



Marvin Arnold Eakman

February 20, 2014

Eakman, Marvin Arnold, Sr. Age 90, of Minneapolis, MN, passed away peacefully at home on February 20, 2014. Preceded in death by parents, Ivan and Martha Eakman. Survived by Ann, his beloved wife of almost 58 years; son Marvin A. Eakman, Jr.; daughters Susan (Dave) Sime, Sandra (Mark) Hayes, Karen (Wally) Ellison, Linda (Michael) Blum, Barbara (Mark) Frank and Marilyn (Timothy) Hall; 12 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren; brother William Eakman and sister Bonnie Esse, and many nieces and nephews. Marvin was dedicated to his wife and children and was a beloved grandfather and great-grandfather. Marvin enlisted in the U.S. Army at age 18 and served overseas in WWII, also serving four years in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War. Marvin studied journalism at Augsburg College and Political Science at the Univ. of MN. He worked in sales and advertising and had a passion for politics and writing. His political speeches and writings placed him in the Guinness Book of World Records. Marvin always had a joke or funny story to tell and his sense of humor brightened everyone's lives. Marvin will be deeply missed and forever in our hearts. Many thanks to Park Nicollet Methodist Hospice for their wonderful care. Memorials preferred to Sacred Heart Catholic School. Private interment at Fort Snelling National Cemetery. www.Washburn-McReavy.com Edina Chapel 952-920-3996

Tribute Wall

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“ *Linda lit a candle in memory of Marvin Arnold Eakman*



Linda - June 11, 2014 at 03:52 AM

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“ *My dad was one of a kind. He was unique and original. His ideas were ahead of their time. He was fearless in many ways. I learned a lot from my father. He brought me with to work with him when I was 30 to see if I had a knack for sales. I didn't but those 2 weeks were awesome. He was always helping his family in one way or another. He always remembered his wife's birthday and their anniversaries. He was the best grandfather to my daughter. He held her when she was a baby. They played for hours. He helped her ride her bike. He gave her rides on the little merry go round at a Cub store. He attended her school events. When she was older, he gave her advice about such things as choosing friends wisely and avoiding alcohol. He was educated, traveled the world, achieved many of his goals, and remained humble always. There is so much more I could write. I love you dad. I miss you every day. Someday, we will all be together again.*

Marilyn Hall - May 09, 2014 at 03:14 PM

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Well said, Ms. Hall...

Linda - June 11, 2014 at 04:21 AM

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William Eakman (brother) - February 24, 2014 at 10:11 AM