM - 01:00PM

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AUG **Reception** 01:00PM - 02:30PM

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Comments



“ Wayne was a wonderful person and all of our family will always have good memories of Wayne and Diane. You will continue to be in our thoughts.



Betty and Clive Andrews - January 02 at 01:38 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Wayne. My thoughts and prayers go out to Diane, Tanya and Tara and families during this very difficult and sad time. I will always remember Wayne as a kind hearted and gentle soul who loved to be around people and share stories and laughter. I always felt welcomed by Wayne as he greeted me with “Kelbert”. I loved him for this. No matter what he was doing he always would make time for a chat. He will be dearly missed.
Kelly McIntyre

Kelly McIntyre - September 04, 2019 at 09:30 PM



“ Bev & Linda,
We are so sorry to hear about Bud.
Our thoughts and prayers are with you and all of your family during this very sad time.
Gail & Doug

Gail Haverson - September 03, 2019 at 07:17 PM



“ Diane and family:
We are so sorry to read about the passing of Wayne - "Bud". He was a great guy and a good friend. He will be missed by all his friends and family.
Our sincere sympathy is extended to you and your family.

Mary and Barry Byers

Barry & Mary Byers - August 31, 2019 at 01:58 PM



“ Hi Diane, my condolences to you for the loss of Wayne(Bud) Bud lived up up the street from me on Frances St. North. At least sixty yrs ago! Regards Al Aistrop.

Allan Aistrop - October 01, 2019 at 05:56 AM



“ Diane and family- Very sorry to hear about Bud's passing. My sympathy to you.

Kathy Parliament

Kathy Parliament - August 30, 2019 at 02:44 PM



“ Great memories of Mr Thurlow !! Great friend to Bill Norris
Rest In Peace !!!!

Bill Norris - August 31, 2019 at 08:35 AM



“ I am left with many very pleasant memories and my most sincere condolences go to you DIANE and the family BUD was soooo very proud of

JOHN MIDDLEBRO

john middlebro - August 30, 2019 at 11:43 AM



“ Diane, we are so sorry to hear about the passing of Bud and would like to extend our heartfelt condolences to you, Tanya, Tara and the rest of your family, Our thoughts are with you all during this time.

Jean and Lionel Gray

Jean Gray - August 30, 2019 at 11:09 AM



“ So sorry to hear of the loss of Bud..
..... David & Cheryl Anderson

David & Cheryl Anderson - August 30, 2019 at 10:47 AM



“ Our sincerest condolences for your loss. You are in our thoughts.
Ruth and Glen Taber



“ Today we say goodbye to a dear friend and endearing soul who was always there for us in times of need. You will not be forgotten and we will remember you always. Condolences to Diane, Tanya and Tara and families.
Anna and John

Johanna Scott - August 30, 2019 at 08:17 AM



“ Diane, so sorry to hear of Bud's passing. You are in my thoughts at this sad time.
Carol (Hodges) Stevens

Carol Stevens - September 02, 2019 at 09:04 PM



“ We are so sorry to hear about Bud.
Although we had lost touch recently, Bud will be forever missed and our thoughts and prayers are with Diane and family.

Bill and Sharron Carpenter - August 29, 2019 at 05:27 PM



“ You all know that Bud was so very kind and generous but maybe his most endearing quality was his wonderful sense of humour. There are so many stories but I'll try and relate a few that I remember: Here are a couple of "it could only be Bud" When people phoned for Diane during curling season, Bud would relay that she was away until April and to call back then. My Favourite: One day after Bud and Diane had moved out to the lake, he had just finished cutting the lawn and was sweeping the grass off the driveway. Of course his attire consisted of that horrible Old Blue shirt with a pair of work pants and worn to boaters, both held together with duct tape. A Mercedes pulled up to the end of the driveway, the driver got out and asked Bud if he knew when the owner would be home. Bud answered he had just gone to Barrie and didn't know when he'd be back; the driver thanked him and drove off. I knew Bud for 41 years which meant my family knew him for 41 years. When I texted them Monday of Bud's death, all three replied with sadness and dismay. I think my Daughter Beth's text summed up how we all feel: Oh Dad, I'm so sorry, Bud was the best, so generous and kind to everyone and always good to us. I loved him. Bud I actually had a toast to you late Monday night, a rye with water from tears.

Ted Milner - August 29, 2019 at 11:23 AM



“Marvelous, entertaining and hilarious, Bud was a born story-teller. He collected and told stories about the people he met or people he loved: his family and his friends. Humans in all their humanity were what Bud seemed most interested in. And Bud was just the best kind of human.

A true-heart treasure in a faded 'Old Blue' sweatshirt and duck taped loafers - he was honest, kind, and unpretentious.

If you needed help he was there with his quiet support and considerable know-how -- Mind you he made it clear there was a limited number of times he was willing to fix our kitchen sink plumbing. You could hear his whistle as he arrived at your door and you knew things were going to be okay,

Bud, Thank You - for your generous friendship, your unforgettable stories, and your bone-deep kindness. You were the music in our lives - keeping us going and telling our stories and making it so fun.

Jean Milner - August 29, 2019 at 10:39 AM



“So very sorry to hear about Bud 's passing - too soon too sudden. Bud was a truly unique individual who will forever be remembered for his kindness, generosity and sense of humour. He brought a smile to everyone's face as he ambled up Toronto Lane glass in one hand and a container of Barrie water in the other. He would always have some nice words for the kids before addressing the male adults as "you louts"! A true indicator of how much of an impression you leave behind is when the kids like you and remember you fondly so many years later. Our thoughts are with you Diane, Tanya, Tara and your families.

Ron and Jennifer Matsushita

Ron Matsushita - August 28, 2019 at 04:29 PM



“While I am still struggling to come to terms with the loss of a man whose personality was bigger than life, I sit here with so many happy memories of the man I have called "Uncle Bud" since the day I was born. His gruff disposition was only a front for the love & generosity he has shown us over his lifetime. There truly is no bigger heart than Uncle Bud's and I could go on forever with how he spoiled us Scott kids as if we were his own. His creativity and woodworking skills have given each of us many magical creations that we will treasure forever - "of course we didn't shave the BUD off" as he had expected. I know you have a rye in your hand and are continuing to keep everyone in stitches in true Uncle Bud fashion.

The world is a darker place now that you aren't here. You are unbelievably missed.

Forever in my heart,

Shannon Bacci(Scott) & family



Shannon Bacci - August 28, 2019 at 12:53 PM



“ Bud, will always be remembered...
For his dry wit,
For his unique expressions - ‘Buzzard’, ‘Hog’ and ‘Turkey Loaf’ come to mind,
For his enjoyment of a sip of rye with a splash of the GOOD Barrie water,
For his many duct tape repairs, including clothing,
For his love of ‘Old Blue, a favourite sweater, and
For his boundless generosity, from which every one of us has benefitted,
He will be sorely missed.
Brian and Kathy Hunter

Kathy Hunter - August 28, 2019 at 09:40 AM