



## Lester Louis Seglin

September 20, 1928 - May 7, 2020

Lester L. Seglin, age 91, of St. Louis Park died peacefully on May 7, 2020. He was preceded in death by his wife, Beverly (Krauss), his brother Harold, and his two sisters, Regina and Terry. He is survived by his children Patti S. Palay and her husband Howard and Jeffrey L. Seglin and his wife Nancy, as well as five grandchildren: Edward Coleman (Lisa Freiman), Bethany Whitemyer (David), David Palay (Sarah), Brian Palay, and Lauren Paletz (Max); and seven great grandchildren: Evan and Lucas Whitemyer, Michaela and Tess Coleman, Anna and Leah Paletz, and Oliver Palay. Born in Brooklyn, NY, Lester completed his undergraduate and graduate work at Cornell University and had a long career as an agronomist chiefly with the Soil Conservation Service of the USDA. He was the author of several soil surveys, papers, and books. He was dedicated to volunteering throughout his life. He was an avid stamp, coin, and book collector, and loved a good joke. He will be remembered for his kindness, humor, and devotion to his family. A virtual service will be held on Sunday May 10, at 11:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers, please consider donations to the Minnesota Ovarian Cancer Alliance.

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

MAY 10. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

United Hebrew Brotherhood Cemetery  
2605 West 70 1/2 Street  
Richfield, MN 55423

# Tribute Wall

 Jeffrey Seglin

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**Jeffrey Seglin** - December 25, 2020 at 01:21 PM

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“ *Lester was such a wonderful man! He helped me so much in my job at Knollwood Place. We had so much fun! He would use his alter ego, Lou Cooper, and make little surprises for the other tenants on the program committee. He helped with so many things! There is no one like him. I will miss him. I am so sorry for your loss!*

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**Pam Ulseth-Gusdal** - May 11, 2020 at 05:15 PM

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**Jeffrey Seglin** - May 11, 2020 at 04:19 PM

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“ We are so sorry for the loss of Lester. He was always such a kind man, sensitive to the needs of others, and a good friend to my mother. May wonderful memories of a long life well lived, eventually replace the sadness you now feel.  
We send our deepest condolences.  
diane and louie goldenberg

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**diane goldenberg** - May 10, 2020 at 04:58 PM