

LACKNER, Joseph Lawrence (Joe) [UNTD CARLETON '51 U-40878] (1930 - 2015) Age: 84



Peacefully in hospital surrounded by family in his 85th year. Loving husband of Connie (née Twolan). Caring father of Colleen Green (Todd) and Paul (Fernando). Cherished grandfather of James, Christopher, Natasha and Tamara Green, and Julien Lackner. Joe will be missed by many nieces, nephews and extended family. Friends may call at the Garden Chapel of Tubman Funeral Homes, 3440 Richmond Rd. (between Bayshore and Baseline Rd.) on Monday March 23rd from 10 a.m. until time of service in the chapel at 12 p.m. reception and burial to follow. In lieu of flowers donations to the Parkinson Society of Ottawa or to Crohn's and Colitis Canada. Condolences, tributes or donations may be made at www.tubmanfuneralhomes.com

Joe was involved in the development of CANADARM for NASA. "1972 Defence Research Establishment, Power Sources Division (Dr. Joseph Lackner), Shirley Bay, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada"

2003 "A TALK by JOE LACKNER "FUEL CELLS" Presented by The Friends of CRC
CRC Auditorium. Thursday, February 27, 2003. 1:00 p.m.

Joe Lackner was D.N.D Program Manager for Fuel cells and Batteries before retirement.

D.N.D pioneered some of the early studies on Fuel Cells from the 1980's on and were responsible in part for the success of the Ballard Fuel Cell. Fuel Cells have been discussed quite often as a viable alternative to gasoline as a source of energy for vehicles. The technology is quite advanced now and is feasible. What is required is an infrastructure for supply and an economical power plant. Some of the problems and benefits of fuel cells and alternative energy will be discussed."

"Dr. Joseph Lackner is an expert on NiCd battery technology, recognized by the Canadian Space Agency, US Air Force and NASA. He was involved in the designing, testing and integration of battery systems for Canada's scientific spacecraft, beginning with Alouette 1. Mr. Lackner is the recipient of the Silver Anniversary Award from the Prime Minister of Canada."

Joe had 3 UNTD summers; '52, '53, '54.

He would have been Commissioned in the Fall of '54, but information on that is elusive.

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