

## CLELAND, G.E. (BUD)



Bud was born in the old Invermere Hospital on Tenth Street in November 1922. His mother had come to the valley to be a nurse in the Wilmer hospital. During the war, Bud served with the Royal Canadian Air Force, performing maintenance duties within Canada. He married Patricia and their children were Phillip, Gordon, Stuart, Loralyn, Carly, and Shelley. Bud ran the Invermere Contracting Company and the Invermere Garage, in the building now occupied by Birchwood Restaurant. Bud loved fishing and hunting. He belonged to the Legion, Curling Club, Rod and Gun Club, and Masonic Lodge. Bud died in June 1999.

