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Dennis J. Barry

1947-2011



Honorable Dennis J. Barry, age 64 passed away Thursday, August 18, 2011. He was born in Racine, April 4, 1947, son of the late Alex and Faith (Nee: Cheska) Barry. Dennis graduated from Washington Park High School "Class of 1965" and went on to graduate from Lawrence University. He served in the U.S. Army for two years and then entered Marquette Law School graduating in 1973. On January 5, 1980 he was united in marriage to Joan M. McCallum. Dennis worked as a lawyer in the capacity of Kenosha County Assistant District Attorney, in private practice with the firm Thompson and Coates Ltd, as Racine County District Attorney and since 1980 as a Racine County Circuit Court Judge. He was recognized as "Judge of the Year" in 1997 by the State Bar of Wisconsin. He was a member of Lutheran Church of the Resurrection and had served as the church council president. He will be dearly missed.

Joseph R. Caton

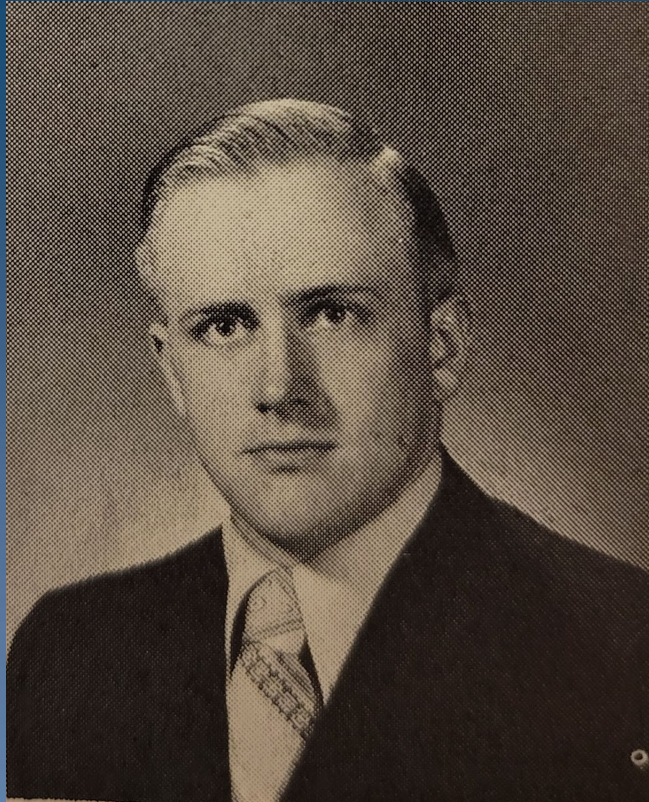
1947-2020



Joseph R. Caton Jr., age 73, of Hudson, formerly of Milwaukee, passed away on Wednesday, April 29, 2020. Joe was born on March 28, 1947 in South Bend, Indiana to parents Joseph and Margaret (McMeel) Caton. He graduated from Marquette High School in Milwaukee and went on to attend both college and law school at Marquette University. He was proud to be a State of Wisconsin Public Defender for over 37 years, where he fought for justice for the underprivileged. He will remain in the hearts of his loving wife Catherine; daughter Rebecca (Christopher) Scharff and son Matthew Caton; granddaughter Eva Catherine Scharff; Sisters Joan Anthony, Carol Caton, and Susan Lilly, as well as many nieces, nephews, other family members and friends.

