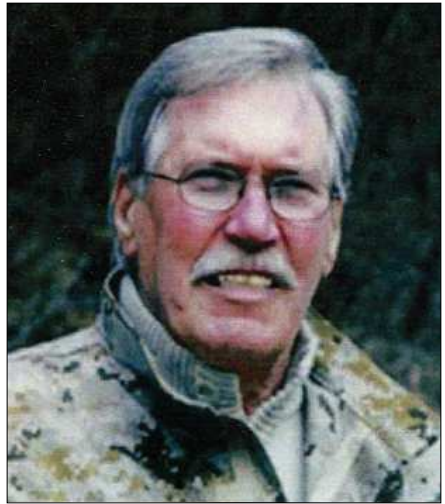


2016/07/04 – Abbotsford. Barry Blount – A Fond Farewell: Sadly, Barry Gordon Blount, a sasquatch researcher and wonderful photographer passed away on July 4, 2016 in Abbotsford. Barry was a dedicated sasquatch enthusiasts who worked with Chris Murphy for many years doing research in British Columbia. Barry used his photography skills to take photographs at Chris’ public museum sasquatch exhibits and other projects. The two embarked on an investigation of the noted Yale, BC. “ape-boy” incident of 1884 and published the booklet (Hancock House Publishers, 2011) shown here. A special edition was used for the Sasquatch Summit, Harrison Hot Springs, April 2011, as seen by the logo. The booklet initiative led to a sasquatch exhibit at the Yale Historical Society Museum in 2012. Barry had a great personality and a tremendous sense of humor. He was interested in other aspects of cryptozoology and wrote associated articles. He even tried his luck at looking for the Loch Ness Monster in Scotland. He spent a lot of time photographing birds, especially bald eagles, which are abundant at certain times in the Fraser River valley region. A Celebration of Life Memorial was held for Barry at Cooke’s Presbyterian Church, Chilliwack, on July 15, 2016. We bid a fond farewell to our fellow researcher.



Barry Gordon Blount
(1940 – 2016)

