



BEATON
ANGUS
GERARD
"JERRY"

Angus Gerard (Jerry) Beaton, aged 79, of Mabou, passed away peacefully at home on April 4th, 2022 surrounded by his loving family. Jerry was the son of the late Angus and Rebecca (MacDonald) Beaton.

Jerry is survived by his loving wife of 52 years, Sarah (MacPherson), along with his four children, Blaine (Melissa), Kerry, Lindsay (Chris), and Jenna (Tyler). His children will forever value the morals, respect and faith he taught them. He was known as 'Papa' to his eleven grandchildren; Carly, Drew, Laura, Konstantin, Ellie, Reid, Nate, Liam, Jaylin, Arlo and Vaeda. He was so proud of them and freely gave each of them the gift of his time, wisdom and love. Jerry also leaves to mourn, his cherished siblings, sisters; Matilda (Gus) Cameron, Anne Beaton, Elizabeth (Jim) Campbell, brothers; Neil (Marion), Gus (Mary Frances), as well as many nieces and nephews.

Besides his parents he was predeceased by his brother Donald, brother in law Angus Jerome Beaton and niece Becky Beaton.

Jerry worked as a hard rock miner in his early years and later for Ceilidh Fisherman's Co-op. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus and a faithful parishioner of St. Mary's Church in Mabou.

Jerry was a true gentleman. He made everyone around him feel comfortable in his quiet, gentle way. He enjoyed the simple pleasures of life and spending time with family and friends around the Beaton farm which gave him a sense of pride and purpose. Jerry was a true innovator, he could find a hundred uses for a piece of baler twine, nothing was ever thrown away and his solutions for solving problems were uniquely his own.

A special thank you to the wonderful Palliative Care team, in particular Lori Ann Gillis, who was so generous with her time and whose kind manner was invaluable to Jerry as well as to his family. Thank you also to Dr. Mark Bennett, Dr. John Ritter, Dr. Kate MacInnis and Dr. Ron MacCormick who helped Jerry so much over the years. He felt blessed by the exceptional medical care he received. A heartfelt thank you to Melissa, who was devoted to Jerry and who lovingly cared for him throughout his illness. Jerry and Melissa had a special relationship and the family are very grateful for all her love and support these past years.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, April 7 at 7-9 p.m. in the vestry of St. Mary's Church, Mabou. Funeral Mass will take place on Friday, April 8 at 11:00 a.m. with Father Danny MacLennan officiating. Burial in the parish cemetery. The family requests that masks be worn. Donations in memory of Jerry may be made to Central Inverness Palliative Care. Family flowers only. Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Sunset Funeral Home.

“Take care of your family, be good to your friends, and tell a good story”.