



William John Herrick

March 15, 2014

Herrick, William J. of Mpls, MN, born July 10, 1938, passed away peacefully surrounded by loving family after a long and courageous battle with cancer on Saturday, March 15, 2014. Preceded in death by parents, Frank and Mary Herrick; sister, Arlene. Survived by loving wife of 55 years, Barb; children, Mike, John, Patty (David) Scott, and Tom (Denise); 8 grandchildren; dear friend and beloved brother, Mike (Carol); sisters, Theresa Dupont, Ginny Bray, and Susan (Denny) Clemmer; and brother-in-law, Al Meier. Bill graduated from Roosevelt High School Class of 1956. He worked in the window manufacturing business at Alpana, DeVac, and Cardinal Glass. In 1984 Bill cofounded "Wave Wackers", a successful splash-guard business. He started the "Wave Wackers" Invitational Walleye Fishing Tournament on Lake Mille Lacs that became one of the most prestigious fishing events in the nation for 26 years. He was an avid outdoorsman and enjoyed time at the cabin. Most of all he loved spending time with family and friends. Memorial service 11 AM Friday, March 21 at Washburn-McReavy Edina Chapel, West 50th St. & Hwy. 100, Edina. There will be a visitation beginning at 10 AM and a reception following the service. Memorials preferred. www.Washburn-McReavy.com
Edina Chapel 952-920-3996

Tribute Wall

BB

“ I worked with Bill for almost 10 years. He discovered me and got me started with Cardinal IG. That changed my life in so many good ways. Bill invited me into his home at Mille Lacs lake, took me fishing and taught me how to catch walleyes. He even baited my hook for me. :) He was truly an awesome person to know and hang out with.

My sympathy goes out to everyone.

Brian Burtzel

Brian Burtzel - March 24, 2014 at 02:21 PM

MA

“ Barb and Family, never got to know Bill, but heard so much good and fun times, thro my classmate and friend, Judy Johnson.

Sympathy from Classmate Marion(Oberdick) Anderson

Marion Anderson - March 21, 2014 at 12:58 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William John Herrick.



March 20, 2014 at 10:57 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William John Herrick.*



March 19, 2014 at 09:58 AM



“ *A Full Life was purchased for the family of William John Herrick.*



March 18, 2014 at 09:59 PM



“ *The last time I got the pleasure to spend some time with my uncle bill was a couple years ago. I,mike, john and bill went fishing walleye's on Mille Lacs lake we had a great time and caught a bunch of eye's.He still had such a great sense of humor Asking me if I wanted to Empty his Bag. Grossed me out. But he thought It was funny. He was such a kidder. And always made me feel blessed to have him as my uncle. He was a very kind and gentle soul. Heaven has one of the best walleye fishermen and the world just lost one. Rest in peace love nephew Jim*

james w clemmer - March 18, 2014 at 05:24 PM

JC

“ *james w clemmer purchased the Heavenly Heights Bouquet for the family of William John Herrick.*



james w clemmer - March 18, 2014 at 04:51 PM