



William 'Gord' Christner

January 8, 2025

William 'Gordon' Christner of Wallaceburg, Ontario passed away peacefully on January 8th, 2025 at the age of 92. Gordon was born July 19th, 1932 to Walter & Dorothy and was pre-deceased by his only sibling, Grace. He is survived by Marjorie, his loving wife of seventy-three years along with his eleven children. He will be sorely missed by Lesley (Ken) McGillivray, Janet, Stephen (Elizabeth), Julie (Ron) Ameloot, Eileen (Lee) Stanlick, Carol (Brian) Robinson, John (Lori - d. 2014), Peggy (Daniel) Kun, Michael (Shannon), Anthony (Todd) and Matthew. His lasting legacy also includes twenty Grandchildren, twenty-four Great-Grandchildren and even one recently arrived Great-Great Grandchild.

Gordon began his working career as an Electrician with Wallaceburg Hydro before transitioning to teaching Electrical classes in Brantford. Most students would remember him from his final teaching position at Wallaceburg District Secondary School. He was extremely proud to have been Co-Ordinator of the Wallaceburg Skills Development Committee after he finished teaching, helping people train and transition into new careers prior to his retirement.

In his earlier years he enjoyed racing hydroplanes and as he settled into raising a family he enjoyed camping, woodworking and watching his favourite Toronto sports teams. His later years were always accompanied by one of his beloved cats. He was always found with a coffee mug in hand and a story to tell anyone with some time to listen. He could fix anything.

Family and Friends are invited for visitation at the Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral

Home, 409 Nelson Street in Wallaceburg (519-627-3231), on Saturday, January 11, 2025 from 11am until 2pm. Cremation to follow. If you wish to make a donation in his memory, please consider the Canadian Cancer Society or the Pet and Wildlife Rescue. Cherished stories and tributes may be left for the family at www.CavanaghFuneralHome.ca

Tribute Wall



“ Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home - January 10, 2025 at 03:59 PM

LW

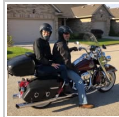
So very sorry Marjorie for loss of your dear husband Gordon prayers to you and your children you friend Lorie Welch

Lorie welch - January 10, 2025 at 06:29 PM

BP

So Sorry to hear the passing of Gord

Bill and Janice Pearson - January 13, 2025 at 12:51 PM



Steve, sorry to hear of the loss of your father. What an inspiring life he led. Cherish those memories. Moe and Patti Deschenes

Moe Deschenes - January 20, 2025 at 09:06 AM

JV

“ Jordan and Tawnya VanDamme lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Jordan and Tawnya VanDamme - January 24, 2025 at 02:59 PM

SC

“ I’m his grandson and I have my middle name William because of this great man, thanks so much and you will be sorely missed, I love you



Scott William Christner - January 16, 2025 at 09:43 PM

MW

“ Meindert and Gail Wolff lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Meindert and Gail Wolff - January 13, 2025 at 06:18 AM

MW

“ Meindert and Gail Wolff lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Meindert and Gail Wolff - January 12, 2025 at 04:55 PM

JL

“ Sorry to read of Gord passing he had quite a life a friend to all .His family will miss him th most a respect from all RIP Gord

James Lee - January 12, 2025 at 11:20 AM

GC

“ Greg and Lisa Christian lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Greg and Lisa Christian - January 12, 2025 at 05:56 AM

BM

“ Bill and Jennifer Monday lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Bill and Jennifer Monday - January 12, 2025 at 12:32 AM

EV

“ Eddie and Tracy VanDamme lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Eddie and Tracy VanDamme - January 11, 2025 at 04:00 PM

CB

“ We've been neighbours over these past 30 years! We will miss our driveway chats and your awesome stories Gord, you were a man of true grit! Sending our deepest condolences to all of your amazing family, may you rest in eternal peace (with very quiet neighbours) We will always remember you fondly
Cheryl and Kevin Bechard



Cheryl Bechard - January 11, 2025 at 10:44 AM

BM

“ Bill and Jennifer Monday lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



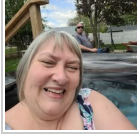
Bill and Jennifer Monday - January 11, 2025 at 12:46 AM

SC

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Gord was a wonderful and caring person.



