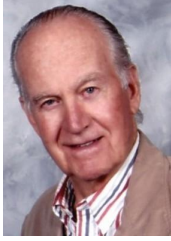


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Richard D. "Dick" Weatherly was born in Des Moines. He died in the early hours of July 25, 2015, at age 78, with his wife Ruth (to whom he was married for thirty-two years) by his bedside holding his hand. As a young man Dick was an outstanding athlete, playing football at North High, and baseball at the University of Iowa, as well as in the St. Louis Cardinals organization. His athletics continued into later life including scuba diving, skiing in Colorado, tennis, and hunting with his beloved Brittanys, Brandy and Bradie. Dick's career was in advertising sales and sales management for the predecessor companies of Century Link. Dick enjoyed traveling and did so widely, including several European river cruises and time in Russia, France, Germany, Great Britain, Central and South America, and on Disney Cruises in the Caribbean and southern Europe accompanying (or chasing after) his and Ruth's grandchildren. Dick also travelled pursuing his interest in Civil War history; he was a member of the Des Moines Civil War Round Table.

Dick's children from his marriage to the late Carol M. Weatherly are Laura Weatherly, Jeanne (Jim) McDonald, Kathleen (Peter) Langdon, and Rick Weatherly. Grandchildren are Jessica Divine, Julianne Brogren, Jill McDonald, Maureen Langdon, Peter Michael Langdon, Daniel Weatherly Martin, Taylor Baker, and Sara Baker; and four great-grandchildren.

Also left to mourn Dick's memory are his brother, Howard (Judy) Weatherly; Ruth's daughter, Rachel (Daniel) Kimball; and grandchildren Rebecca and Nicole Kimball. In addition, Dick's two life-long friends (as close as sisters) are Jackie Miller (widow of Jerry) and Peggy Johns (widow of Dale.) Dick was preceded in death by his father, Clell; mother, Irene; and sister, Teddy Gene MacIsaac.

Ruth wishes for herself and on Dick's behalf to express gratitude to Dr. Robert Hoyt (and Iowa Heart nurses) for twenty years of care and concern going far beyond Dr. Hoyt's highly skilled official medical responsibilities.

Pursuant to Dick's frequently expressed specific directions, there will be no funeral or other services. Memorial contributions may be directed to the ARL, AHeinz 57 Rescue (DeSoto) or to an organization of the donor's choice.

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