



## Roger Allen Anderson

January 14, 1930 - January 4, 2024

Anderson, Roger A., age 93 of Columbia Heights and Mounds View passed away peacefully on January 4 with family by his side. He was predeceased by Dorothy, his beloved wife of 62 years, parents Carl and Serine, brothers Forrest, Wallace, Kieth, Dale, and Robert, brother-in-law Arlo, and sister-in-law Harriet.

Roger grew up in Cushing and devoted himself to a life of hard work, public service, and dedication to his faith and his family. Roger worked hard starting at a young age to help support the family farm. He valued his family throughout his entire life and was a loyal son and brother. Roger served his country in the Navy reserves for 20 years. He followed several brothers by moving to Minneapolis where he started his career in the post office, where he worked 30 years as a carrier and station manager of several branches. He married Dorothy Ciskovsky in 1958. They lived in Columbia Heights for 40 years where they raised their family before moving to their new community in Mounds View where they helped recruit many friends and made new ones. Roger and Dorothy were active members of First Lutheran Church, participating in many groups and volunteer efforts.

Roger is survived by children Jerry (Jody) Anderson, Karen (Mark) Magnuson, Doug (Melissa) Anderson, ten grandchildren, twenty-three great-grandchildren, brothers Bill (Myrna), Carl (Kathy), and David (Eileen), sisters

Marie Kneeland and Elise (Ron) Karger, sister-in-laws DeLoris, Clarice, Amber, Joan Cordes, Lu Ciskovsky, and many nieces and nephews.

The family is grateful for the support from many friends at First Lutheran Church, members of their residential community, and the staff of Champlin Shores.

Visitation at 10:00, memorial service at 11:00, and lunch immediately following on Wednesday January 24 at First Lutheran Church in Columbia Heights. Memorials preferred to American Cancer Society or First Lutheran Church.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 24. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

First Lutheran Church of Columbia Heights  
1555 40th Avenue NE  
Columbia Heights, MN 55421

## Church Service

JAN 24. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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1555 40th Avenue NE  
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## Graveside Service

JAN 24. 1:30 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Sunset Memorial Park (Minneapolis)  
2250 Saint Anthony Boulevard  
Minneapolis, MN 55418

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Roger Allen Anderson.*



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January 21, 2024 at 12:11 PM



“ *Love, Karla, David & family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Roger Allen Anderson.*

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