



Ross Elwood Baker

May 10, 2025

Ross Elwood Baker passed away peacefully at Victoria General Hospital on May 10, 2025. Known affectionately as Junior to those who knew him best, he was a man characterized by his handy skills, his sense of humour, and his unwavering ability to love.

His educational pursuits led him to the Nova Scotia Institute of Technology, where he graduated with a Welding Certificate in 1965. This set the stage for a fulfilling career, where Ross plied his trade with precision and pride as a welder at the Halifax Shipyards and the HMC Dockyard. Ross was a seasoned fisherman out of the waters off East Jeddore and the Eastern Shore, the place he grew up and always held close to his heart.

Ross's life was rich with interests that spoke to his vibrant personality. His passion for NASCAR races was more than just a pastime—it was a collection, especially of Dale Earnhardt memorabilia that he treasured deeply. The great outdoors was his playground, where he revelled in camping, hunting, and sport fishing, forging lasting memories. Even at home, Ross's enthusiasm was palpable as he eagerly watched WWE wrestling, engaging with the excitement and drama of each match.

He leaves behind his common-law partner of 7 years, Heather Dechman of Bedford, , his uncle and friend, Lloyd Wright of Brookfield, and his aunt, Lena

Wright of Inverrary, Ontario, his daughter, Colleen Baker Simpson and cousins and nieces. Ross was predeceased by his beloved mother, Marguerite Wright, his father, Ross Baker, Sr., and his sister, Brenda LeBlanc.

A Service will be held at a later date.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Sandy Gordon & Till Meyer-Gordon lit a candle in memory of Ross Elwood Baker*



Sandy Gordon & Till Meyer-Gordon - May 18, 2025 at 11:34 AM

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“ *Colleen Baker Simpson lit a candle in memory of Ross Elwood Baker*



Colleen Baker Simpson - May 16, 2025 at 09:29 AM

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“ *So sorry Heather,,but actually facing the expected is hard but easier than waiting for you know what is going to happen.God will help you carry on & look forward.Momories are so important. Louise*

Louise - May 15, 2025 at 09:13 AM