



HOUSE OF COMMONS  
CANADA



**William (Bill) Lesick**  
**Former Member of Parliament—Edmonton East**  
**1984-1988**



Mr. Speaker,

We pause today in tribute to a former member of this House of Commons who recently passed away.

Born in Alberta, of immigrant Ukrainian parents, this man contributed to his province and to his country with great distinction, in a way that can best be described as truly honourable.



He served Canada in World War II, in Europe, helping liberate Holland with the 4<sup>th</sup> Princess Louise Dragoon Guards.



He owned and managed the Beverly Pharmacy.

He was elected and served as Member of Parliament for Edmonton East then served as Citizenship judge.



As a member of the Royal Canadian Legion Norwood Branch he chaired the Remembrance Day Parade at the Beverly Cenotaph for many years.



William George Lesick was War Veteran, Member of Parliament, Pharmacist, Judge, recipient of the Queen's Jubilee Medal and Friend.

Bill Lesick, respected for his service to his country in war and peace, will be greatly missed by his family and his many friends.



We will not forget.



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**Peter Goldring**

Member of Parliament  
Edmonton East

