



Glenn "Winky" Olmsted

August 1, 2003

Olmsted Glenn Thomas "Winky" Olmsted, 51, of Edina, died of cancer at his mother's home on July 26, 2003. Born on June 6, 1952, he was baptized and confirmed at St. Stephen the Martyr Episcopal Church where he was a lifelong member. He was preceded in death by his father, George Rhodes Olmsted; brother, George Layton Olmsted; grandfather and grandmother, Rene & Glenn Dunlap Olmsted; grandfather and grandmother, Ida & Frank Ellis; uncle, Jay Ellis. He is survived by his mother, Kay; uncle, Dolan Ellis; cousins, Chad and Douglas; and his beloved cat, Indy. Glenn attended Blake School, graduated from Edina High School, and attended the University of Minnesota at Marshall. His business career included Regional Manager for Team Electronics, Proprietor with his brother of Viking Video, and Salesman at Audio King. He owned and managed private properties in Florida, including a sand mine business. Glenn was a grateful 22-year member of AA, where he enjoyed the fellowship of other members. A lover of music from the Beatles to Beethoven, he was a patron of the arts, especially the opera and symphony orchestra. Among his hobbies were collecting Beatle memorabilia, Kachina dolls, and reading. He was especially well-versed in politics. He will be remembered for his devotion to his family and friends, his love of animals, his kindness and generosity, and his faith in God. Thanks to Drs. Arnold Leonard, Mark Dayton, Selman Shafiq, and the staff of Parker Hughes Clinic for their tender care. Memorials are preferred to The National Neuro-fibroma-tosis Foundation for Research, 95 Pine St., 16th floor, NY, NY 10005- 1703 or to St.

Stephen's Church. Memorial service 11 AM, Saturday, August 2, at St.
Stephen's Episcopal Church, W. 50th St. & Wooddale Av. S., Edina. Luncheon
following service. Interment Lakewood Cemetery. Washburn-McReavy Edina
Chapel 952-920-3996