Robert J. Charvat

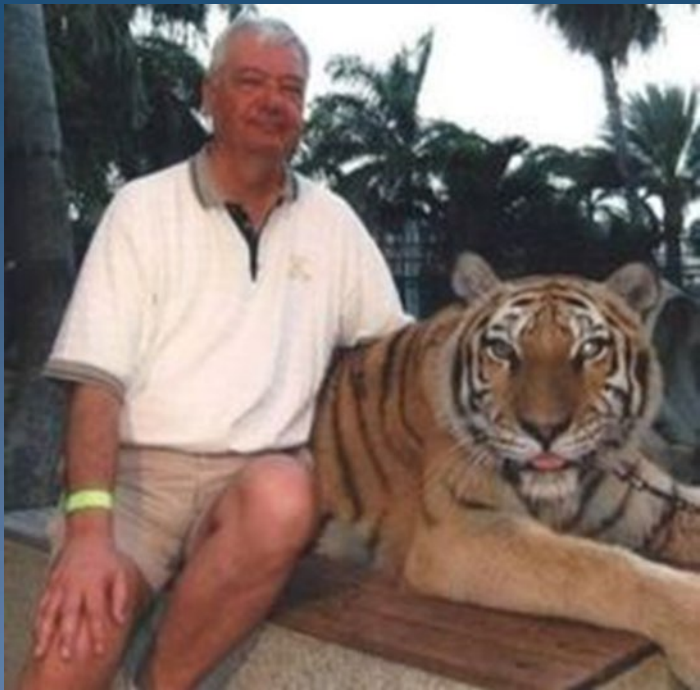
1947-1978



Captain Robert J. Charvat, 31, formerly of Eastman, passed away Wednesday, September 6, 1978 at McGuire Veterans Hospital, Richmond, VA. He was born March 26, 1947 at Prairie du Chien to Mr. and Mrs. John Charvat. Robert was a patent attorney in the U. S. Patent Office in Washington, D.C.

Forrest L. Collins

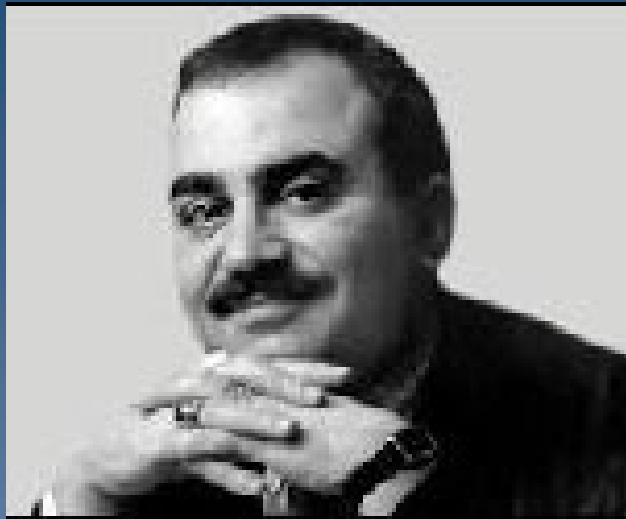
1945-2021



Forrest was the perfect example that hard work, determination, and a fearless attitude were all that was needed to achieve the American dream. After graduating college, Forrest attended Marquette University School of Law where he earned his Juris Doctor. Forrest returned to college in the 1990s, earning his MBA. Among his many proud accomplishments was a case he tried that went to the Minnesota Supreme Court. In the late 1970s, Minnesota offered reciprocity to attorneys who were licensed to practice in certain states, making it unnecessary for them to sit for the bar exam after relocating to Minnesota. When Forrest moved to Minnesota, he was told that because he was a patent lawyer, reciprocity did not extend to him and he would have to take the bar exam. Forrest fought the state bar association, taking the case to Minnesota's supreme court. In 1980, the state supreme court ruled in favor of Forrest, extending reciprocity to patent lawyers. Forrest will always be remembered for his love of golf, passion for travel, and his sassy sense of humor.

Frank T. Crivello

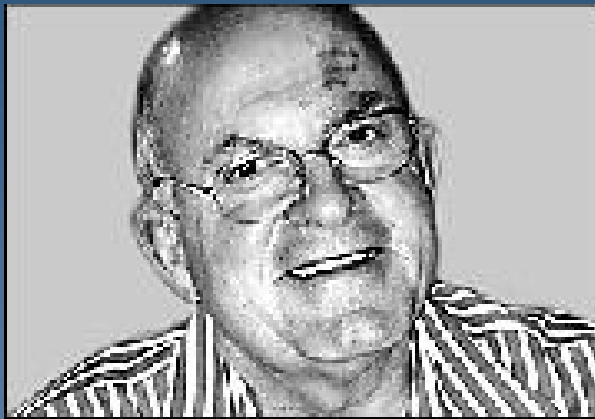
1945-2018



Frank was a graduate of Francis Jordan High School Class of 1963 and graduated from the University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee with a B.A. in journalism in 1967. He was an Army Veteran as a LT. and Tank Commander, who received the National Defense Service Medal and the Army Commendation Medal. He was Honorably Discharged in 1973. Frank graduated from Marquette University Law School in 1973. He was Assistant District Attorney for Milwaukee County from 1973 - 1984, a Milwaukee County Circuit Court Judge from 1984 - 1997, and a Private Practice Lawyer from 1997 - 2007. The family sends their deepest gratitude to the men and women that volunteer their time and work at the Wisconsin Veterans Home at King for the love and care that was provided to Frank during his final years and to all our veterans.

