



BARCLAY (BUD) DAHLSTROM

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Rotary Club of Regina



Barclay ((Bud) Dahlstrom, was born on a farm, north of Assiniboia in 1928, but he spent most of his early life in Limerick, SK, a town that he held in high regard and returned to throughout his life.

Bud attained a degree in Engineering Physics at the University of Saskatchewan and moved to Montreal where Bud worked for General Electric. Bud and his wife, Mona, returned to Regina in the late summer of 1952. Bud worked at SaskPower for a short time and then started his Career at the Co-op Refinery in March of 1953. Bud eventually became the manager of the Co-op Refinery and the Senior Vice-President, Refining of Consumers' Cooperative Refineries Limited (CCRL) NewGrade Energy Inc. He oversaw several expansions of that facility, and his familial style of management ingratiated him with employees long after leaving. Bud was a lifelong member and past president of the Association of Professional Engineers.

Bud played hockey and tennis in his youth and took up snowmobiling, downhill skiing, and golf later in life. Bud lived a full life and was always busy with his work, his family, and at the Katepwa Lake cottage. He was a terrific father, grandfather, and great grandfather and the Dahlstrom home was a household filled with family and friends in abundance.

Bud was an active member of the Rotary Club of Regina for over 40 years where he was a past Club Director and a Paul Harris fellow. He sang at the annual Rotary Carol Festival for decades. Bud is remembered for his generosity towards his family and community and the lessons he taught those around him.