



## George Murray Hosea

July 23, 1946 - February 21, 2024

HOSEA, George Murray-Surrounded by his family on Wednesday, February 21, 2024. George of Wellesley at the age of 77 years. Beloved husband of Irene (nee Jantzi). Loving father of Wendy Hosea and Cindy Bester (Andrew Long). Dear grandpa of Kaitlyn, Nickolas and Erin. He will be sadly missed by his brother Bill Hosea (Shirley) and predeceased by his brother Ray Wagner. He will also be missed by many brothers and sisters in-law, numerous nieces and nephews. He will be missed by his 4 legged daughter, Abby. George liked to keep busy in retirement. Always helping others, spending time with his grandchildren, working at the Wellesley Car Wash and serving in his church, St. Mark's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Wellesley. At George's request, cremation will take place and a gathering of family, and friends will take place at a later date. If desired, donations to St. Mark's Lutheran Church or Hospice Waterloo Region in George's memory would be appreciated. Arrangements entrusted to Futher-Franklin Funeral Home, Wellesley.

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# Cemetery Details

**Holy Cross Crematorium**

Paris, ON (CA)

# Tribute Wall

MF

“ Irene, Wendy and Cindy, sending you our deepest sympathies. Mark and I both have many fond memories of time spent with George. I remember many family suppers together, fun times in our swimming pool, and Mark remembers trips to the Oswego Speedway. We will miss his great sense of humor and his contagious laugh. So grateful to have had him in our lives and grateful to have known him as my uncle.

*Michelle & Mark Fisher*

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**Michelle Fisher** - March 01, 2024 at 12:43 PM

DB

“ Irene and family, we are so sorry to hear about George. He was a very special cousin. We sure did think the world of him, right from when he was a little boy. He was a true gentleman. Sending you and the girls loving hugs. 🤗

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**Don and Darlene Bester** - February 28, 2024 at 06:00 PM

KM

“ Irene, Wendy, Cindy & family, So sad to hear of George's passing. So many wonderful memories of George when hanging out at the Hosea house with Wendy when we were kids. Sending love and thinking of you all!

*Kim (Seyler) McCormick*

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**Kim McCormick** - February 28, 2024 at 08:51 AM

TK

“ Irene & family our thoughts & prayers are with you. The first time we met George was at Wayne & Pat’s anniversary party at Golf’s. He went to shake Lynn’s hand & spilled her water all over her. The next time we got together at Pat’s house for a supper there was a sippy cup waiting for George so there would be no more accidents. What fun.

Lynn & Tina

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**Tina Kubis** - February 26, 2024 at 06:11 PM



Deepest Sympathy Irene & Family. We were so sorry to hear of George’s Passing. He will be missed. Our Thoughts & Prayers are with you all.

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**IreneCharlie Zettel** - February 27, 2024 at 09:46 AM

JC

“ Irene and family. Sending our deepest condolences to all of you. We just met briefly through Pat and Wayne and know he always enjoyed a good time. Jim and Judy Casemore.

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**Jim and Judy Casemore** - February 26, 2024 at 09:30 AM

KC

“ It was good times working with George at Weber's fab.

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**Kevin Cunningham** - February 24, 2024 at 05:52 PM

PG

“ Irene and family Our hearts are broken for all of you==George meant so much to all of us==Loved to hear his laugh and he loved to joke around==he really loved his time spent with his friends ==his breakfasts and his casino trips==He will be in our hearts forever and will be missed so much ==We are so happy we go to know George and thankful for the time we got to spend with him  
Wayne & Pat

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**Pat Graff** - February 24, 2024 at 02:54 PM

LL

“ Irene and Family - We are sad about the passing of George and send our deepest sympathy. It was our pleasure to know George and we wish we could have had another fish and chip dinner at Port Dover and more meals with you both. Always dedicated, helpful and a true gentleman. We will also miss him.

*Larry & Elsie Lantz*

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**Larry and Elsie Lantz** - February 24, 2024 at 10:50 AM

JJ

“ Our deepest condolences to Irene and family. George was a true gentleman, always asking about and concerned about others. Always went the extra mile and we will miss him dearly. John and Kim Jantzi (Wellesley Auto Spa)

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**John Jantzi** - February 24, 2024 at 08:54 AM

KB

“ Irene, Wendy and Cindy I'm so sorry to hear this. Sending love and hugs to you and the whole family. I have great memories of George and all of you from my much younger years hanging out at the Hosea house with Wendy. Praying you find comfort from family and friends through this time. Thinking of you. Kari (Erb) Bender

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**Kari Bender** - February 23, 2024 at 10:35 PM

BB

“ Roger & Bonnie  
Irene, Wendy, Cindy & Families. Sending Our Very Deepest Condolences on the passing of a Very Special Husband, Father, Grandfather & Friend. George will be missed by many. As friends we go back some 48yrs. To your apartment on Doering St. Where we first met as renters. From then it all began a long friendship. This is where we got to know yourself Irene & George, Wendy & Cindy. There were lots of great Memories & Fun Times to many to mention. I'm thinking of our 4 couples group Ralph & Maryann, Wayne & Maryjane, Roger & Bonnie & You & George. The Doering & Molesworth St. Gang!! It's so nice to have these great memories to look back as we reminisce a Great Man He Was. Keep all the Great Memories close to your heart. Prayers & God Bless 🌸🌸  
Roger & Bonnie Battler

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**Bonnie Battler** - February 23, 2024 at 07:30 PM

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“ Irene, Charles and I send you and your family our sincerest condolences with the passing of George -- you are in our thoughts at this difficult time.

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**Nancy and Charles Osterdorff** - February 23, 2024 at 01:06 PM

RG

“ George was a good man. He loved the a common interest in the Kitchener Rangers.  
Roy & Lorraine Guenther



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**Roy& Lorraine Guenther** - February 23, 2024 at 12:19 PM

KS

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Katie S** - February 23, 2024 at 08:54 AM

JG

“ Irene, you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers with the loss of George. Bruce and Joyce

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**Joyce Graham** - February 23, 2024 at 12:06 AM

KL

“ Kellie L. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of George Murray Hosea.

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**Kellie L.** - February 22, 2024 at 09:44 PM



“ Chris Franklin lit a candle in memory of George Murray Hosea



Chris Franklin - February 22, 2024 at 04:58 PM

PD

*George was a gem. He watched our Gibson when he was a puppy (he's 8 yrs old ). We spent the pandemic together. We asked to rent their basement when we sold our place in 2021. George and Irene allowed us at a minimal charge. We helped renovate their upstairs and then their basement bathroom. We had weekly "weekly" family meetings and we played so many games every day and night. We laughed so much and enjoyed each others company so many times. We will miss you soooo much George until We meet again RIP  
George we love you xo*

Patti Dougan - February 26, 2024 at 07:21 PM

SK

*We just heard and send our condolences. We knew George from Ohsweken Speedway. He was a great guy and will be missed by so many people.  
Sharon & Mike Kit - Kitchener.*

Sharon (Abt) Kit - June 02, 2024 at 05:46 PM