



Melvin Charles White

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With heavy hearts, we announce the passing of Melvin Charles White, age 70, who left us peacefully in hospice care after a courageous battle with cancer. He was surrounded by the love of his family in his final moments.

Born in North Sydney on September 14, 1954, Melvin was known for his warm heart, sharp wit, and generous spirit. He is predeceased by his loving parents, Doris and Melvin White, and his sister-in-law, Debbie White.

Melvin is survived by his devoted wife, Gloria White; his siblings Brenda(Wayne) Ketching, James(Brenda) White, Anne(Dan) McCormick, Paula(Donnie) MacLellan, Theresa(Bruno) Richard, Reggie(Pat) White, Lori(Gord) Hardy, Chris (Yvette)White, and Martha(John)Massia; his daughter Brenda(Joseph)Cameron; sons Jordan White, Christopher Drake (Jessica)and their son Jackson, Nicholas Drake; and his cherished granddaughters, Hailey and Kylee— who were truly the lights of his life.He is also survived by many neices and nephews. His loyal dog, Tango, was never far from his side and held a special place in Melvin’s heart.

Melvin loved nothing more than soaking up the sun in the Caribbean and sharing laughs with his loved ones.It brings comfort to know his final wish will

be honored—his ashes will be spread in the Caribbean, a place that brought him so much joy.

Melvin's warmth, humor, and unwavering love for his family will be sorely missed but never forgotten.

A special thank you to Dr. Ruth Turner for her support and genuine care during his battle, and to the staff at Halifax Hospice for the exceptional and compassionate care they gave Melvin in his final weeks.

A celebration of life will be held at Austinville Owl's Club in Dartmouth on June 1st from 2-5 p.m.

Tribute Wall

JA

“ *Mel was a true gentleman and so welcoming in his role at Embassy Towers. We met in 2019 and once we realized that we were both from North Sydney we had an instant connection. Mel was an all round great guy!* ”

John Anderson - June 02, 2025 at 02:20 PM

JC

“ *Skip and Janet Caines lit a candle for Melvin White. He was a great friend to Skip. May he rest in peace* ”



Janet Caines - May 29, 2025 at 06:05 PM

CH

“ *Christina lit a candle in memory of Melvin Charles White* ”



Christina - May 28, 2025 at 01:06 PM

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“ *I am so sorry for the loss of Mel, he was the absolute best doorman at Embassy Towers and could brighten anyone's day. May he rest in peace* ”

Christina - May 28, 2025 at 01:05 PM

KA

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Katie - May 28, 2025 at 09:05 AM

RM

“ Mel was always very kind and cheerful to everyone who came through the doors at Embassy Towers. We all miss him. My visitors always said that they were impressed by his attitude towards them.

Rose Marie Mahar - May 27, 2025 at 05:31 PM

LH

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Lori hardy - May 27, 2025 at 07:55 AM

RC

“ Ray & Pam Champlain lit a candle in memory of Melvin Charles White



Ray & Pam Champlain - May 27, 2025 at 07:22 AM

RC

We both enjoyed working with Mel. He was a true gentleman, lots of fun and always had a daily joke to tell. Our condolences to Gloria and family.

Ray & Pam Champlain - May 31, 2025 at 07:06 PM

LH

“ So many wonderful memories, Mel was always so good to me & my family in every way. He especially enjoyed horseplay with my grandson Jax. XoXo

Lori Hardy - May 25, 2025 at 05:12 PM

MG

“ Marilyn Gray & Al Gray lit a candle in memory of Melvin Charles White



Marilyn Gray & Al Gray - May 25, 2025 at 03:42 PM