



Roland Clarence Danielson

October 14, 2016

Danielson, Roland Clarence age 84, of Edina, Minnesota went to be with his Savior and Lord on October 14, 2016 following a short battle with complications due to pneumonia. Roland (Rollie) was born in Minneapolis on December 15, 1931. He is preceded in death by his loving parents Stanley and Esther, stepmother Alice, sisters, Lois Danielson and Marlys Carlson, and brothers, Stanford and Woody. He is survived by his loving wife of 57 years, Shirley, brother Dean (Dolly) Danielson, and brother-in-law Franklin Carlson. He is also survived by his children, Terri (Mark) Strom-berg, Scott (Becky) Danielson, Troy Danielson, and grandchildren, Amy (Patrick) McDonald, Michael Stromberg, Ryan Danielson and Eric Danielson. Rollie attended Central High School in Minneapolis where he played hockey with the Central Blademen. He was a graduate of the University of Minnesota with a Business degree and was a Second Lieutenant in the Army. Originally, Rollie was co-owner of U.S. Bench Corporation with his brother Woody, then with his sons, Scott and Troy. He was actively involved in the company until the time of his illness. He was proud that the business he began decades ago is still vibrant today. At one time, Rollie was also co-owner of First American State Bank of Brownsdale, First American State Bank of Sargeant, and First American State Bank of Grand Meadow in southeastern Minnesota; being active in the banking industry for 30 years. However, his heart was in farming. Rollie owned Pleasant Grove Farm, which was built by his grandfather in 1916, where he and his sons planted and harvested wheat in Kennedy, Minnesota.

At the farm, it was always up at 6:00 a.m. everyday working, except on Sundays. Along with his sweetheart, Shirley, Rollie had a passion for travel and visited all parts of the world. However, Rollie's deepest love was for his Savior, Jesus Christ, and his family. He attended every event he could with his grandchildren; concerts, ballgames, scout ceremonies, soccer games, and parades. A nearly life-long participant at First Covenant Church in downtown Minneapolis, Rollie and Shirley had been recently attending Colonial Church. Visitation to be held at Washburn-McReavy (50th and Vernon) in Edina from 4-7 p.m. Wednesday, October 19th. A memorial service will be held at Colonial Church of Edina, 6200 Colonial Way, on Thursday, October 20 at 11 a.m. Memorials preferred to Friendship Place, a group home for disabled adults where Rollie's grandson, Michael, resides. Friendship Place 135 Ash Street Lino Lakes, MN 55126. Peace to his memory! Washburn-McReavy.com Edina Chapel 952-920-3996 West 50th St. & Hwy 100

Tribute Wall

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“ *My sympathies to the Danielson family. Your Dad and I did business together for 20 years with the bus benches. I truly his enjoyed our visits together talking about everything from family, faith and politics. He was amazing how active he was in the business during his 70's and 80's. Truly an inspiration. Rest in peace Rollie!!*
In Christ,
Chris Ahles

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“ Rollie was a first cousin to my mom and they always kept in touch. I remember visits to Esther and Stanley's house on Clinton, with the Central HS football field right behind. And Roland & Shirley made many trips to SD to visit mom and his other cousins there. He had an infectious smile and, if I remember right, was somewhat of a teaser. I'd just sit and listen to all of them visiting, mostly about family. I remember too, traveling to Kennedy, so see mom's aunt Verta, and Rollie would happen to be out at the farm and would so much enjoy showing us around. I know mom thought an awful lot of Rollie. Just talking about him would bring a smile to her face. Those who knew him well were very lucky. May all your great memories help you get through the next few days and weeks.

Duane Hoven

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“ Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Roland Clarence Danielson.



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