

CODE, Peter Edmund [UNTD CATARAQUI '53 U-15629] (1935 - 2010) Age:74



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At Perth on Friday April 23rd, 2010, Peter E. Code (member of the Perth Citizens' Band for over 60 years, member of the Perth Rotary Club (Paul Harris Award Recipient) for over 50 years) at the age of 74 years. Peter was predeceased by his parents, Gwynneth A. (Baker) and Edmund Code and in 2004 by his beloved wife, M. Ann (Robertson) Code. He was the loved and respected father of Susan Code McDougall (John McDougall) and Erin (Allan) McLean and cherished grandfather of Laura, Thomas and John McLean and Cassandra McDougall. He will be sadly missed by his brother David (Joyce) Code, sisters Jane (Herb) Robertson and Nancy (Frank) Roseborough, his nieces, nephews and many good friends. Friends may pay their respects at the Blair & Son Funeral Home, 15 Gore St W., Perth Sunday April 25th, 2010 from 1 to 4 and 6 to 8 P.M. Funeral service will be held in St. James' Anglican Church, Perth Monday at 2:00 P.M. Interment, Elmwood Cemetery. In remembrance, contributions to the Perth Rotary Club or St. James Anglican Church would be appreciated.

Peter Code, one of the town of Perth's most ardent civic boosters, passed away on Friday, April 23, 2010, at the age of seventy-four. Born and raised in Perth, Peter promoted the town and worked to make it a better place in everything he did. Following the examples set by his parents, Ed and Gwyneth Code, Peter saw no distinction between work that supported the town and work that supported his family—they were one and the same. Needless to say, the list of his accomplishments and involvements is long and covers a wide spectrum of interests: Perth Citizens' Band (60+ years), Perth Rotary Club (50+ years), charter member Perth Jaycees, former Perth town councillor, past-president Perth Chamber of Commerce, past-president Probus, director Rideau Lakes-Thousand Islands Travel Council, founding member Friends of the Rideau, active member St. James' Anglican church, active member Progressive Conservative Party, and more. He was also very involved in sports, playing and coaching basketball for many years, being an active member of the Tay Valley Ski Club, reviving the Glen Tay Block Race, and sailing. It was this last interest that led him to found Perth Marine Industries, a manufacturing firm that built Kestrel sailboats in the 1970s. Perth's rich heritage, however, was probably his greatest passion and provided rich material for his extraordinary storytelling skills. These contributions to his community were recognized, most notably with the Canada 125 medal, the Paul Harris Award, the Ontario Heritage Foundation Certificate of Achievement, and the Ontario Volunteer Service Award.

Peter was predeceased in 2004 by his wife Ann. He is survived by his daughters Susan Code McDougall and Erin McLean, his brother David Code, his sisters Jane Robertson and Nancy Roseborough, and his grandchildren, Laura, Thomas and John McLean and Cassandra McDougall.

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