



Gillis, Alexander Charles

Alexander Charles Gillis Baddeck/Dartmouth

It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of Alex Gillis, a beloved husband, son and brother. Alex passed away peacefully at home on October 19, 2020 with his wife by his side. He was born in Baddeck, NS on April 22, 1964. Alex is survived by his wife, Tish MacDonald, Dartmouth; stepsons, Josh (Candace) MacDonald, Alex (Lou) MacDonald, Gregory MacDonald; his mother Margaret Gillis, Baddeck; sisters, Qwynn (Kenny) Shaw, Baddeck; Jean Gillis, Edmonton, Alberta; Grace Miller, Sydney, NS; his special friend and brother, Douglas (Christy Oakley) Gillis, Middle River, NS. He was predeceased by his father, Lloyd Gillis.

Alex inherited his Dad's amazing mechanical ability. He was a "self described" inventor and spent many wonderful days building and driving his locally famous "Cycle Buggy" in his Dartmouth neighborhood. Alex loved nature, he and Tish enjoyed and spent many wonderful days hiking and mountain biking in the "Home of his heart, Cape Breton."

Memorial donations in memory of Alex may be made to QEII Palliative Care or a charity of your choice. A private family service will be held at a later date in Baddeck Forks. Arrangements are under the care of Sunset Funeral Co-operative. Online condolences: www.sunsetfuneralco-op.com