



Thomas J. Holzer

July 8, 2017

Holzer, J. Thomas age 70 passed away on July 8, 2017 surrounded by his family. Tom grew up in St. Louis Park and graduated from Blake School. After attending Coe College, Tom was drafted and went to Germany for a year and a half ('68 '70). He returned to college at the U of M for a while and then began his career as the only overnight Reservations Agent for National Car Rental in 1971. Tom transformed that job into a Telecommunications Professional career (70's 90's) and changed careers again to a Project Management Professional, PMP ('98 '16). He worked at several major companies in the Twin Cities area including: National Car Rental, Pickwick International, Pillsbury, IDS, American Express, Norwest, and Wells Fargo. He enjoyed several hobbies. He was a better than average Tournament Bridge Player with a Silver Life Master Ranking, an avid but worse than average Golfer, a consistent winner at the Poker tables at Canterbury, and a passable Backgammon Player. Tom touched many lives and will be remembered for his generosity, intellect, and wit. He is survived by sister, Lori (Steve); hockey companion son, Michael; daughter, Dawn; apple of his eye grandson, DJ; mother of his children, Liz; longtime bridge partner and best friend, Rick; and many other friends and relatives. Funeral Service 7:30 pm Thursday July 13th with visitation beginning at 6:00pm at Union Congregational Church, 3700 Alabama Ave South, St. Louis Park. Private Interment Lakewood Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorials preferred to NAMI (National Alliance of Mental Illness) or Defending the Blue Line. Washburn-McReavy.com Edina Chapel

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