



## Richard Geoffrey Hallas

July 25, 1954 - January 16, 2025

Richard Geoffrey Hallas, age 70, formerly of St Paul, died unexpectedly on January 16, 2025. He was born in Yorkshire, England. Richard was known for his craftsmanship in masonry and his talents and passion for stonework took him to many places in the world. He worked in England, The Netherlands, the Congo, throughout Australia, and then immigrated to the US, where he left his mark in stonework across many states. He loved travel and adventure as well as Scrabble and Jeopardy. Richard is preceded in death by his parents, Geoffrey Hallas and Ruby Markwik, and nephew Alexander Firth. He is survived by his wife Josephine. He is survived by son Eric and daughter Elizabeth, sisters Rosemary Hallas, Yvonne Crowle, brother Edmund Hallas (Eva) and nephews Tom, Nicholas and niece Joanna. Private interment at Glen Haven. Celebration of Life will be held on Friday Feb 7th. For details, please email [Lizzyhallas@gmail.com](mailto:Lizzyhallas@gmail.com). Memorials preferred to the American Cancer Society