Sherry (Rose) & Dave Crowe - January 10, 2025 at 10:29 PM



“ *Colleen Meyer lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner*



Colleen Meyer - January 10, 2025 at 07:53 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Thinking of you all during this sad time. Thank you for sharing the video tribute. It was lovely!*

Larry Shaw - January 10, 2025 at 07:39 PM



“ *Christner family my sincere condolences to all the family ,such a good person always a smile*

Margaret Aarsen - January 10, 2025 at 06:45 PM



“ *Julie, Ron & the entire Christner Family. So sorry to hear of your great loss. You all are in our thoughts & prayers.*



Linda&Barry McFadden - January 10, 2025 at 06:39 PM

AB

“ *Anita Turner and Bryan lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner*



Anita Turner and Bryan - January 10, 2025 at 05:19 PM



“ *Madelyn Christner lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner*



Madelyn Christner - January 10, 2025 at 04:35 PM

UN

“ *My sincere condolences to Julie and Ron and all the Ameloot and Christner family. A long life well lived!*



Uta Nowakowski - January 10, 2025 at 04:13 PM

GP

“ *Our thoughts and prayers to the Christner family at this very difficult time.*

The Peck Family

Gary W Peck - January 10, 2025 at 02:05 PM



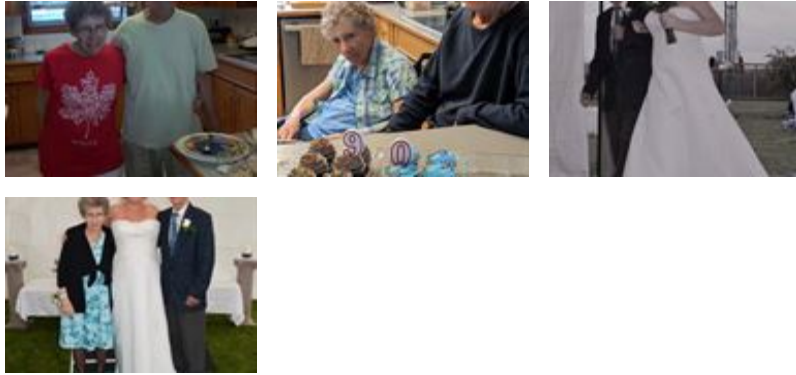
“ Gary W Peck lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Gary W Peck - January 10, 2025 at 01:59 PM



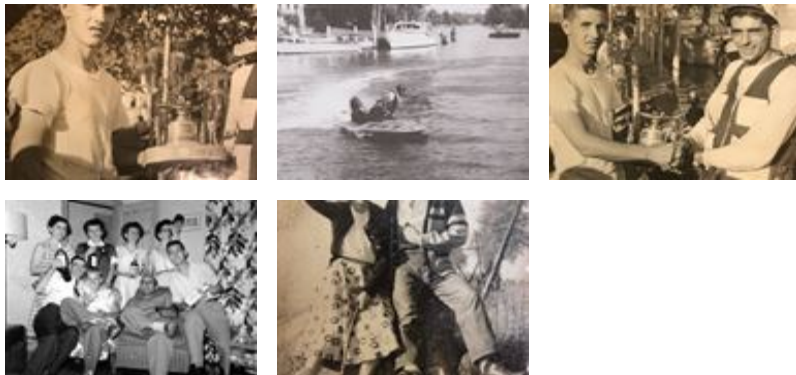
“ 4 files added to the album Life Tributes



Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home - January 10, 2025 at 01:36 PM



“ 118 files added to the album Life Tributes



Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home - January 10, 2025 at 10:53 AM

DC

“ Fred and Dianne Chapple lit a candle in memory of Gord Christner.



