



**“I am the resurrection and the life.
The one who believes in me will live, even though they die ...” (John 11:25)**

Obituary of Anthony David



Anthony David (Antoine Daoud), 86, of Fredericton NB. Passed away on the 7th day of July 2024. Born December 15th, 1937 in Beirut, Lebanon, he was the son of Assad Daoud and Rofayla Khoury.

He is survived by his wife, Tamem David, children: **Assad** (Yolla) David of Fredericton, **Nancy** David of Fredericton, **May** (Greg) Boucher of Barrie -Ontario, **David** (Maria) David of Peterborough-Ontario, **Josephine** (Kevin) Nelson of Fredericton and **Ann** (Mark) Manderson of Fredericton.

Moreover, 16 grandchildren: Maroon David, Marina (Timothy) Soffee, Maria David, Louis (Autumn) Debly, Anthony (Laura) Debly, Tamina (Kent) Doyle, Raymond Debly, Zia (Lucas) Jensen, Samantha Messer, Jack Messer, Mackenzie (Eric Greavette) Boucher, Maddison Boucher, Chiara (Kenton) Lackey, Alexzander David, Melissa Nelson, and David (Jana Giles) Nelson. 8 Great-Grandchildren: Michael Soffee, Marshall and Maya Debly, Aubrey and Stella Doyle, Viggo Jensen, Asher and Oakes Lackey.

Also survived by his brothers, Salim Daoud and family in Australia, and Joseph Daoud and family in Lebanon.

He is pre-deceased by his parents Assad & Rofayla Daoud, and sisters Odette and Hanna.

Anthony was a devoted family man of deep faith whose legacy will live on in the many lives he touched, and with the grandchildren and great-grandchildren he loved. He had many talents and the ability to build, fix, or make anything that he thought of. He worked as a Tailor, canoe builder, and painter during his working years, but could also build anything, fix plumbing and electrical and was always ready to lend a hand to anyone who asked. He retired from the UNB services building. Gardening was a passion, and he was always growing something unique from any seeds he could find. He loved hockey and especially the Toronto Maple Leafs. Anthony and his wife Tamem emigrated to Canada in 1967 and embraced their adopted home with a passion. Anthony always said about Canada: "May God build and keep this Country in peace." He was grateful for the opportunities that this country and especially what Fredericton offered to his family and was proud of the many accomplishments of his family. Married in 1964, this September would have been 60th wedding anniversary. Their strong marriage weathered many ups and downs and was a shining example of devotion and commitment for all of their family to follow.

His family would like to thank his many Doctors and Nurses that were so compassionate in his care, especially Dr. Jeffrey Barton, Dr. Lacey Blyth, 4SE and 3SW nurses at the DECH, Emergency room staff and the many paramedics that visited his home over the years. The family wish to especially thank his nurse, Janet; Anthony's Angel who cared for him with such empathy and understanding and made his last days bearable. Your love and compassion will not be forgotten.

Visitation:

Tuesday, July 9, 2024 from 3:00-5:00pm and 7:00-9:00pm.
McAdam's Funeral Home, 160 York St. Fredericton, NB.

Funeral Service:

Wednesday, July 10, 2024, Christian mass and service 11:00 am.
Will be officiated by Msgr Pierre Azzi

St. Charbel's Maronite Catholic Church; 299 Argyle St. Fredericton, NB.

Interment will take place following the mass at Hermitage Catholic Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made to St. Charbel's Church.

May his soul rest in peace