



GORDON TRIDER

On Tuesday, June 9, 2015, Gord passed away peacefully at Deer Lodge Center, at the age of 93 years, after a lengthy battle with cancer. Left to mourn Gord's passing are his companion, Verna Walker of 40 years; son Ken (Nadia); grandchildren, Devon and Giselle of Toronto; daughter, Elizabeth; nephew, Bob Scott (Christine) of Calgary; Verna's extended family, Gwenda, Perry and Patti; eight grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren and numerous friends. He was predeceased by his first wife, Irene; eldest son, Frank; brother, Harold (Margaret) and sisters, June and Marvel. Gord worked at the University of Manitoba for 38 years after serving in the Canadian Air Force in WWII. Verna and Gord were snowbirds for 21 winters, mainly in Florida, enjoying the Gulf and numerous golf courses. Gord loved golfing and was a member of Southwood Golf Course for 30 years. An unfortunate head injury caused him to take up residence at Deer Lodge Centre. Our sincere appreciation to all the wonderful, caring staff at Tower 5. In compliance with Gord's wishes, no formal Funeral Service will be held. A Celebration of Gord's Life will be held by family at a later date. "He was a prince of a guy and will be truly missed by family and all who knew him".