



## Donald Arthur Sallen

August 19, 1936 - February 26, 2025

Sallen, Donald Arthur age 88 of Edina, MN passed away peacefully at home on February 26, 2025. Born and raised in Appleton, MN, he moved to Minneapolis to earn degrees from Augsburg College and the University of Minnesota, married his high school sweetheart, and enjoyed a long career as a middle school guidance counselor in Edina. He was a devoted husband and father, a friendly neighbor, a helpful handyman, a support to those in need, and an enthusiastic storyteller who was often last to leave a gathering. He was preceded in death by Shirley, his wife of 64 years; parents Arthur and Marjorie; and sisters Arliss, Ione, and Anita. He is survived by son Nate (Diane); daughters Beth (Dan) and Jenny (Steve); grandchildren Rachel, Dane, Jesse, Dan (Britney), Andy, Nick, Joe (Ariel), and Moth; great-grandchildren Juniper and Madeleine; and other beloved family and friends. A memorial service will be held March 24 at 11:00 am at Wooddale Church of Eden Prairie. Memorials preferred to Wooddale Church or the donor's choice. [www.Washburn-McReavy.com](http://www.Washburn-McReavy.com) Edina Chapel 952-920-3996

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

MAR **24**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Wooddale Church  
6630 Shady Oak Road  
Eden Prairie, MN 55344

# Tribute Wall

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“ Don was truly a wonderful colleague. I had the good fortune of working with Don at Valley View Middle School when I was an administrator there and he served as a counselor. He was a kind and caring man and a wonderful colleague and friend. Blessings to his entire family and all of his friends at this time of loss, reflection and appreciation. Chace Anderson

Chace Anderson - March 24, 2025 at 07:04 AM

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“ The Weber Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Donald Arthur Sallen.



The Weber Family - March 22, 2025 at 05:11 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Donald Arthur Sallen.



March 12, 2025 at 02:17 PM

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“ Thanksgiving at the Sallen's - a tradition for years. Love, Patty CarlinJanssen

Patricia CarlinJanssen - March 10, 2025 at 08:34 PM