

James "Jim" Anderson

12 May, 1934 - 17 February, 2026



It is with deep sadness that his family announces that James (Jim) Anderson passed away peacefully on February 17th, 2026 in his 92nd year. He was the loving son of the late Captain Frank and Margaret Anderson. He was predeceased by his best friend of over 60 years Roly Lusted. Left to mourn his passing is Barbara Anderson, his loving wife of over 57 years, his beloved son Robert Anderson and husband Professor Gabe Reedy and sister-in-law Linda Larrett. Daughter Margaret Anderson and grandson Ollie Anderson. His best golfing buddy Karl Quade was close for many years. As a child during the war he was one of the "Operation Pied Piper" children. He was sent by train with his name around his neck from Glasgow to the English farm countryside. Jim had a full and active life. He was an accomplished dart board player, a member of Chedoke and Oak Gables Golf Courses. He was a member of the Hamilton Studebaker Drivers Club and the Avanti Club.

Jim was fond of music, especially The Beatles and Gordon Lightfoot. He often played their music on his guitar. Jim repaired old clocks and pocket watches. He was a member of the NAWCC and Horological Society of Great Britain. Living on a ravine allowed Jim to enjoy watching all the wildlife. Jim was a Marine Engineer in Britain's Merchant Navy so he got to see many wonderful countries. While working on a ship in 1954 the captain took the ship into Hurricane Hazel. The eye was totally calm but then you have to go through the hurricane to get back out. Fortunately, all survived.

Jim came to Canada and worked for Westinghouse, Otis Elevator and was an inspector for Baker Truck (forklifts).

As per Jim's wishes cremation has taken place followed by a private burial. There will be no public service.