

### **David James Bean (Armstrong 1946-1949)**

Following a heart attack David passed away in December 17, 2017, three days after his 85<sup>th</sup> birthday.

He leaves his ex-wife Claire, a son and daughter, both married and one grandson and his younger brother Andrew (Armstrong 1950-53).

After leaving College he went to Wits University for about 18 months but then abandoned that and went into the advertising industry as a copywriter and continued in that capacity for the rest of his working life.

In 1954 he went to England where he worked with a motor manufacturer in Luton until 1956 when he moved to Canada. While in Luton he met and became engaged to Claire Williams from Perth, Western Australia. They married in Canada and remained there until 1960 when they migrated to Australia and settled in Sydney.

A keen car enthusiast, alongside his working as a copywriter he ran an advanced driving school for several years and was also active in several car clubs. Ill-health forced into full-time retirement in his 70s.