Richard W. Double

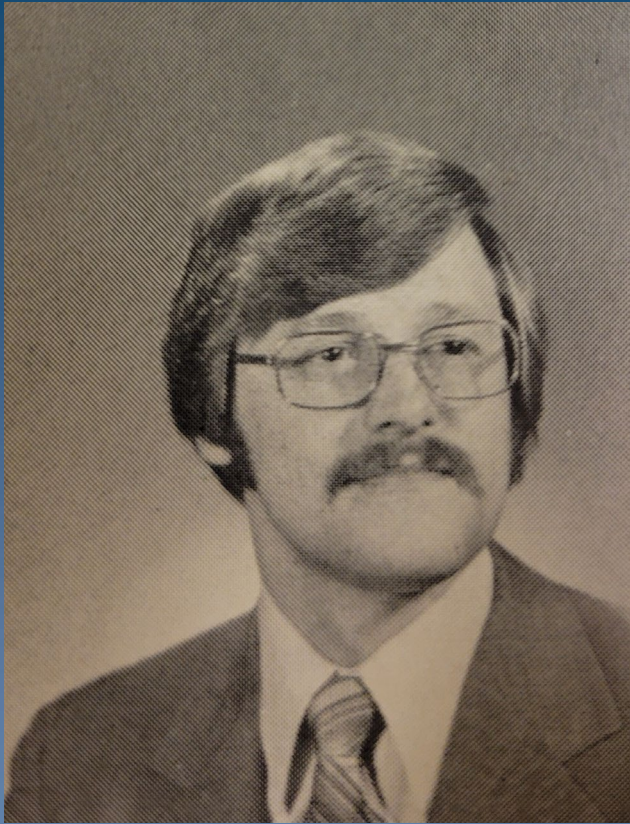
1947-2013



Heaven erupted with great cheers when Richard William Double arrived on Monday, April 15, 2013. Dick graduated from Whitefish Bay High School in 1965. He went on to attend UW Oshkosh (1970) and Marquette Law School (1973). Dick helped to grow his own private practice in law, establishing Double & Double as a well-respected local law firm. While his strong work ethic never ceased to amaze us, he found great fulfillment in giving back. He volunteered his time at The Gathering and The Appalachian Service Project. Dick never stopped looking for the opportunities in life to help others.

Carl R. Fenwick

1948-1991



Judge Carl R. Fenwick, 42, died unexpectedly Saturday, April 13, 1991. He was born Sept. 22, 1948 in Wausau to Joseph and Frances (Fabisiak) Fedyczkowski. He received his Bachelor's Degree in History from the University of Wisconsin-Madison in 1970 and his Law Degree from the Marquette University Law School in Milwaukee in 1973. On June 14, 1968 he married the former Nancy C. Neuser at St. Mary Catholic Church in Waukesha. He was dedicated to his family law practice for 17 years until his appointment by Governor Tommy Thompson to replace Circuit Court Judge Alexander Grant in May of 1990. He was elected to this post on April 2 for a six year term that was to begin on Aug. 1, 1991.

James E. Fitzgerald

1947-2018



James Edward Fitzgerald, 70, passed away Tuesday, February 6, 2018 in Kenosha. He was born October 20, 1947 in Waukon, IA to the late Carl and Clara (Aschom) Fitzgerald. Jim honorably served our county in the United States Army during the Vietnam War. On November 15, 1975 at Our Lady of the Holy Rosary Catholic Church, he was united in marriage to Clare Lucareli. Clare preceded him in death in 2000. Jim received his B.A. from Marquette University in Milwaukee in 1969 and his Juris Doctor from Marquette University Law School in 1973. After graduating, he served as an Assistant City Attorney for the City of Milwaukee before joining the Kenosha law firm of Lucareli, Neuman, Ungemach, and Fitzgerald. After closing his law firm, he served as the Family Court Commissioner for Kenosha County from 1997-2017.

