Aldo John “Sonny” Vickery

Aldo John “Sonny” Vickery, born in Princeton, British Columbia, in 1937, passed away peacefully on November 18, 2026, at the age of 89.

Sonny was many things throughout his life: a builder, a father, an athlete, a sportsman, and above all, a devoted family man. He was known for his strong work ethic, generous spirit, and unwavering commitment to the people and communities he loved.

As a builder, Sonny spent his life creating quality, affordable homes. He took pride in his craftsmanship, and his legacy can be seen not only in buildings but also in the lives he touched through his honesty, integrity, and dedication to his trade.

While he built homes for others, his greatest accomplishment was building a life with the love of his life, Donna. Together they shared a lifetime of love, partnership, and adventure, raising four children and creating a home filled with warmth, laughter, and lasting memories.

Sonny was predeceased by his beloved wife Donna in June 2026. Their enduring love story remains an inspiration to all who knew them.

He is lovingly remembered by his children: Rick (Sheila), Marguerite (Dave), Frank (Corine), and Tony (Alison).

He was a proud and devoted grandfather to Christina (Mark), Heather (Kevin), Tanya (Darcy), Emily (Kyle), Brandon (Yuna), Alisha (Justin), Ashley (Derrick), Jennifer (Les), Alexis, and Amy (Joshua). He also leaves behind his cherished great-grandchildren Hannah, Calvin, Livia, Jaxson, Veronica, Vanessa, Scott, Madi, Aubrey, and Linden.

Throughout his life, Sonny was an avid hunter and fisherman who found peace and happiness in the outdoors. He cherished time spent on the water, in the woods, and with friends and family sharing stories of adventures and memorable catches.

Sonny participated in many sports over the years, but rugby held a special place in his heart. His passion for sport extended beyond the playing field, and he generously devoted his time to serving in executive positions with Shamrocks Lacrosse, James Bay Rugby, and the Vancouver Island Rugby Union. Through his leadership and volunteer service, he helped support and strengthen the sporting community he loved.

Sonny enjoyed travelling and among his favorite journeys were trips to the United Kingdom, Europe, and Japan.

Those who knew Sonny will remember his strength, wisdom and loyalty to family and friends. He exemplified the values of hard work, perseverance and sportsmanship.

Though his passing leaves a profound void, his family takes comfort knowing Sonny and Donna are together once again. Their love, values, and devotion to family live on in the generations that follow.

Many thanks to the staff of Beckley Farm Lodge who provided care to Sonny during his final months.

A service to honour Sonny's life will be held at the **Greek Orthodox Church, 4648 Elk Lake Drive**, Victoria, BC on Tuesday, December 1, 2026, at 11:00am with reception following at the Greek Church Grand Hall.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the **Alzheimer Society of BC** or Broadmead Care.

Condolences may be offered to the family below.

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