

PAWLIUK - Ivan Pawliuk passed away on March 28, 2021 at the Riverview Health Centre in Winnipeg, Manitoba. He was 58 years of age. Ivan was born in Yorkton the youngest child of five born to Morris and Olena Pawliuk. He was raised on the Pawliuk family farm south of Sheho. During his early years he was a part of his local 4H Club, the Ukrainian dance group, St. Elias Church serving as an altar boy, and enjoyed local meetups to play hockey and baseball. As a young adult he became interested in electrical engineering but eventually decided to pursue a Theology Degree from the University of Manitoba. While living in Manitoba Ivan also learned and worked at the trade of meat cutting. He also met his then wife to be, Loralee Kosowan and their marriage was blessed with two wonderful sons of whom Ivan was extremely proud of, Micheal and Matthew. After Winnipeg, Ivan moved to Vernon, BC with the hopes of

becoming a Reader in the Ukrainian Orthodox Church. Ivan spent two years studying and learning from the priests in Vernon and was Tonsured a Reader by Archbishop John Stinka. In 1999, Ivan was happy to return to the Pawliuk farm and rejoined his childhood parish. He was excited to be a Reader and served in churches in the Sheho, Foam Lake, Insinger, Tuffnell, Parkerview, and Goodeve communities. Shortly after his Uncle Steve passed away, he moved to Foam Lake. There he was able to meet frequently with his neighbour and friend, Brian McDuff. Ivan was a fixture in the communities of Sheho and Foam Lake. He enjoyed cutting grass and shoveling snow for neighbours. He also enjoyed playing cards and calling bingo at the Sheho Senior's Centre. Ivan lived and travelled across Canada and no matter where he went, Ivan treated everyone like family, and he made fast friends with all. Ivan leaves behind his mother, Olena; two sons, Micheal and Matthew; four siblings, Phillip, Perry, Patricia, and Alexander; one daughter-in-law, Janet; one godson, Jimmy; one goddaughter, Geraldine; many cousins, extended family, and countless friends. A private family prayer service was held on Friday April 2, 2021 from Holy Trinity Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Sheho (Town) with a private family funeral service on Saturday April 3, 2021 from Holy Trinity Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Sheho (Town) with Reverend Father Michael Faryna serving as the Celebrant along with Jason E. Kopan serving as the Cantor and Mark Dumanski serving as the Palamar. The Crossbearer was Cort Simpson, with Mark Fedak, Robert Simpson, Jerry Burkevitch, and Derwin Mezinski serving as the Bannerbearers. The interment followed in the St. Elias Ukrainian Orthodox Parish Cemetery south of Sheho with Marlo Pawliuk, Adrian Pawliuk, Neil Pawliuk, Jimmy Pawliuk, David Simpson, and John Patrick Simpson serving as the Pallbearers. Those so wishing to make a charitable donation in memory of the Late Ivan Pawliuk may do so with a gift to the St. Elias Ukrainian Orthodox Parish Cemetery Fund c/o Box #473 Foam Lake, Saskatchewan SOA 1A0. Kopan's Funeral service, Yorkton is honoured to have been entrusted with funeral arrangements. www.kopans.ca 306-783-0099