



Lyle Roger (Wagner) Ross

May 5, 2017

Lyle Roger (Wagner) Ross, 76 of Coon Rapids, MN, passed away peacefully early Friday morning, May 5, 2017, at his home. Lyle was born on July 7, 1940 in Crookston, MN. Lyle's parents, Walter and Bertha Ross raised him in Fisher, MN where he graduated from High School. After two years of college Lyle enlisted in the army and attended the US Army Intelligence School and applied those skills while stationed in Korea. He then attended and graduated from Moorhead State University.

On September 2, 1962 Lyle was united in marriage to Alice Lehmkuhl at St. John's Lutheran Church, Wadena, Minnesota. They made their home in Chicago, Illinois until Lyle was honorably discharged from the Army in April of 1963. Lyle and Alice were blessed with a variety of careers and experiences that enriched the whole family. The motto was to "grow where you are planted" and they certainly did. In retirement, Lyle found great joy in being the Superintendent of the Minnesota State Fair Grandstand. Lyle's journey with cancer brought new opportunities to share his love for God with others. It was not unusual for other patients in the infusion bay to ask him if he had time to come visit with them.

The beloved husband of Alice for 54 years. Caring father of Kurt (Jill), Glen, Karla (Rob) Tretter, Gary (Kari). Grandfather of Jason, Andrew (Aimee), Hayley (Andy) Oye, Sarah, Amanda, Christina Tretter, Kyle, Jenna Tretter,

Adison, Isadora and Emma. Great Grandfather of Autumn, Teagan and Eliem. Brother of Armin (Kathy) Ross, Betty (Marlin) Radi and Donald (Joann) Kesler. Lyle will be sadly missed by many nieces, nephews, and other relatives. Lyle is preceded in death by his parents, Walter and Bertha Ross; three brothers, Gerald, Duane and Harold; three sisters, Rosemary, Dorothy and Marlein; nephews, Timothy Radi, Eugene Kesler and Kevin Weiher.

Funeral service 11 AM Thursday, May 11, with visitation one hour prior at King of Glory Lutheran Church, 10103 University Ave. NE, Blaine. Interment Wadena Cemetery.

Washburn-McReavy.com

Coon Rapids Chapel 763-767-1000

Tribute Wall

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“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Sincerely Jim and Patty Perry family.*

James Perry - May 11, 2017 at 10:06 AM

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“ *Dear Alice,
So sorry for your loss, I have fond memories of you and Lyle, he always seemed happy to see me, was always kind and funny. My sympathy's to the family. You are in my prayers.
Sandy Klein Kegler*

Sandy Klein Kegler - May 08, 2017 at 09:18 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lyle Roger (Wagner) Ross.*



May 08, 2017 at 08:02 PM