

John Alexander McLean of Point Edward passed away in his 89th year at St. Joseph's Hospice after suffering from the effects of Mesothelioma. He was the treasured best friend and husband of Helen Marie McLean (McLachlin) for almost 63 years. They were blessed with 5 children: Ann, Sharon (Mike Fromow), Joy, Douglas (Karen White) and Sandra (John Boyachek). Cherished by 11 grandchildren: Jana (Patrick) DesRochers, Rosanne (Jason) Bakker, Scott (Bethany) Stephenson, David (Jade) Fromow and Mark Fromow, Jacob, Kaleb and Nathan McLean, Benjamin, Joshua and Nelena Boyachek. Proud great-grandpa of: André, Alexandre, Mathieu DesRochers; Callum, Ellie, Silas and Declan Bakker; Isabella Fromow and Everly Stephenson. Lovingly remembered by brothers: Donald (Gayle), Roy and sister Jean (Ron) Hemsley. Predeceased by: parents - Cameron and Edna McLean, in-laws, Gordon and Nelena McLachlin, brother Allan (Marion) McLean, brothers-in-law John and Don McLachlin. Alex grew up in the Camlachie area, then was a long time resident of Point Edward. He was a faithful member of Temple Baptist Church for over 62 years. He was a quiet, selfless man whose passion was to be a faithful follower of Christ. The family is so grateful for the wonderful, compassionate care of Dr. Crombeen and the staff at St. Joseph's Hospice. Also, we want to thank our amazing home care team Jason and Kyle who went above and beyond providing excellent care to our father for 14 months.

Absent from the body, present with the Lord.

2 Corinthians 5:18

To God be the Glory!

Family and friends will be received at SMITH FUNERAL HOME, 1576 London Line, Sarnia from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 21, 2018. A memorial service to celebrate Alex's life will be held at Temple Baptist Church, 1410 Quinn Drive, Sarnia at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, June 22, 2018. Sympathy may be expressed through donations to St. Joseph's Hospice or the Inn of the Good Shepherd (cheques only at the funeral home please).

FUNERAL DETAILS