Meuse, William Patrick

December 20, 2024

WILLIAM PATRICK MEUSE

December 30th, 1957 – December 16th, 2024

William Patrick Meuse “Pat” aged 66 years of Moose Jaw, SK, passed away on Monday, December 16th, 2024. Pat was born in Halifax, Nova Scotia to Francis William and Francis Veronica Meuse. He was the second oldest of eight children.

Pat worked at Ben Bakery at the age of fifteen. He joined the Air Cadets and received his pilot’s license. Pat then joined the Canadian Air Force in 1976 to become a pilot, but that road did not work out. He changed course and became an Air Traffic Controller, which he did for 33 years.

Pat met his wife Margaret in 1977, and they were married on September 2nd, 1978, which lasted 46 years before his passing.

They were posted to many different places during their time in the Forces, from Portage la Prairie, Shearwater, Halifax, Dartmouth, Trenton, Belleville, Downsview, Winnipeg, and finally to Moose Jaw where he retired. Pat went back to school and became an IT Technician and worked for the City of Moose Jaw for 3 years.

Pat was a member of the Knights of Columbus Council 9760, serving as Grand Knight and Financial Secretary. He was also the Master of the 4th Degree Saskatchewan and a member of the Saskatchewan Commission.

Pat was always willing to help anyone with anything, from computer problems to building ramps for neighbours and friends, and floats for the Knights.

He was predeceased by is parents, Francis and Francis Meuse; parents-in-law, Don and Margaret McKinnon; sister, Francis Hounsell; both sets of grandparents; and nephew, Don McKinnon. Pat is survived by his wife, Margaret; his dog, cats, and turtle; godson, Colton Holder and niece, Lisa Walsh – who they had special names for each other, his was Ugly One and hers was Monster; brothers: Joe (Joanne); Erick (Diamond), Roy (Mary), David (Mary), and Roger; sister, Yvonne; brothers-in-law: Bob (Marion), Don (Brenda), and Jim (Diane); sisters-in-law, Thursa (Roy) and Donna (Jeff); as well as numerous nieces and nephews, and many friends.

The Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Monday, December 30th, 2024 at 11:00 a.m. at Church of Our Lady, 566 Vaughan St, Moose Jaw. Father Nestor Gregoire will be the presiding celebrant and interment will take place in Rosedale Cemetery. **Those not able to attend may view the service by going to Zoom – Meeting ID: 838 9298 7289 Passcode: 077783.** As an expression of sympathy, donations in Pat’s name may be made to the Saskatchewan Knights of Columbus Charitable Foundation, PO Box 61, Moose Jaw, SK S6H 4N7. Arrangements are entrusted to Moose Jaw Funeral Home, 268 Mulberry Lane. Michelle Ellis, Funeral Director 306-693-4550

1.

Brian Acker on December 21, 2024 at 11:36 am

So sorry to hear of Pats passing. Pat was wonderful to work with at the City of Moose Jaw, he always had a fix for our computer problems and was always cheerful and upbeat. He will be missed.

Reply

2.

Gale Ellis on December 22, 2024 at 2:02 pm

I send my sincere condolences during this time of deep sorrow. The Bible gives a comforting hope that your loved one will come to life again on a beautiful paradise earth when death will be no more in John 5:28, 29 and Acts 24:15,

Reply

3.

Kim Layberry (formerly St-Pierre) on December 27, 2024 at 8:15 am

I am so sorry to hear of Pat’s passing. My deepest condolences to Margaret and family.
Pat was instrumental in helping me survive the ATC unit in Moose Jaw. He was always available to offer assistance, guidance and answer any questions, even after it was strongly advised not to seek him out by direct leadership.

Something we can both laugh over now.
A true gentleman, and professional, he was kind and caring and I am sorry he is gone.

Rest now Pat, your battle is over.

Reply

4.

Linda Stirton on December 30, 2024 at 12:23 am

Margaret, my sincere condolences. Pat was always so pleasant at work and I know that he will be missed by many. Cherish the special memories. With sincerest sympathy.

Reply

5.

Tex & Sherry Young on January 8, 2025 at 9:07 pm

With our deepest sympathy hearing of Pat’s passing. He will be deeply missed. Our deepest respect and gratitude for his on going support with our relationship with our faith. Heaven has another beautiful angel. God bless his wife and family.

Reply