



Douglas Wendler

March 10, 2011

Wendler, Douglas Edward Of Minnetonka, gained Heaven on March 8, 2011 to rejoin his beloved wife Mary. Doug was born in Newport News, VA on July 13, 1945 to Elmer and Hazel Wendler. He was raised in Wittenberg, WI and graduated from University of Wisconsin, Madison and University of Minnesota. While there he met and married Mary Elizabeth Boyington March 1, 1969. They lived their lives believing "they will know we are Christians by our love." Doug was a clinical audiologist at the VA Medical Center in Mpls. Music played an important part in Doug's life. He sang with the Apollo Men's Chorus, Cantati Evangelica, Leigh Morris Chorale, the Metropolitan Male Chorus, and the Wooddale Church Choir. Doug even dabbled in acting with "Shakespeare in the Park." Doug leaves behind his special friend Lauren Johnson, his sisters Jean Schmidt and Patricia Cowden (Boyd), a nephew, nieces, godchildren, and a large family of relatives and friends who added to his life and gave him joy. Doug gladly donated to Can Do Canines and Community Emergency Service. He was a grateful kidney transplant recipient and he donated his corneas so someone else could see. Please be an organ donor. Special thanks to Doug's caregivers at Chapel View and North Memorial Hospital and Hospice. Interment Shady Oak Cemetery in the spring. Funeral service Saturday 11:30 AM with visitation 1 hour prior at Wooddale Church, 6630 Shady Oak Rd., Eden Prairie. Visitation also Friday 5-8 PM at: Washburn-McReavy Edina Chapel 952-920-3996 West 50th St. & Hwy 100