

Barry Philip Hoffos of Assiniboia, SK passed away on December 29, 2025, at the age of 79 years. Barry was born in Swift Current, SK, on July 16, 1946, the first child of Tip and Sylvia Hoffos, who were in the process of moving to Dinsmore, SK. In 1958, when Barry was 12 years old, the family—now including Brian, Donna, and Bobby—moved to Assiniboia. Barry attended all the schools built during that time, completing his education at the “new” Assiniboia Composite High School in 1965. Following graduation, Barry attended STI in Moose Jaw, studying finance, and began his career with TD Bank. Over the next 25 years, his work took him to several locations in Manitoba and Northern Ontario, including Swan River, Geraldton, and Kenora. During these years, Barry was actively involved with the Kinsmen and kept busy playing senior hockey. Barry eventually retired from banking and moved back home, but not for long. He later worked in finance with Case IH, which took him to Swift Current and then Lethbridge, before retiring again in 1997. He returned to Assiniboia, this time to stay. Barry was a proud member of the K-40 and enjoyed participating in their bonspiels and helping with all their projects. He transitioned to “watching” hockey and became a regular at the golf course. Barry greatly enjoyed travelling with his mom and Auntie Vi, whether driving throughout British Columbia, Alberta, and Saskatchewan, or joining them on cruises and bus trips. He later took on a part-time job at the Assiniboia liquor store—just because—and enjoyed working there until the age of 65, when he retired once more. He then became a “full-time” golfer!! Barry leaves to cherish his memory his brother **Brian** (Jenny) Hoffos; nephew Clinton Hoffos; niece Courtney Hoffos (Brodie Seger); sister **Donna** Hoffos (Ritchie Hordenchuk); niece Angela (Chad) Short; great-nephews Trey and Kaden; nephew Travis Watamanuk; great-nephews Hunter and Grayson; niece Candace Watamanuk (Dustin Francis); great-nephews Jace and Luca; brother **Bob** Hoffos; nephew Shane (Josie) Hoffos; great-nephews Luis, Emiliano, and Pablo; along with many dear cousins and friends. He is reunited in heaven with his parents, Tip and Sylvia (née Thierman) Hoffos, and his Auntie Vi Bell.

Piché-Hawkins-Grondin Funeral Chapels
Assiniboia & Gravelbourg

In Loving Memory



Barry Hoffos



*Remember him with a smile today
He was not one for tears
Reflect instead on memories
Of all the happy years.*

*Recall to mind the way he spoke
And all the things he said
His strength, his stance, the way he walked
Remember these instead.*

*The stories he would tell us
His eyes that shone with laughter
So much of him will never die
But live on ever after.*

*As we loved you, so we miss you
In our memory you are near
Loved, remembered, longed for always
Bringing many a silent tear.*

In Loving Memory of Barry Philip Hoffos

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July 16, 1946
Swift Current, Saskatchewan

Passed Away
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at the age of 79

Funeral Service
Thursday, January 8, 2026, 2:00 p.m.
St. Paul's United Church
Assiniboia, Saskatchewan

Officiant - Wendy Gibson

Scripture Reader - Angela Short

Music - Sylvia Coghlin

Eulogy - Angela Short & Candace Watamanuk

Interment
at a later date
Mount Hope Cemetery
Assiniboia, Saskatchewan

Appreciation
The family wishes to express their deepest thanks for your many expressions of kindness. Following the service you are invited to join the family for lunch in the lower church hall.

Memorial Donations
St. Paul's United Church
Assiniboia Regional Park Golf Course