



Edward White

December 18, 2005

White, Edward Wayne 78, died on December 14 of pancreatic cancer. He was born in Minneapolis on August 14, 1927, to J. Edward & Florence (Erickson) White, operators of White's Grocery in the wonderful area called Bryn Mawr. Ed delivered groceries while attending West High, graduating in 1945. He served in the Navy, then received a B.S. In Business from the University of Minnesota. He served on the Board of Directors at Warner Hardware, later opening his own True Value Hardware in Knollwood & Apple Valley. Ed was a charter member of Apple Valley Rotary & Chamber of Commerce, President of Minnesota-Dakotas Retail Hardware Assn., & treasurer of Olympia Investment Club. He was a Boy Scout, hunted & fished with his parents & grandparents, loved cats & dogs, swing era music, driving the tractor at his cabin, playing tennis & golf. A 2005 highlight was a golf trip with Braemar friends to Scotland where he shot 86 at St. Andrews. Ed is survived by his wife, Carolyn Comaford White, son Douglas, daughter Sharon, sister-in-law Nancy Comaford, cousins Jeanne & Jim Smith, & his dog Lucky. Special thanks to Dr. Bibi Khoyratty & the staff at Minnesota Oncology, to Dr. Bruce Boraas, & to Ed's many loving & caring friends. A memorial celebration for Ed will be held at Braemar Clubhouse in Edina, 6364 John Harris Dr., on December 29 at 1:00 p.m. Memorials may go to Braemar Memorial Fund; PanCAN, 2141 Rosecrans Av. #7000, El Segundo, CA 90245; University of Minnesota; or donor's choice. Arrangements by Washburn-McReavy Edina, 952-920-3996.