



## Phillip Rasmus Davidson

August 24, 1940 - August 11, 2023

Phillip Rasmus Davidson, age 82, of Eden Prairie, formerly of Edina, passed away peacefully amongst family on Friday, August 11, 2023.

Born August 24, 1940, in Red Wing, MN to Albert and Mildred (Hansen) Davidson of Ellsworth, WI. Phil was a graduate of Ellsworth High School where he served as captain of the Baseball, Basketball, and Football teams and was also a participating member of the 4H club. After graduating high school, he went on to become a member of the Army Reserves in Wisconsin. After his service, he went on to attend college at University of Wisconsin - River Falls and then graduated from Luther College with a double major in Business Administration and Math in 1963. Phil was a retired insurance executive with Travelers Insurance for 29 years and went on to serve as an independent insurance auditor. Phil was an active member of Good Shepherd, where he served in many leadership capacities including Council President and Chair of the Heritage Committee. Phil loved spending his free time with family and also enjoyed woodworking and carving.

Phil is survived by his wife of 59 years, Kären (Harr); children, Thor (Wendy), Sven, Bjorn (Jim), and Hans (Erica); grandchildren, Anders and Brenna Davidson; brother, Don (Joanne) Davidson. Phil was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Gerald Davidson.

A memorial service will be held at 10 AM on Wednesday, August 23rd, 2023, at Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd in Minneapolis ([www.goodshepherdmpls.org](http://www.goodshepherdmpls.org)). A reception will follow the service at the church.

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be made to Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd or Plymouth Christian Youth Center.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

AUG 23. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd  
4801 France Avenue South  
Minneapolis, MN

# Tribute Wall



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Phillip Rasmus Davidson.



August 22, 2023 at 10:47 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Phillip Rasmus Davidson.

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“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Phillip Rasmus Davidson.



August 21, 2023 at 02:42 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Phillip Rasmus Davidson.



August 20, 2023 at 02:55 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Phillip Rasmus Davidson.

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“ So sorry to hear of Phil’s passing. He was a cousin of mine. His father and my father were brothers. I have lots of good memories spending time with Phil and his parents and family. He was a wonderful Godly man and was delightful to talk to and had a good sense of humor. Sorry I am not able to attend the memorial service. My condolences to the family

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**Bonnie Davidson** - August 19, 2023 at 06:55 PM