



## Erwin Willis Brown

March 22, 1922 - October 24, 2013

Age 91 of North Oaks, MN. Passed away Oct. 24, 2013. Survived by wife of 70 years, Shirley; daughter, Barbara (Daniel) Engen; son, William Brown; 8 grandchildren; 6 great grandchildren; sister, Betty (John) Doyle. Erwin was a WWII Veteran and former Vice President and longtime engineer and physicist for 3M. Visitation Tuesday (Oct. 29, 2013) 4-7 PM at the HOLCOMB-HENRY-BOOM-PURCELL FUNERAL HOME, 515 Hwy 96 W., at Mackubin, Shoreview. Funeral Service 11:00 AM Wednesday (Oct. 30, 2013) at WHITE BEAR PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 4821 Bloom, White Bear Lake, MN. Interment Ft. Snelling National Cemetery.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Aunt Shirley, Barb, Bill and families,  
We are so sad to hear of Uncle Erwin's passing. We all have dear memories of him. He used to greet us with his unique "Uncle Erwin pinches" and mesmerize us with his stories of exotic lands and adventures. He was a great historian, telling us vivid tales of his boyhood home in Luverne and his wonderful life with his family there. We keep all of you in our hearts and prayers during this difficult time. Rest in peace, Uncle Erwin.  
With love, Peggy, Pat and famililes

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**Peggy Martin-Waters** - October 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Aunt Shirley, Barb and Bill...

*Our hearts are saddened by the loss of someone as full of life and adventure as Uncle Erwin. My childhood memories of him are filled with stories of his many travels and his vivid descriptions of his hunting and fishing experiences around the world. Our grandsons loved nothing quite as much as visiting him at his house. Rich enjoyed seeing the boys' eyes light up as they viewed his many trophies and listened to the stories of his life. How happy I am that another generation of our family knew him well! The stories live on in our memories.*

*You are all in our hearts and thoughts during these days. Rest in peace, Uncle Erwin.*

*Love, Cammy and Rich*

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**Cammy Iverson** - October 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ We're so sorry to hear of Uncle Erwin's passing. I have fond memories of listening to him tell stories of his travels and adventures. His basement full of treasures was a wonder to me as a child, and my own children were lucky enough to experience that same sense of amazement just this past summer. His love for and dedication to his sister and my grandmother, Dorothy, is probably the aspect of Erwin I'll remember most of all. Peace to Erwin, his family, and all who loved him. Rachel Iverson and family.

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**Rachel Iverson** - October 26, 2013 at 12:00 AM