



Erling Ivar Platt

August 18, 1931 - August 27, 2021

Platt, Erling I. Age 90, Longtime resident of St. Louis Park passed peacefully into the arms of his Lord & Savior, Jesus Christ on Friday, August 27th after a short illness. Erling was born in Minneapolis at Swedish Hospital to Swedish immigrant parents. He grew up on a farm near Alexandria, Minnesota and finished his childhood in Saint Louis Park, graduating from Saint Louis Park High School. He enlisted in the U.S. Army in 1952 and served as a Military Policeman near Stuttgart, Germany in peacetime. Dad returned home and met the love of his life, our Mom, Geneva at Park Baptist Church in Saint Louis Park. They were married for 56 years and shared a special love and companionship throughout all of those years. Erling worked for his entire career in the Grain Marketing business, primarily at the Minneapolis Grain Exchange, finishing his career there as a Grain Merchandiser. Erling was a wonderful father, grandfather and great-grandfather who never hesitated to show his deep love for all of us. Dad was known by everyone that he encountered as a very kind man, he always sought people out and made them feel appreciated. He was such a solid example to all of his sons of how to live as a man who loved his Lord, his family, his friends and his church. Erling is survived by his 3 sons, Doug (Linda), Rodger (Tammy) and Ken (Ann), also by 6 grandchildren, Stephanie (Noah), Lauren, Becca, Britta, Chase and Connor, also by 3 great-grandchildren, Brynn, Jackson and Harrison. Special Thanks to all who cared for Erling at Methodist Hospital, Interlude Care Facility and especially all of the caregivers at NC Little

Hospice. Memorial Service will be at Cross of Glory Church, 4600 Shady Oak Road, Minnetonka on Tuesday, September 7 at 11am with visitation starting an hour before the service. In lieu of flowers, memorials preferred to Cross of Glory Church. Washburn-McReavy.com Strobeck Johnson 952-938-9020

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 7. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Cross of Glory Baptist Church
4600 Shady Oak Road
Minnetonka, MN 55303

Memorial Service

SEP 7. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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