

Most Excellent Companion
Leif Hansen



BIOGRAPHY

Leif was born in Copenhagen, Denmark, educated in Denmark, emigrated to Canada in 1956 and in 1957, started working for Sherrit Gordon Mine in Lynn Lake Manitoba. He left Lynn Lake in 1975.

From 1975 to 1979 he worked to Manitoba Hydro in Jenpeg. Moved to Calgary Alberta in 1979 and worked to C I L which later became I C I, now Orica. He retired in 1998 and moved back to Dauphin Manitoba.

While in Lynn Lake, Leif met his wife Hilda. They were married in July 1959. To this marriage was born 3 girls, Sandra, Carrie, and Lisa. Hilda and Leif now have 4 grandchildren.

Masonic History

Leif was received into Lynn Lake Lodge #170 June 1970, raised November 1970. While in Calgary, joined Concord Lodge #124. Leif was Worshipful Master in 1990. Now a member of Vermilion Lodge #68 in Dauphin.

Leif became a Royal Arch Mason in Pre-Cambrian Chapter in Flin Flon April 1972. In Calgary, joined Crescent Chapter #24 and was First Principal in 1994. Grand Principal Sojourner 1995 and Grand District Superintendent for District #4 in 1996. Now a member of Rabboni Chapter #17 in Dauphin.

Member of the Holy Order of High Priesthood

Leif joined Mount Carmel Preceptory in 1972, while in Calgary affiliated with Cyprus Preceptory #33. After moving back to Manitoba went back to Mount Carmel and became Presiding Preceptor in 2001 and 2002.

Cryptic Rite Masonry began in Zadoc Council #3 in Calgary in 1993 on returning to Manitoba, joined Portage Council #17 and was be the T I M in November 2002.

Crescent Lake Lodge 14A, Royal Arch Mariners

Leif is an active member of Grand Valley Conclave #36 in Brandon.

Member of the Manitoba Crocus York Rite College #89.

Leif became a member of the Scottish Rite in the Valley of Calgary, received his 32 Degree in 1992, now a member of the Valley of Brandon.

Member of Khartum Shrine since 1972, a member of the Dauphin and District Shrine Club, presently serving as President.

Appointed Grand Representative to the Republic of the Philippines in 2000.