

OBITUARIES

Frank Dalton (February 14, 2010)

Peacefully surrounded by his loving family on Sunday, February 14, 2010 at the Scarborough General Hospital in his 68th year. Cherished husband of Linda. Beloved father of Jacqueline and Fred, Lynnette and Dave, Dave and Velissa. Adored Grandpa of Katherine, Madeline and Elijah, Aisling. Predeceased by his parents Frank and Velma Dalton. Loved son-in-law of Bill and Gladys Erz. Frank was laid to rest at Pine Ridge Cemetery in Ajax. Those who desire may make donations to The United Church of Canada's Mission & Service Fund or Scarborough General Hospital. We are very grateful for the care and concern shown to Frank and his family within the ICU.

Frank served congregations in Saskatchewan, London, Hamilton and Toronto Conferences throughout his ministry career. At the time of his death he was active as a Voluntary Associate Minister at Knob Hill United Church in Toronto Southeast Presbytery, Toronto Conference.

James Homer Dean (May 22, 1913 - March 19, 2010)

Rev. Lt. Col. Homer Dean was truly Paterfamilias to us his children and our families, a large clan of Deans and Woodburns and a huge host of friends from nine to 90. He had a lifelong gift of touching people in ways they treasured: marrying and burying, counselling and comforting. Homer was a skilled carpenter, who rebuilt an 1865 log cabin on Georgian Bay. There he and his treasured wife Jean welcomed visitors every summer for six decades. He archived family histories and artifacts. He read and wrote widely and could converse on almost any topic.

After graduating from Victoria and Emmanuel Colleges, University of Toronto, he served 1940-1950 as United Church Minister in Nobel, Dundalk and Kirkton, Ontario; 1950-1969 with the RCAF in Camp Borden, Germany and Ottawa; and finally at United Church Headquarters, Toronto until 1978. In retirement, he was ever engaged with people and creative projects. Jean Woodburn Dean (1907-2001) was the love of his life. They are survived by three children James, Loral, Tom; seven grandchildren Jacqueline, Seumas, Sofya, Ginger, Yvonne, Cosmo and Jamie; and one great-grandchild Magnus Alexander Belza.

Duncan Kennedy Fleming (September 13, 2009)

Passed away peacefully on Sunday, September 13, 2009 in his 82nd year, surrounded by his family, at Victoria Village Manor in Barrie, Ontario. Recently predeceased by his wife, Eva. Father to Scott (Andrea) of Campbell River, B.C., Leigh of Barrie, Jonathan (Heather) of Kitchener and Sheila Perri (Claudio - deceased) of Oro Station. Predeceased

by brother, Gordon (Mary); sister, Ena Foster. Sadly missed by his brother, Ian (Kit) of Bobcaygeon and sister, Margaret Brown (Claude - deceased) of Minden. He will be fondly remembered by grandchildren, Reena, Mandy, Mike, Ryan, Christy, Erin, Lauren, and three great-grandchildren.

Duncan will be remembered by many as past Pipe Major of the Orillia Legion Pipe Band and founder of the Orillia Scottish Festival. He spent many years as a teacher and proponent of the highland bagpipes to many pipers in Southern Ontario.

Charles Miller (June 24, 1941 – December 26, 2009)

Charles Miller was born in 1941 in Newcastle, New Brunswick. He was ordained in 1965 by the Maritime Conference, Miramichi Presbytery, having been educated at Mount Allison University in Sackville New Brunswick and the Atlantic School of Theology in Halifax. His special training was in church renewal and growth, liturgy, spiritual development and integration of arts and worship (on which topic he had a work published).

He came to Hamilton Conference in 1976 from Winnipeg Presbytery and was called to Erindale United in Halton Presbytery where he served until 1981. He variously served at Runnymede United in Toronto, First United in Waterloo and Fairlawn Heights in Toronto and retired in 2006.

Clifford Pendlebury (June 20th, 2009)

Clifford left us suddenly on June 20th, 2009 at the Scarborough General Hospital, at the age of 59. Loving husband and best friend of Zena Mylopoulos for 32 years. Adoring and proud father of Rachel, Sarah and Paul. Son of the late Edward and Ruby. Cherished brother of Dennis (Linda) of Tottenham, Gordon of Tottenham, Douglas (Sandy) of Whitby and Gail (Terrence) Klodt of Toronto. Beloved brother-in-law of John (Chryss) Mylopoulos of Toronto, Aris (Vivi) Mylopoulos of Athens, Greece, Maria (Panos) Lagos of Athens, Greece. He will be fondly remembered by his nieces and nephews. Cliff will be lovingly missed by Trevor. Loving Pastor of the St. Paul's United Church family.

Cliff was born in Scarborough, Ontario, attended Western University and graduated in theology at Emmanuel College and was ordained at St. Paul's United Church, Midland in 1975. He served charges in Manitoba, Goodwood, Epsom, Utica, Churchill, Gilford and was called to St. Paul's United Church in Midland in 1993, served as Chaplain for the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 80, Midland. He was the recipient of the Award of Merit by the Town of Midland for his continued support of the less fortunate in the community.

Bernard A. Warren (January 11, 1927 -- November 21, 2009)

Peacefully at McMaster University Medical Centre, Hamilton in his 83rd year. Cherished husband of Dorla for 57 years. Loving father of Cindy and her husband Jurgen, the late Stephen (1988) and Daniel and his wife Rosanne. Proud grampa of Jesyka, Skye, William and Lucy. Sadly missed by his extended family and friends.

***In Memoriam* also for:**

Lorand Horvath (June 26, 2009)