



Mr. Everett Dean Anderson

July 28, 1937 - May 29, 2018

Everett “Ev” D. Anderson, age 80 of Coon Rapids, died May 29, 2018. Born to Archie and Vernus Anderson on July 28, 1937, Ev began his career in engineering at Univac and Control Data. He left computer technology for medical technology, working on early models of insulin pumps. He and associates formed Deltec Inc. in the mid 1980s where his team designed the first portable analgesic and chemotherapy pumps. Electronics was also his hobby – he was an amateur radio operator (ham) for over 50 years known by the call W0EDA. Ev was a mentor (Elmer) for many members of the Courage Center HandiHam System. After his retirement from electronics, he moved to Coon Rapids where he volunteered at Allina Mercy Hospital for 18 years. Ev is survived by his sister, Mary (Clyde) Chase; nephews and niece, Donald Hoffman, Ronald (Polly) Hoffman, Tim (Heidi) Hoffman, Greg (Shelley) Peterson, and Kevin (Beth) Chase; and by friends and neighbors, Janice and Janet Robidoux. A memorial service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, June 8th at the Washburn-McReavy, Coon Rapids Chapel, 1827 Coon Rapids Blvd with visitation at 10 a.m. A private inurnment will occur at a later date. Memorials specified for dementia research may be sent to the Mercy Hospital Foundation.

Tribute Wall

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Ralph Wernimont - June 08, 2018 at 05:58 AM

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“ *Ev was a special person, he made me feel special.
I enjoyed working with him at the Hospital.
Ralph Wernimont*

Ralph Wernimont - June 08, 2018 at 05:48 AM

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“ *Ev was always interesting to talk to at the Messenger desk. He was intelligent, kind, and a gentle soul. He loved nature, particularly flowers, and music. His memory will remain with his many friends in our hearts and on the annual videos that he made with Janice and Janet. He will truly be missed.
Jennifer and Rick Carlson*

Jennifer Carlson - June 02, 2018 at 11:57 AM