



George Kingsley Foster

October 9, 1916 - October 29, 2009

Age 93 of North Oaks. Passed away on October 29, 2009 at Alterra Clare Bridge of North Oaks. Kingsley was born on October 9, 1916 to Pearl and George Foster of Minneapolis, MN. Kingsley is survived by his three children, Lesley (Joe) Klein, Geoffrey, and Sarah (John) Idstrom; four grandchildren Charles (Michelle) Klein, Kathlyn Klein, Elizabeth Foster and Claire Idstrom; and two great-grandchildren Christopher and Collin Klein. Kingsley was preceded in death by his beloved wife Kathlyn (Kay) in 2005 and his grandson Timothy Klein in 2008. Kingsley received his law degree from the University of Minnesota. He then joined the Army Air Force to serve in WWII where he was based in England. He practiced law, then worked overseas for the Firestone Tire Company. Kingsley returned to Minnesota to work as president of the North Oaks Company until his retirement. He served on the St. Paul Chamber Orchestra and Freshwater Society Boards. The family gives special thanks to the staff at Alterra Clare Bridge of North Oaks for their dedicated care. Kingsley was a devoted husband, father and friend; his gentle presence will truly be missed and remembered. A memorial service will be held at 10:00 AM on Saturday December 5, 2009 at HOLCOMB-HENRY-BOOM-PURCELL CHAPEL, 515 Highway 96 W at Mackubin, Shoreview (651-482-7606). A private interment will be at the Fort Snelling National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the Alzheimer's Association at www.alz.org.