



## Dan Nordahl

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Nordahl, Dan O. age 85, of Mpls, passed away 7/29/10. Born 12/11/1924, son of Norwegian immigrants Laura & Ole Nordahl. Dan grew up in South Mpls and graduated from South High in 1943. He joined the US Navy on D-Day June 6, 1944, trained at Pearl Harbor in amphibious training, served in WWII on the USS Lindenwald. Survived the great battle of Okinawa. Dan went on to art school at Mpls College of Art & Design and later joined the Mpls Police Dept. He served 25 years as a police officer and during his 25 years, received 6 commendations for special services. Preceded in death by son, Dan T.; brothers and sister. Survived by wife of 64 years, Joy E.; children, Steven, Jeff, Mary, Mike, Scott and Fred (Pam); many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. Dan enjoyed being an artist and painted seven portraits of his fellow police officers who were killed in the line of duty for the Mpls Police Dept. He had many other hobbies including WWII and US history, collecting military antiques and traveling. Dan will be greatly missed by his family and many friends. A loving father, husband, grandfather, great-grandfather and a true friend to all who knew him. Memorials to donor's choice. Interment Fort Snelling Cemetery. Funeral service Monday, 11 AM, with visitation 1 hour prior & Sunday, 5-7 PM at: Washburn-McReavy Edina Chapel 952-920-3996 West 50th St. & Hwy 100