



Richard L. Allen

February 7, 1929 - March 19, 2014

Richard L. Allen, 85, of Naples, died Wednesday, March 19, 2014. Formerly of Munster, IN, he had been a resident of Naples for over 20 years. He was born in Hammond, IN on February 7, 1929, the son of Frank and Margaret (née Lightholder) Allen. He was a Korean War veteran of the U. S. Navy serving on the USS Montrose and USS Richard E Krause. After receiving his BSCE from Purdue University in 1950, he later went on to the University of Chicago where he received his MBA. He worked for Amoco Corporation for 36 years, was active in the Lion's Club, and the Purdue Club of SW Florida. He was a lifetime member of the Purdue President's Council. Hobbies included golf and travel but his real passion was tennis which he played up until a month before he died. Mr. Allen is survived by his beloved wife of 63 years, Joan (née Schwenke); his loving children, Chris (Susan) Allen, DVM of Parker, CO and Kathy (John) Chalekian of Prospect Heights, IL; four cherished grandchildren, Sara Gibbens of Aurora, CO, Emily Allen of Golden, CO, Kim Chalekian of Chicago, IL, Bryan Chalekian of Prospect Heights, IL and two great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents and by his daughter, Karen Allen in 1971. A celebration of life will be held at Bentley Village in the East Clubhouse in the Private Dining Room on April 28 at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that memorial contributions be made to the American Heart Association at the link below or call 1-800-242-8721 to make your donation. http://www.heart.org/HEARTORG/Giving/ForIndividuals/MemorialsandTributes/Memorials-and-Tributes_UCM_001141_SubHomePage.jsp

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

APR 28. 10:00 AM (ET)

Bentley Village East Clubhouse

Tribute Wall



“ *Richard L. Allen*

October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM