

Robert Lewis (Higgy) Higgins

February 28, 1952 – February 07, 2012

It is with great sadness that we announce the sudden passing of Rob (Higgy) Higgins in Victoria. Predeceased by his eldest son Kyle and youngest son Timothy, Rob is survived by his loving wife Marian, son Nathan, brothers Tom (Frances) and David, and extended family members.

Rob's career was with the federal government, one year with DND and thirty six years with the Correctional Service of Canada from which he retired as a Correctional Manager. Rob was proud of his work with the CSC, especially his ten years as the Institutional Emergency Response Team Leader, and as a weapons instructor. Since his retirement from the CSC, Rob took on additional work with both Da Silva Landscaping and most recently for Greyhound Parcel Delivery.

From his youth, Rob was an avid sportsman who had a special love for soccer and softball, playing for many years for both the Gorge and the Juan De Fuca Associations.

Rob had a quick wit, a wicked and sometimes outrageous sense of humor, and loved to laugh. He will be sorely missed by his family and friends, especially his numerous "coffee buddies".

In respecting Rob's wishes, a Cremation has taken place and his ashes will be scattered at a later date. There will be a Celebration of his Life on Friday February 17, 2012 from 1:00 pm until 3:00 pm, at the Royal Canadian Legion on Station Road in Langford. Flowers are respectfully declined but if his friends and colleagues so wish, contributions can be made to the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Victoria BC and Yukon.

Condolences may be offered to the family below.

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