



Kenneth "Ken" John Reid

December 3, 1934 - February 5, 2025

Kenneth (Ken) Reid, 90, of Eden Prairie, MN passed away peacefully with his family by his side on February 5, 2025. He is lovingly remembered by his wife, Gwenda; children, Paul (Janet), Bonnie (Mike), Trudie (Mark); grandchildren Robert (Victoria), Jonathan, Sydney, Megan, Rachel, Caroline, Reid; and great-grandchild Lily. He is preceded in death by his parents and siblings. Ken earned his Chemical Engineering PhD from Cambridge University (UK) and held positions around the globe before settling in Minnesota where he was a professor and department director at the University of Minnesota. He accomplished so much but nothing made him happier than spending time with his family. Per Ken's request, a private family service at Lakewood Cemetery will be held at a later date.

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Tribute Wall

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“ Ken was a fantastic professor and mentor to me during my time at MRRC U of MN. He was also very kind, inviting my family to his house and we stayed in touch of the years after we moved to Australia. Sincere condolences to Gwenda and all Ken's children and grandchildren. Rest in Peace Ken.



Allon Brent - February 11, 2025 at 12:38 AM

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My sincere condolences to Untie Gwenda and all the family. With over 9,400 miles between our families, the few memories I have from your visits to Australia are still vivid in my memories. Uncle Ken you were a stubborn and determined competitor on the squash court. Rest in peace Uncle Ken

Brick Fogarty - February 11, 2025 at 07:19 PM

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My condolences to Gwenda and the entire Reid family. I served with Ken on a scientific society and he was a phenomenal contributor.

Gregory Alan Beckstrom - February 18, 2025 at 03:01 PM

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I am preparing an Appreciation for Ken that would be published in the Mining Engineering Magazine (the publication for the Society of Mining, Metallurgy & Exploration/AIME). Ken was a long-time member. Could someone from the Reid family please reach out to me. - Greg Beckstrom, email: gab4254@gmail.com, tel: (612) 619-6851.

Gregory Alan Beckstrom - February 18, 2025 at 03:15 PM