



## Ronald James Ron Lorway 2022

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Ronald James Lorway, age 81, passed away peacefully at the Cape Breton Regional Hospital, Sydney, on Wednesday, February 9, 2022.

Born September 17, 1940, in Sydney, he was the son of the late John and Charlotte (Spears) Lorway.

Dad supported and loved his family dearly. He was kind and would help anyone who needed it. He worked hard his whole life and provided a beautiful home and a safe life for us all. He built the home we live in and every inch of this home has been touched, fixed and maintained by him. He had an ingenious brain that could find a fix or solution to any problem. He always knew exactly what to do in any situation. He was the backbone of support for our entire family. He was a wonderfully social, happy and supportive husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather. He loved his family very much and was always there for them. He had a special bond with his great-grandson, Avery, who he loved dearly. We will all miss him immensely.

Ron put his heart and soul into his work. He was an electrician by trade and was a proud member of IBEW, local 1852 for 55 years. His career was spent at Lynk Electric, where he was a valued employee. After his retirement, he worked at Sid's Electric for a number of years.

Ron was a person who loved helping others and always enjoyed doing it. He was a volunteer for the Children's Wish Foundation, the Boys & Girls Club in Whitney Pier and the Salvation Army Christmas Kettle Campaign.

Dad and his brother-in-law, Sid travelled to Haiti many times, where his sister, Margaret Ann was a nun in service. He did electrical work on medical clinics, schools, as well as other projects. He also mentored and taught his trade to several Haitians, which opened up a livelihood for them.

Ron is survived by his wife, Shirley (Fifield); daughter, Charlotte (Shawn) MacDonald; son, Darren Lorway; grandchildren, Shara, Ashley, Kelsey and Moira; great-grandson, Avery; great-granddaughters, Lily and Bella; and his sister, Margaret Ann Lorway fj.

Besides his parents, Ron was predeceased by his daughter, Dana Lorway Fraser (Trevor); sisters, Joan (in infancy), Carmel Chase and Jane LaRusic; and stepmother, Etta Lorway.

Thank you to Dr. Greg Myatt and Janice Black, Dr. Kelly Wiggins and staff at the Geriatric Clinic, Dr. Abboud, as well as the nurses and staff of 3B who did their best to make Ron comfortable

Due to Covid-19 restrictions, a funeral service for family will be held at Sydney Memorial Chapel on Monday, February 14, 2022 at 2 p.m. with Lieutenants Dion and Jenelle Durdle officiating. Interment will take place in Forest Haven Memorial Gardens at a later date. You can view the service on Facebook Live by visiting the Sydney Memorial Chapel Facebook page. Memorials may be made to the Alzheimers Society of Canada.

Words of comfort can be sent to the family at [www.sydney Memorial Chapel.ca](http://www.sydney Memorial Chapel.ca) or e-mail [sydney Memorial Chapel@ns.sympatico.ca](mailto:sydney Memorial Chapel@ns.sympatico.ca)

Our most sincere sympathies to the family and friends of Ronald James Ron Lorway 2022..