



Walter Peterson

April 19, 2009

Peterson, Walter F. age 82, of Minnetonka, was born Dec. 14, 1926 in Redfield, SD and died April 15, 2009 after a 5 month battle with melanoma cancer. Preceded in death by his son, Doug; parents; and sister, Vivian Egerstrom. Survived by his wife of 58 years, Ila; daughter, Diane Bazella; brother, Murray; sister, Nancy Schwalbe; grandchildren & great-grandchildren. Walt loved being a grandpa. Graduated from Mound H.S. Served 18 months in the U.S. Army. Graduated from University of MN Civil Engineering School and was a member of Chi Epsilon. His first years in construction he was employed by Standard Construction & Borson Construction. In 1971 he purchased Lovering Assoc. Inc. and was owner & president until he retired in 1991. He was very proud of the landmarks that he left in the Twin Cities area and out state. Walt served on Board of Directors for Building Exchange of St. Paul & The Associated General Contractors of America. Walt was an avid golfer and was a member of Mpls. Golf Club for 50 years and 23years at Island Country Club in Marco Island, FL. He was a founding member of Good Samaritan United Methodist Church. Walt had three loves in his life, his family, his work and golf. In lieu of flowers, memorials are preferred to Good Samaritan U.M.C. Memorial service Friday, April 24th, 11:00 AM, with visitation one hour prior to the service at Good Samaritan UMC, 5730 Grove St., Edina. Washburn-McReavy Edina Chapel 952-920-3996