



John was born in Carmangay, AB on November 29, 1926. His years growing up were spent in Cremona, AB with some time shared in Carmangay on his grandparents' farm.

John was a natural born mechanic and general fix-it man. He eventually worked out of Dawson Creek, BC for Schlumberger Oil Company. He married Helen Olson in 1952 in Edmonton. His daughter, Joanne, was born in Dawson Creek in 1953, followed four years later by his son, Lorne, in Edmonton. He moved his family to Fort Macleod in 1964 where he started a woodworking business and later joined the town staff as their maintenance mechanic.

John loved bible prophecy and spent much time reading and studying the bible. Soon after arriving in Fort Macleod, he was given responsibilities of oversight in the local congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses. He found that regular participation in the door-to-door bible education work was especially rewarding when he found those who welcomed him for a free home bible study.

In 1999, John and Helen moved to Lethbridge where they have resided ever since. John loved mechanics, farming, tools, woodworking and peanuts. He will be remembered as a kind, understanding and pleasant gentleman to everyone he met. His workmates affectionately called him the "old twit". He will indeed be missed.

MEMORIAL SERVICE.

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses 1510 Stafford Drive North | Lethbridge, AB Saturday, March 9, 2019 at 2:00 P.M.

Officiating - Phil Thompson

RECEPTION_

Following the Memorial Service, relatives and friends are invited to further share this day at the **Lethbridge Senior Citizens Organization (Gym 2)** 500 - 11 Street South | Lethbridge, AB