



Peter Lowes

August 27, 1943 - April 14, 2025

The family of Peter Lowes is saddened to announce his passing on April 14th, 2025 at the age of 81, following a lengthy illness. He is survived by his loving wife of 57 years, Mary (nee Dalton); sons Jason (Akemi Murakami), Jonathan (Nadine Flannigan); grandchildren Kaela, Abigayle, and Nathaniel; his brother Christopher (Jan Simpson), in-laws Al Dalton, Ronald McDonald, Margie Goldie, Charlie Dalton, Tony Dalton, Pauline Spinney, Eileen Dalton, John Dalton, and Monica Syms.

Peter was predeceased by his parents, George and Margery, brother Clifford, his mother-in-law Genevieve, and father-in-law Albert Dalton, and sisters-in-law Gwen Dalton and Margaret Lowes (nee Lord).

Peter was a great husband and father: always warm, generous, and funny. He loved to spend time with his family, and his most joyous moments were when his grandchildren came to visit, and during his walks with his faithful pup, Emma. The happy smiles associated with time spent with Peter will not fade. Peter was born in West Auckland, County Durham, England, and as a young man joined the Royal Navy. Of his many voyages, the most fateful was in 1967 when his ship stopped at Sydney, Cape Breton. This is where he met a captivating nursing student, and his future bride, Mary. After leaving the navy, the two settled in Canada, where Peter spent much of his career at Nova Scotia Power. Yet, he always loved to reminisce about his navy days.

Peter's family is grateful for the care and support of the dedicated staff of the QEII Palliative Care Team, Continuing Care Nova Scotia, the Victorian Order

of Nurses, and the exceptional care given by the staff of ParaMed. Thank you.
Cremation has taken place. The ceremony will be a family event.

Calm seas and fare winds shipmate. Stand easy.

Tribute Wall

GE

“ *Mary, Jon, Nadine, Nate and Abi, I'm so sorry to hear this sad news. Please accept my condolences.* ”

geraldineflannigan - April 18, 2025 at 04:48 PM

ML

Thanks Geraldine, and also me and Peter were very sorry to hear of Gus' passing.

Mary Lowes - April 19, 2025 at 09:44 AM

JL

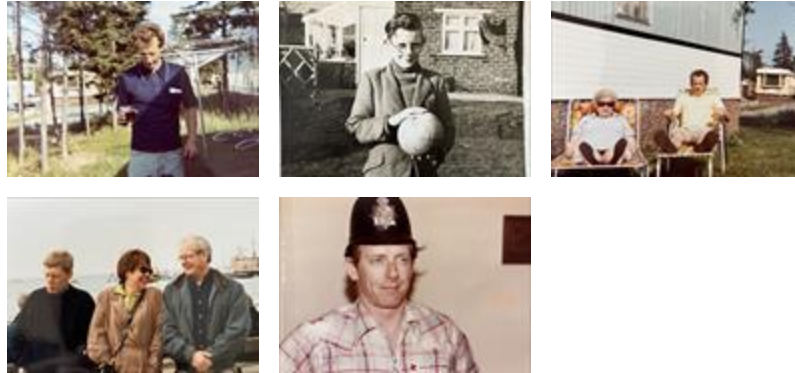
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Jason Lowes - April 18, 2025 at 11:21 AM

JL

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Jason Lowes - April 18, 2025 at 11:16 AM

CG

“ Peter was a much loved cousin who we spent a lot of time together with as children making memories at family get togethers. He spent some time living with us when Christopher was born and we all thought of him as a brother. We enjoyed when the family came on visits to England . We are very grateful for the care and love Peter received from his beloved Mary. Will miss him so much. One of my favourite photographs of Peter, Clifford, my brother Keith and me, apparently we were all a nightmare !



christine Gordon - April 18, 2025 at 08:21 AM

PW

“ Mary

Thinking of you at this time.

Peggy Wilson RN (Rey's)

Peggy Wilson - April 18, 2025 at 08:15 AM

LH

“ I will always remember when my brother Tom and I were young we would go spend a week in the summer with Mary, Peter, Jason and Jonathan. One of the highlights was always going downtown Halifax, to Citadel Hill, with a picnic lunch and meeting Peter on his lunch break when he worked at Nova Scotia Power. Another fond memory is being at our grandparents in Sydney for Christmas - with many of our cousins and Peter reading us *The Night Before Christmas*. It seemed so much more authentic with his British accent. Peter will definitely be missed, but all of our lives were better knowing him. May he rest in peace.



Laura Holland - April 17, 2025 at 03:45 PM

CL

“ Peter as a much younger man at home with his Mum and Dad, brother Clifford and his wife Margaret, and of course his younger brother, me. I was always thrilled at these rare times I had both my older brothers at home on leave.



Christopher Lowes - April 17, 2025 at 02:46 PM

RB

“ My memories of Peter are from the early 1960s. Peter came to stay with us (my father was Peters mother's brother)while on leave from the Royal Navy. He love drawing ships. Peter and I would walk along the banks of the River Tyne where we would find a scene to draw. He was an amazing artist, and a very loving and caring lad.
Condolences to Mary and family.

Robert Black - April 17, 2025 at 11:31 AM

JL

Thank you for sharing these memories of Peter.

Jason Lowes - April 17, 2025 at 01:37 PM

EA

Peter was our Neighbor for nearly fifty years, and a Dam fine one. Being an ex-sailor, we had a lot in common. I can remember riding his bike for hours at a time. One fond memory was when Peter broke his leg working on his shed roof and the neighbors banded together to finish it. Peter supervised from a chair, making sure we got it right. We shared the odd glass of Guinness which he loved dearly. He raised two phenomenal boys, and his outstanding Lady Mary looked after him when he was ill. he was so lucky to have her. I will miss you, dear Friend.

Earle - April 18, 2025 at 09:09 AM

BD

*Sad to see another of my West Auckland peers depart to pastures new. I attended Mill Bank infants and St Helens Juniors with Peter. I remember his brother Clifford at the Grammar School and his father. Can see the letter now in his Untied bus drivers big coat. Unfortunately like many we all went our separate ways later without keeping in touch but my memories of those days are shinny bright.
RIP Peter
bruce.dodsworth@outlook.com*

bruce dodsworth - April 18, 2025 at 10:31 AM

AD

Mary, Jason & Jonathan

Michelle, Tyler and I are deeply saddened to learn of the recent passing of Peter. I remember the first time I met Peter. I accompanied Mary to the local train station to meet him. I remember that we waited for what seemed like a few hours but maybe it just seemed that way. Anyway, we must have been there for a while as the story goes that Peter had to carry me; a much younger lad part way home as I was sleepy at 2;30 in the morning.

Peter soon became part of our family and there were many visits to Cape Breton over the years. Peter was interesting, knowledgeable and liked to engage in discussion. No doubt he liked the Dalton Gang and the card games etc. A wonderful person who will be truly missed but not forgotten by all who have come to know him.

*Sincerely,
Tony Dalton*

Anthony Dalton - April 18, 2025 at 02:26 PM

ML

Thanks Tony. I remember that well. Peter was surprised at how slowly the trains travelled between Halifax and Sydney and that you could not even buy a beer. I took you with me for protection and you did a good job. Peter married into a big family and he always enjoyed having so many brothers and sisters in law. Thank you, Love Mary

Mary Lowes - April 19, 2025 at 07:15 AM

FR

So sorry Mary & Family for your Loss-Peter was a lovely man & didn't deserve all the sickness he had! But Mary was a great wife who took very good care of him!

Fran Robinson - April 24, 2025 at 08:44 AM