

## Brother James William Page

Worthy Grand Patron  
1987-1988



Born Sept. 30th, 1919, entered into Eternal Rest at the Carleton Memorial Hospital July 23rd, 2007. The Grand Chapter of New Brunswick was saddened when another link, Brother James Page, passed away at the Carleton Memorial Hospital in Woodstock, NB. At the time of his passing, Brother James was in his 87th year.

Born in Williamstown, NB, Brother James spent his working years with the Provincial Government. Brother James attended St. Paul's United Church. Brother James was a member of the Carleton Masonic Lodge in Florenceville, NB.

He became a member of the Order of the Eastern Star when he was initiated into Carleton Chapter #7, Florenceville on Dec. 2nd, 1972. Brother James served as Worthy Patron of his Chapter on several occasions and was an active member of the Chapter for many years. He served the Grand Chapter of New Brunswick when he became Worthy Grand Patron in 1982. His Worthy Grand Matron who shared the East with him was Sister Jeanne Wheelock. Their year of Service culminated in July of 1983 with their Grand Chapter Sessions held in St. Stephen, NB.

Predeceased by his parents and a son-in-law, Winston Neilsen, Brother James is survived by his wife, Sister Helen (Olmstead); his children, Gladys Neilsen of Centreville; James Jr. (Ruth) of Woodstock; Herbert (Eleanor) of Fredericton; Lois (James) McLellan of Fredericton; Leon (Nancy) of Ottawa, Ontario; Margaret (Keith) Billings of Edmonton, Alberta; Mura (Rick) Toner of Fredericton, and many grand and great-grandchildren several nieces and nephews and cousins.

A Masonic Service was conducted on Wednesday, July 25th at 6:45 PM, followed by an Eastern Star Memorial Service conducted by the members of Carleton Chapter #7, Florenceville, at the Carleton Funeral Home in Jacksonville. The Funeral Service was conducted in the Chapel of the Carleton Funeral Home at 2:00 PM on Thursday, July 26th, 2007, with Rev. Michael Goodfellow officiating, interment St. Paul's United Church Cemetery.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Sister Helen and the family of Brother James, and to the members of Carleton Chapter #7, Florenceville, as well as to Brother James' many friends in the Eastern Star world.

*"One by one the links are severed from the golden chain of love,  
One by one our Order is forming in the Father's House above  
Let our deeds be pure and noble, may our lives be not in vain  
So that when we are reunited, complete again will be the chain."*

Sister Lynne Hatt  
Worthy Grand Matron

Brother Burton Hall  
Worthy Grand Patron

Sister Brenda J. Saunders,  
PGM Grand Secretary