who passed away peacefully in his beloved home on July 5, 2008. Don was born in Toronto on April 1, 1947 and came to the north as a young architect in 1977. He was involved in the design and the construction of houses throughout the north. Don was a creative carpenter, artistic boat builder, great cook, and lover of good coffee. He was a good friend to many and a proud and loving father. One of his greatest pleasures was watching and listening to his son Andrew playing music.

Throughout his life Don sought and shared the richness of discovery and the pleasures of a good life. The happiness that Don brought to Andrew Jossa, Lorna Dosso, John Jossa, Yvonne Cooper, and his family and friends will always be remembered and forever missed.

A celebration of Don’s life is planned for Friday, July 11, 2008.

Donations in memory of Don can be made to the Yellowknife Food Bank where Don volunteered many hours or to the Canadian Cancer Society.