Leonard passed away peacefully after a brief illness at the age of 64 years.

Predeceased by his mother Adeline Semper (Sibbeston), August 15, 1998 and brother Eddie Hope, December 28, 1997. Leonard is survived by his father Antoine Antoine of Fort Simpson, NT; stepfather, James Semper Sr. of Edmonton, AB. Brothers Tom Hope (Rosie) of Fort Simpson, NT; Charlie Hope (Eva) of Fort Liard, NT; James Semper of Calgary, AB; George Semper of Edmonton, AB; sisters Eleanor Bran of Yellowknife, NT; Doris Penzie of Edmonton, AB; Pamela Semper of Stoney Plain, AB; and numerous other relatives and friends.

A wake was held on Monday, March 21, 2005 at 7:00 pm at the Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Church, Fort Simpson, NT, followed by a funeral mass on Tuesday, March 22, 2005 at 2:00 pm.

Our heartfelt thanks to the doctors and nursing staff of the ICU unit of Stanton Territorial Hospital for their special care and attention to our son, brother, uncle and friend. And also to Jo-Anne Sigurdson of Yellowknife Funeral Services Ltd. for her exceptional help and guidance with funeral arrangements. God Bless you all.

God saw you getting tired and a cure was not to be. So He put His arms around you, and whispered “Come to Me”, with tearful eyes we watched you, we watched you fade away. Although we loved you dearly, we could not make you stay. A golden heart stopped beating, hard working hands now rest. God broke our hearts to prove to us He only takes the best.