



C. "Bud" Mandery

July 27, 2012

Mandery, C. Marvin "Bud" Age 87, died unexpectedly on Sunday, July 22. Born in rural Southwestern MN, he graduated from Lamberton High School in 1942. He served in the Navy in the South Pacific during WWII (1942-46) and received his BS from the University of MN in 1950 on the GI Bill. He married his wife, Ruth Sandgren, in 1951. Marv worked for General Mills Inc for 36 years in the Human Resources arena. Even after retirement General Mills was an important part of his life. He was often called upon to lead tour groups thru the company campus and he cherished the frequent gatherings with his fellow retirees. While working he was a dedicated member of the Economic Relocation Council, serving as an officer several times. He was an active volunteer even while working. He served on the leadership teams of several local PTA's, community councils and church committees . Activities started while working were carried over into retirement. Plus new ones were added. This includes 27 years of service to the Mpls Parks and Recreation Board, Meals on Wheels, Mill City Museum, Minnesota Historical Society, University of MN Carlson School of Mgmt, Family Means, Sports Medicine Surgery Center and High School Business competitions. Marv loved music and, in particular, The Metropolitan Opera and Minnesota Orchestra. He was passionate about Gopher football, travel, dancing and golf. Preceded in death by wife, Ruth, Marv is survived by brother DeVon Bangerter (Mary), daughters JoEllen Sanchez (Angel), Jeri Herman (Stan), Janelle Mandery, Julie Mandery, grandsons Nicolas Sanchez, Michael Herman, Daniel Herman,

granddaughter Erica Herman Valdez (Eddie) and other loving relatives and friends. Dad, we will love you and miss you forever. Memorial Service Saturday, July 28, 2:30 pm with visitation from 1:30-2:30 pm at Lake Harriet Methodist Church, 4901 Chowen Ave. So. Minneapolis, MN 55410. Private interment at Fort Snelling. Memorials to Lake Harriet Methodist Church or Herman Library of the Carlson School of Mgmt at the U of M, 321 19th Ave. So., Mpls., MN 55455. www.Washburn-McReavy.com Edina Chapel 952-920-3996

Tribute Wall



“ *Marv and I both served on the LHUMC Meals on Wheels team. He was a truly gentle man and I will miss him.*

~

Mary Yee,

Edina, Minnesota

Mary Yee - July 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CP

“ I knew him as Buddy, a special cousin and friend to my mother. He was a man of intellect and of grace. He will be missed by my family.

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Cal Popken,

Petaluma, California

Cal Popken - July 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BA

“ I had the pleasure of knowing Marv for many years through Lake Harriet United Methodist Church. I served on many committees with him and was also a neighbor of his when he lived on Sheridan Ave. He was a genuinely caring and kind person and will be missed in the LHUMC community.

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Bruce Anderson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Bruce Anderson - July 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ "Buddy" was my 2nd cousin. Though we lived many many miles apart, I always felt he was nearby, as he kept in touch often since my mother (LuVerne Popken) died. His father and my grandmother were siblings. I will miss you, Bud, so very much. What a mark you left on this earth! Save a place for me. Sheryl Nevers Federal Way, WA

July 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ *The world has lost one of the greatest! He really was a gift to this world, always one with a smile and warm loving hug when we met on campus. I am blessed by knowing him and his great love for others, especially for Ruth and his family. He was an honored graduate of the U Business School from with an industrial/human relations major. How fitting for a man who was all about human relations, always doing right by others. He always made others feel special and when visiting with you listened like a confidante. While he may be gone, his spirit truly lives on in all those he touched throughout his life. His spirit is in me! Thanks Marv! Have fun in heaven Marv, you deserve it!Peace"“The Governor” as Marv used to call me.*

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Chris Mayr,

Roseville, Minnesota

Chris Mayr - July 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ I feel honored to have worked for Marv in Human Resources over the past years. He was a man you just loved and respected and really looked up to for guidance and direction. He will be missed by so many people, however his contributions to the community is a wonderful legacy that he leaves.

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Mary Crozier,

Webster, Wisconsin

Mary Crozier - July 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ *JoEllen, Our prayers are with you and your family. Your friend Lois*

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Lois McCray,

Oakdale, Minnesota

Lois McCray - July 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *My deepest sympathy on the passing of your Father. I worked with your Dad at General Mills and he was such a nice, respectful caring person.*

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Judy Schehr,

Rice, Minnesota

Contact Me

Judy Schehr - July 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ *Mr. Mandery was a such a kind person, so approachable in HR. I had such respect for him and appreciated his leadership. My thoughts go to his family, and know that he lead a fulfilled and wonderful life and helped others do so as well.* Judy Fadden

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Judy Fadden,

Montrose, MN, Minnesota

Judy Fadden - July 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ I have the fondest memories of Marv as my first boss at General Mills in 1966. Through all these years, we have stayed in touch. Marv was such an inspiration as a boss, a loving husband, and a truly proud father of his daughters. He was such a dedicated volunteer in this community, too. What a difference one single person could make to so many! He will be missed by everyone whose lives he touched. We share in your sadness.

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Judy (Jarnberg) Horning,

San Diego, California

Judy (Jarnberg) Horning - July 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PP

“ *Marv was a deeply cherished member of Mill City Museum's staff. He was an amazing blend of quiet and unassuming nature combined with deep talents and experience. But most of all an openness to new experience that kept him far younger than his calendar age. My deepest condolences to the family!*

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Patrick Pfundstein,

St Paul, Minnesota

Patrick Pfundstein - July 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *I am so sorry about your loss. He was an amazing man and I am proud to call his wonderful daughter Janelle my friend.*

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Janet Malkiewicz,

Eden Prairie, Minnesota

Janet Malkiewicz - July 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM