



Steven Bruce Zieske

September 12, 1947 - February 2, 2026

Steven B Zieske died on Monday, February 2, 2026 after battling pneumonia. Steve was born September 12, 1947, the son of Donald and Cleotha Zieske. He grew up in Walnut Grove, MN and was active in sports and the Boy Scouts/Explorer program. He graduated from Walnut Grove High School in 1965. He then attended Augustana University in Sioux Falls, SD. He graduated with a Bachelor's of Science degree in Business Administration in 1969. Steve had an over 30 year career selling commercial insurance coverage to businesses throughout Minnesota. After retirement he spent the winter months for three years relaxing in Surprise, AZ to escape the harsh, cold winters of Minnesota.

Steve is survived by his son Jeffrey of Bloomington, MN, daughter Amy (Tim) and grandson Mason Chancellor of Orange, CA. Per Steve's request, there will be no service.

Memorials can be sent to the Upper Midwest Chapter of the Multiple Sclerosis Society. (<https://www.nationalmssociety.org/resources/get-connected/in-your-area/mnm>)

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“ I am saddened by the passing of Steve. My first encounter with him was when he joined the Sentry Insurance Minnesota sales group. From the very beginning, Steve stood out as a knowledgeable and skilled insurance professional. Over the past 15 years, a group of former Sentry sales staff—both retired and those who had moved on—would gather annually at the Chop Steak House in Bloomington for an extended lunch. This gathering was filled with laughter as we reminisced about the good old days. We exchanged stories about how great we all used to be. Steve was truly a wonderful person and always a pleasure to be around. His presence added joy to our gatherings and brightened our lives. He will be greatly missed.

Doug Austin - February 12 at 04:03 PM