

***Expression of Condolence for  
Phillip Gotlieb by Toronto City Council***

**Moved by: Councillor Mike Colle**

**Seconded by: Councillor Vincent Crisanti**

The Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council are deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Phillip Gotlieb on June 23, 2023.

Phillip went to work at 16 years old after the death of his father and started working at Dundas Jobbers, where he worked his way up to eventually becoming a partner. He married his loving wife of sixty-eight years, Esther, and they raised their children together.

Phillip was active throughout his life and one of his great passions was playing sports. He played on city, provincial, and eastern Canada championship baseball teams, and also enjoyed playing handball, racquetball, and tennis which he played regularly into his 80's. Moreover, he was also an avid golfer and was a member of the Maple Downs Golf and Country Club for forty years.

Phillip was loved by all those who knew him. He always had a smile on his face and had a great sense of humour, always quick with a joke.

Phillip will be remembered as a loving husband, brother, father, and grandfather, and will be deeply missed by all of his family and friends: *"To know him was to love him"*.

The City Clerk is requested to convey, on behalf of the Members of Toronto City Council, our sincere sympathy to Phillip's family.

July 19, 2023