

Macłowich, James “Jim, Jimmy” Peter

December 9, 2024



James “Jim, Jimmy” Peter Macłowich

James “Jim, Jimmy” Peter Macłowich aged 71 years of Tuxford, SK, passed away on Wednesday, November 20th, 2024. Jim was born in Moose Jaw, SK on August 9th, 1953. After graduating from Central Collegiate, Jim married Oralyn Biggs and had two children, Jill Nevada Dawn and Caleb Darby James. Jim and Oralyn moved to Saskatoon, SK for Jim to further his education at the University of Saskatchewan where he wrote his Alsat after 2 years and was granted entrance into the pursuit of Law, of which he graduated from in 1983. Jim and the family moved back to Moose Jaw where Jim was named partner at the law firm Whittaker, Craik, Chow & Macłowich. He excelled in court room law, working as a defense attorney for many years. Jim and Oralyn eventually divorced and years later he parted with law and was one day employed with LiUNA Labour Union until the time

of his passing.

Jim was very passionate about cooking and was an impeccable chef. He was part owner and ran the kitchen at The Wooden Horse Bistro in Moose Jaw. Jim really enjoyed reading and would read book upon book upon magazine upon book. He also liked playing cards and trivia games with family. He was highly creative and had numerous interests, including sketching, creating rings from silver and stones, politics, horticulture, and was knowledgeable in many, many aspects of information. He was a very intelligent man.

He was predeceased by his parents, Peter and Mae Maclowich. Jim leaves behind his children, Jill (Rob) Kenyon and Caleb (Stephanie) Maclowich; grandchildren, Emily and Pierce; brothers, Brent (Marlys) and Bruce (Tracy); nieces: Andie, Jessica, and Emily; as well as his great nieces and nephews.

A Private Family Service will be held to honour Jim at a later date. Arrangements are entrusted to Moose Jaw Funeral Home, 268 Mulberry Lane. Cara Ashworth, Funeral Director 306-693-4550

1.



Heather Hodgson on December 9, 2024 at 7:35 pm

Very sorry to learn of the loss of James. My condolences to the family—Brent it's been a very long time—and to his friends and colleagues. Legal friends of mine thought very well of James. Nice to read in his obituary that he seemed to have filled up his cup of life with many interests. Rest in peace James.

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2.



Brenda Humphrey nee Lojek on December 9, 2024 at 9:14 pm

My condolences to Jim's family and all who shared in his life . Rest easy my friend

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3.



Nancy Cornell McCurdy on December 10, 2024 at 12:11 pm

So very sorry Bruce and Brent and families, to read of Jims passing. Growing up next door to you all, brings back such endearing memories.. My thoughts are with you .

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4.



The Skagen Family on December 11, 2024 at 7:59 am

A friend to our family for decades, especially the close friendship you had with our brother; his passing impacted you greatly.

Jimmy, our mom loved you like a son, and we loved you as a family member. Unique, unassuming, and introspective, a contemplative man with knowledge beyond measure, yet never arrogant or boastful.

Thank you for being a valued presence in our lives, and such a great listener, talker, and teacher.

Now, like when we lost our brother (your chosen

brother),we will miss YOU greatly and share stories of you, some positive, some not so:)
With much love, respect, and a genuine appreciation for who you were,
The Skagen Family
Condolences to Jill, Caleb and to those who genuinely cared about you and your wellbeing
(we know there are many who are, “full of sh—”, as you would say :).

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5.



Bob Clarke on December 11, 2024 at 11:07 am

Sending my condolences to Jim's family. I have so many great memories of my friendship with Jim. We had many weekend adventures including motorcycle road trips, fishing at Buffalo Pound, and visiting. He will be very much missed.

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6.



Ronald Bruce Lamb on December 11, 2024 at 8:01 pm

My condolences on the passing of Jim Maclowich to his family generally.

It appears he had a rewarding life, well-educated.

Interesting he was from Tuxford, where I had family at one time and in the farm area.

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7.



davelaughton on December 12, 2024 at 3:46 pm

It's been decades since I lived in Moose Jaw and knew Jim. While there I faced some financial challenges which required some legal help.

Jim told me what to do and how to do it and said I could come by any time for advice.

When I asked about what I owed he said ...nothing, glad to help.

Truly a good man with a heart

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8.



Terry Venables on December 17, 2024 at 11:56 pm

Jim was truly a cool guy and an inspiration to many ... He always had a great wisdom about him and a superb sense of humour. I had forgotten until reading some comments that he liked making silver rings and jewellery... Many interesting pursuits including motorbikes. He was a way ahead of the curve on so many levels. My condolences to his family & children , Brent and Bruce who I also knew as friends for many years... A way back when...

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9.



Sandi Nixon on December 18, 2024 at 11:26 am

I am so sad to read this news. I've known Jim since the 70's. He was always such a good man. I know he will be missed.

My condolences to his family and their spouses.

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10.



Sheila Timoruski on December 20, 2024 at 7:21 am

So very sorry to hear of Jim's passing. Growing up next door the Maclowich family, they always felt more like family than neighbours. Our deepest sympathies to the Brent and Bruce, Jill and Caleb and families.

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11.



Don Dutchak Lacombe Alberta on January 7, 2025 at 12:12 am

Sorry to hear of Jim passing, its been a long time since I had seen him and had many a good time with Jim back in the day. My condolences to Jims Family!! Was an honor to have known Jim and to have him as a friend....

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12.



Eric Wilmot on March 7, 2025 at 10:43 am

I am sorry to hear of Jim's passing. Saw the notice in the University of Saskatchewan Green and White publication.

Jim and I were law school classmates. I was always impressed by his ability to find time for his family responsibilities, with 2 small children and a wife, while dealing with the demanding commitment of law school studies.

Jim always had an interesting way of dealing with challenges, often in a humble and non-chalant manner. My condolences to his family.

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