

# MORRIS LAMROCK



Morris was a man of varied passions and interests, and both the vision and drive to make things happen. He was a farmer and gardener who loved to make things grow, especially things you could eat. He created the S.O.I.L. program (Stewards of Irreplaceable Land), a Canadian national program that supports organic farmers to connect with others wanting to learn to farm.

Morris made significant contributions through his work life in the Yukon, spending 15 years as the Youth Program Coordinator for Environment Yukon, coordinating programs such as the Conservation Action Team and the Y2C2 program. For the last four years of his life, Morris helped Yukon government employees navigate workplace conflict at the Respectful Workplace Office.

In 2018, Morris was a founding member of the Whitehorse Community Thrift Store Society. That venture is also going strong and contributed most of the seed money for this scholarship.

Morris was a character who marched to the beat of his own drum and somehow brought others along, creating community wherever he went. He left a legacy of making things he was passionate about come to fruition, often through a lot of hard work! He would be excited about this fund helping young people work to create a healthier, more sustainable planet.