



George Powers

March 6, 2011

Powers, George L. age 80, of Plymouth, MN died on March 2, 2011. He is survived by Peg his loving wife of 54 years, children Gregg (Lois), Maureen (John), Scott and Vic (Maria), sister Mae Sturtz and six grandchildren. George was born in Ferguson, IA to Mildred and Roy Powers. After serving in the Korean War, George moved to Des Moines to attend college. There he met and married Peggy O'Connor. George served 13 years in the Iowa Air National Guard while gaining practical experience as a medical management consultant. His entrepreneurial spirit and business ventures moved the family several times throughout the years. It was during a move to Atlanta in 1976 that he started his own company; a company he would sell 12 years later. Their final move was to Minnesota in order to be close to the grandkids he cherished. George was an avid train and aviation enthusiast. He was also a voracious reader of military and non-fiction novels. First and foremost, George was a family man. His gentle and kind demeanor, compassion and love for those around him inspired love, confidence and loyalty among his family and friends. The way he lived his life was truly an inspiration to those who knew him. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the American Cancer Society. Memorial Mass of Christian Burial will be held 10 AM Tuesday, March 8, 2011 with visitation one hour prior to the Mass at the Church of the Good Shepherd, 145 Jersey Ave., Golden Valley, MN. Washburn-McReavy Edina Chapel 952-920-3996