REMEMBERING

Garry Barnes

December 3, 1944 - July 26, 2025

It is with heavy hearts that we announce the passing of Garry Lynn Barnes of Langley,

BC. Garry passed away peacefully surrounded by family. Garry was one of two twin boys born to Josephine (Laird) and William Barnes in Vancouver. Left to cherish his memories are his loving, devoted wife of nearly 41 years, Ellen (Salkeld), half-sister Marion Wells (Barnes), daughter Brenda Zatorski (Troy), step-children Debbie Baylie

(Steve), Burns Lepine, grand children Brandon Zatorski (Rochelle/Zachary), Christopher

Zatorski, Darren Zatorski (Allie), Danica Baylie, Connor Baylie, and great granddaughter

Emma Zatorski. Garry was predeceased by his parents, his half-sister Diane Dillon, step-son Harry Lepine, first wife Betty Barnes (Elliott) and his best friend and twin brother Barry Barnes. Our lives have changed forever with the passing of this big-hearted, gentle man.

Garry started his family life in Powell River where he worked in the pulp mill and spent

summers on three boat fishing the Straight of Georgia before moving to Guildford where he took a position driving bus for BC Transit. Garry retired from there after 28 years then enjoyed working with Online Collision for a number of years before fully retiring.

Garry was a proficient handy man always with a project on the go or willing to plan

and

work on projects with family or friends. He was a devoted friend and family man and

was known to “pop in” for a quick visit, always with a coffee and Timbits in hand. Garry

will be missed dearly by all who were fortunate enough to be part of his life. The

memories will bring smiles to our hearts and tears to our eyes. We love you, until we

meet again.

In lieu of flowers or monetary gifts, donations can be made to the Heart and Stroke

Foundation in his honor.

A Celebration of Life will be held August 23, 2025 from 2pm to 5pm at Fort Langley

Seniors Hall at 23022 88 th Ave, Fort Langley.