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Tim Jones, 57, died January 19, 2014.
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Peak to be named for Tim Jones 📖

Tim Jones loved Mount Seymour. He walked his dog there. He rescued people there. He died on Mount Seymour. He was 57 years old.

Thousands of people came to Tim Jones' funeral. Police, firefighters, mountain rescuers, hikers, climbers and skiers came. People lined the street to watch the procession.

Tim Jones worked with North Shore Rescue. He worked there for more than 30 years. Jones helped with more than 1,400 rescues.

Jones received awards for his work

Jones was honoured as a hero for his rescue work.

In 2011, he received the Order of BC. In 2012, Capilano University gave him an honorary Doctor of Laws degree.



Funeral procession for Tim Jones
PHOTO - NICK PROCAYLO, PNG

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Now people want to name a mountain peak after him. The peak will be named Tim Jones Peak. Jones led many rescue missions near this peak on Mount Seymour.

One person wrote, "so many lives were saved because Tim Jones lived."



The Canadian flag flew at half mast.
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Adapted from *The Vancouver Sun*

Answer key for exercise on page 3:

1. hero
2. loved
3. dog
4. people
5. watched
6. Rescue
7. honoured
8. mountain

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What do you remember?

**Pick the right word from the boxes below. Write it on the line.
The answer key is on page 2.**

1. Tim Jones was a _____.
2. Tim Jones _____ Mount Seymour.
3. Jones walked his _____ on Mount Seymour.
4. Thousands of _____ came to his funeral.
5. They _____ the procession.
6. Tim Jones worked for North Shore _____.
7. Jones was _____ for his rescue work.
8. People want to name a _____ peak for him.

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