

## OBITUARY



***“Death is certain for one who has been born, and rebirth is inevitable for one who has died. Therefore, you should not lament over the inevitable”***  
**Bhagwadgita 2.27**

We at the United Service Institution (USI) of India are deeply grieved by the unfortunate and untimely demise of the first Chief of Defence Staff (CDS) General Bipin Rawat, PVSM, UYSM, AVSM, YSM, SM, VSM, ADC in a tragic helicopter crash on 08 December 2021. He was a great visionary and a transformational leader.

The accident also claimed the lives of his wife, Mrs Madhulika Rawat, Brig LS Lidder, Lt Col H Singh, Wg Cdr PS Chauhan, Sqn Ldr K Singh, JWO Das, JWO Pradeep A, Hav Satpal, Nk Gursewak Singh, Nk Jitender, L/Nk Vivek and L/Nk S Teja.



The USI salutes the departed souls. May they rest in eternal peace.

