



MW Bro. Colin Grant Wardlaw

26 August 1925 - 7 May 2014

MW Bro. C. Grant Wardlaw was initiated into his father's lodge, Landmark Lodge No. 128 – then in Vancouver – on 6 February 1948, passing to the Fellow Craft degree on 5 March 1948 and being raised to the Master Mason degree on 7 May 1948. He served as Worshipful Master for 1962-1963.

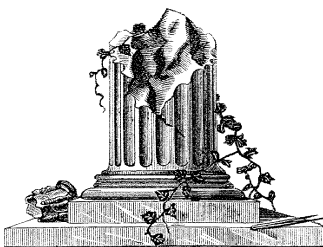
He was appointed Grand Pursuivant by MW Bro. Wilfred Rogers for 1973-1974 and District Deputy Grand Master by MW Bro. George W. Baldwin for 1985-1986. He also served as Grand Historian from 1988-1991 and as a trustee of the Masonic Bursary Fund from 1985-1990. He was elected Junior Grand Warden at the Annual Communication at Vancouver in 1990, and installed as Grand Master on 18 June 1993 in Nanaimo.

MW Bro. Wardlaw affiliated with Cariboo Lodge No. 4 at Barkerville on 8 March 1986 and was elected an honorary member of Lynn Valley Lodge No. 122 in 2010. He served as Grand Representative for the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario near this Jurisdiction from 2000 until his passing. He was also a Shriner, a Royal Arch Mason, a Knight Templar, and a member of the Holy Royal Arch Knight Templar Priests and the Red Cross of Constantine.

Born in 1925 in Vancouver's West End, MW Bro. Wardlaw was educated in Lord Kitchener and Queen Mary Elementary Schools and Lord Byng High School. He joined the Royal Canadian Air Force and graduated as a Flight Engineer in 1945. Upon his discharge, he became a carpenter apprentice with his father. Upgrading his skills in that trade, he later became a teacher at the Vancouver Vocational School and the Haney Correctional Institute. In 1964 he joined the new Vocational School in Burnaby, retiring in 1984 as Assistant to the School Principal.

His first wife, Elsie died tragically and suddenly in 1988. MW Bro. Wardlaw is survived by his second wife, Irene, his son, and two daughters, three granddaughters and one grandson. He is also survived by Irene's family: a son, a daughter, two grandsons, one granddaughter, one great-granddaughter, and four great-grandsons.

The will of God is accomplished.



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