

Ludwig Wilhelm Rolf Ullrich

In loving memory...

Ludwig Wilhelm Rolf Ullrich died peacefully at his family home on October 21, 2023, in Victoria, B.C.

Rolf was predeceased by his loving wife, Brigitte Ullrich. He will be greatly missed by his four children, Susanne (Kenton), Annette (Jozef), Karl (Liz) and Stefanie (Tim); and 9 grandchildren (Nicholas, Alexander, Tatiana, Josephine, Emma, Heidi, Olivia, Genevieve and Andreas).

Rolf was born on July 24, 1928, in Bonn, Germany. After the war, Rolf spent three years as an apprentice gardener in Lake Constance followed by 'ein Paar Wanderjaehre' in Germany and Switzerland. He immigrated to Canada on the Arosa Star in 1955. Six months later, Brigitte, his wife-to-be of 66 years joined him.

Rolf started as a labourer in a lumber mill but soon transitioned to the tourist industry by buying a small motel on Gorge Road. He was an incredibly hard worker, very astute and willing to take risks. Although he grew his company over time, his original venture, the Robin Hood Motel, still stands today after 60 years in business. He was a man of integrity and principles – his word was his bond.

While he worked extremely hard, Rolf also knew how to enjoy life. He loved playing cards, especially Bridge and Skat. He was extremely knowledgeable about world affairs and enjoyed a good political debate. Nothing would bring him more joy than winning a chess game except for perhaps a great day on the stock market! He had a wonderful singing voice and loved classical music.

Last but not least, he was an incredible provider for his family. His responsibility towards his family came first and

foremost as demonstrated through his love, generosity, and unconditional support.

We would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to Erna Heinicke who took such great care of our father and made it possible for him to live his final years in his home which he created with Brigitte and loved so much.

A memorial service will be held on Monday, December 18, 2023 at 1:00 p.m. in the Sequoia Centre at McCall Gardens, 4665 Falaise Drive, Victoria, B.C.

Condolences may be offered to the family below.

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