Dianne Chapple - January 10, 2025 at 09:57 AM

MV

“ Mike & Janine Vandenberg lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Mike & Janine Vandenberg - January 10, 2025 at 09:01 AM

RT

“ To all Gordon's family. Sorry for your loss. My condolences to all of you. Keep all the great memories close to your hearts.from Roxanne Young



Roxanne Thomson - January 10, 2025 at 09:00 AM

GM

“ George McGaffey lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



George McGaffey - January 10, 2025 at 08:45 AM

BT

“ To the Christner families, our deepest condolences.



Brian & Linda Thornton - January 10, 2025 at 08:30 AM

TM

“ Sending condolences to Ron. Julie and the entire Christner family



Tina & Andy Myers - January 10, 2025 at 08:06 AM

DM

“ Dianne McKenty-Tanguay lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Dianne McKenty-Tanguay - January 09, 2025 at 11:30 PM

GF

“ Gerry Flynn lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Gerry Flynn - January 09, 2025 at 09:53 PM

BL

“ *Bonnie Leveille lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner*



Bonnie Leveille - January 09, 2025 at 08:53 PM

RA

“ *Rip Uncle Gord* 🙏



Ruth Andrews - January 09, 2025 at 08:45 PM

AM

“ *Ariel Mann lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner*



Ariel Mann - January 09, 2025 at 08:16 PM

LP

“ *Lola Pamer lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner*



Lola Pamer - January 09, 2025 at 08:15 PM

DB

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family at this time. I had Mr Christner in the mid 70's as my electrical teacher. He was an intelligent, calm, well spoken teacher who was supportive of his students. It was teachers like him that made my days at WDSS a positive time in my life. Rest in peace.*

Doug Babbitt - January 09, 2025 at 08:00 PM

AI

“ *Our deepest condolences.*



Angelo, Lisa & Alessandra Inglese - January 09, 2025 at 07:38 PM

KC

“ *My Condolences to his family and friends!*



Kathy Charron - January 09, 2025 at 04:42 PM

MG

“ *Michele and David Garraway lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner*



Michele and David Garraway - January 09, 2025 at 04:30 PM

EC

“ Erin Christner lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Erin Christner - January 09, 2025 at 04:28 PM

LP

“ TO the Christner family Gord was the last remaining member of our family .To each member of your family so sorry for your loss,



Linda Perritt - January 09, 2025 at 04:19 PM

TV

“ Tammy VanVarenberghe sent a virtual gift in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Tammy VanVarenberghe - January 09, 2025 at 04:10 PM

KD

“ Our condolences to the Christner family.
Dave & Karen DeHeer



Karen & Dave Deheer - January 09, 2025 at 04:07 PM

ST

“ Shirley Hankins Thomas lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Shirley Hankins Thomas - January 09, 2025 at 03:12 PM

CE

“ Carol and Dennis English lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Carol and Dennis English - January 09, 2025 at 03:03 PM

TP

“ Tammy Palocz-Dunn lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Tammy Palocz-Dunn - January 09, 2025 at 02:58 PM

BS

“ Brad & Joanne Stanlick lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner



Brad & Joanne Stanlick - January 09, 2025 at 02:32 PM

BW

“ *Brenda Wilson lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner*



Brenda Wilson - January 09, 2025 at 02:22 PM

ET

“ *So sorry to hear, my deepest condolences, Gord was more than family he was a friend, rest in peace Gord.*



Etienne Tack - January 09, 2025 at 02:12 PM

KK

Marjorie, and your entire family. I am so sorry to hear of your loss. May you find peace in knowing others are thinking and praying for all of you at this sad time.
Kathy Knight

Kathy Knight - January 09, 2025 at 03:27 PM

NA

“ *Norma Authier lit a candle in memory of William 'Gord' Christner*



Norma Authier - January 09, 2025 at 01:23 PM

EJ

“ *Eric and Sandra Johnston sent a virtual gift in memory of William 'Gord' Christner*



Eric and Sandra Johnston - January 09, 2025 at 01:20 PM