



## Warren Stellmacher

April 11, 2002

Stellmacher - Warren Martin, died peacefully at home April 7, 2002. Warren was born in Eyota, MN April 26, 1931 to Harold & Emma Stellmacher. After graduating from St. Charles H.S. in 1949, he attended St. Olaf College for one year before transferring to the University of Minnesota. Upon graduating from the University in 1954 with a degree in psychology and speech, Warren worked as a tour guide for Happiness Tours travelling across the Nation. In 1954 he enlisted in the Army and was honorably discharged in 1955. He joined KROC-TV in Rochester, MN in 1956 and worked there as an announcer before accepting a position at WH10-TV in Dayton, OH as staff announcer. He worked there for seven years and moved back to MN to work for WTCN-TV in Mpls. in 1965. Warren worked for WTCN, WUSA, and KARE11 for a total of 37 years. He worked in many capacities in television including announcer, talk show host and producer. His shows ranged from 'Dialing for Dollars' to 'What's New?' His interests included fishing, golfing, skiing, cooking, entertaining, and perhaps his greatest love, travel. He was also an accomplished handyman who could plumb a sink, wire a room, or tune up a boat motor. Warren was a true Renaissance man. He was Minnesotan to the core and loved boating, in northern MN. Warren was a beloved father, a trusted friend, and a consummate professional. He will be deeply missed by all of us who were lucky enough to know him. Warren is survived by his three children, Craig, Karen and Eric Stellmacher; and his brother Sheridan Young. Service Friday 10:30AM at the WASHBURN-

MCREAVY EDINA CHAPEL, W. 50th St. at Hwy. 100. Visitation Thursday 4-8PM and one hour before the service. In lieu of flowers, memorials are preferred to the Minneapolis Public Library. Washburn-McReavy Edina Chapel 952-920-3996.