

Phil Alexandre – 18/08/1936 - 26/01/2013
(*Espin 1950 – 1954*)

Phil was born in Salisbury, Rhodesia and attended St Andrews College in Grahamstown from 1950-1954. After school, he went farming in Rhodesia for a few years, before joining the Veterinary Department and was posted to Chipinga.



In 1965, he married Lyn Springer, and had three children, Chris, Richard and Sarah. In 1978 he moved to Salisbury and after sending his sons to St Andrews College, he then moved to Port Alfred in 1982, and was involved in construction, glassworks and chicken farming, and lots of golf!

In 1998, he and Lyn moved to the UK where he had his first major stroke in 2000. After 3 months in physical rehab, he moved back to Port Alfred and lived the remainder of his life there. After suffering from at least 15 strokes during the last few years, he died peacefully in Port Alfred Hospital on 26/01/2013 surrounded by his children and grandchildren.

He is survived by his wife Lyn, three children, Chris, Richard and Sarah, and 2 adopted children Kevin and Renee.