Patrick J. Garvey

Paul M. Goetz

1947-2018



Paul was born April 12, 1947, in Merrill, the third of five children born to the late Dora Lydia (Edwards) and the late Adolph Albert Goetz. Paul was a graduate of Merrill Senior High School, U.W. Stevens Point, and Marquette University Law School, class of 1973. He had been a private practice attorney in Janesville, Chetek, and Wausau. Paul also served as Lincoln County District Attorney during the mid-1990's. Paul enjoyed attending seminars, the occasional visit to the casino, and sharing a good story. Paul also enjoyed spending time at the 'shack' in Newwood. There he could enjoy the solitude of nature, watch the wildlife, and listen to the waters of the nearby river. Paul had looked forward to spending even more time in Newwood in retirement. His presence at the 'shack' will be missed.

Gregg T. Heidenreich

1948-2018



The Honorable Gregg T. passed away on September 10, 2018. Graduate of Pius XI High School Class of 1966, Marquette University Class of 1970, and Marquette University Law School Class of 1973. Gregg's career was in civil rights defense litigation with Liberty Mutual Insurance. He served the East Troy community for 18 years as their elected Municipal Judge. He also served on the Lake Beulah Protective and Improvement Association, St. Peter's Parish Council, and was a member of the Lake Beulah Yacht Club.

Louis R. Jones

1947-2004

Thomas G. Kalchik

1945-2000

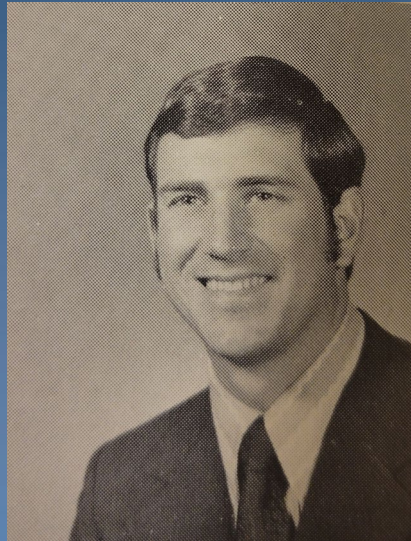
Douglas J. Lauret

1948-2010



Douglas was an attorney, a member of the Chicago Bar Association, and an alumnus of the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater and Marquette Law School. He was very active in Des Plaines community baseball. He was the loving husband for 27 years of Carol (nee Palm); dear father of Kyle (Natasha) Lauret, Candi Lauret and Jeffrey Flack; cherished grandfather of Kenneth Flack; beloved son of Ruth and the late Ralph Lauret; fond brother of Arnold and the late Ronald Lauret; and proud uncle of many nieces and nephews.

Dennis M. McCarver



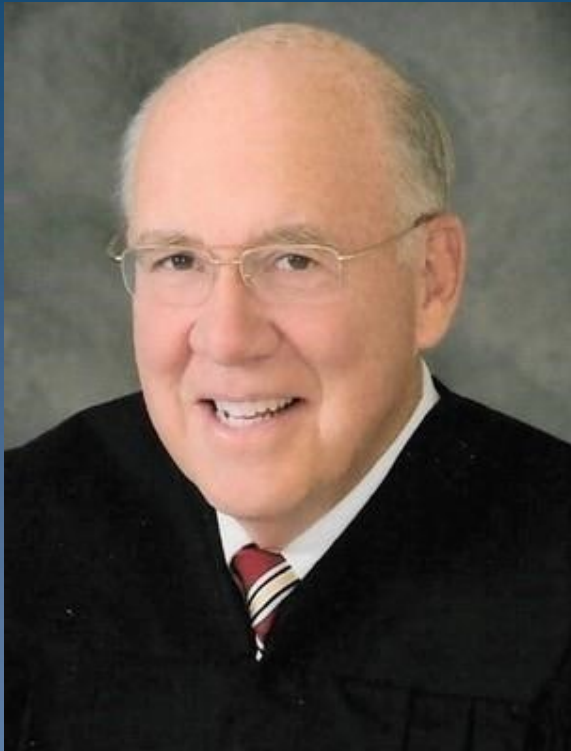
Kenneth C. McCool

1932-2005

Formerly of Oak Creek, passed away in Clarksville, TN on April 26, 2005 at the age of 73. He is survived by his children, Laura (Kevin) Bagin, Jeffrey (Perla) and Jennifer McCool. Further survived by 4 grandchildren, other relatives and friends.

Joseph D. McCormack

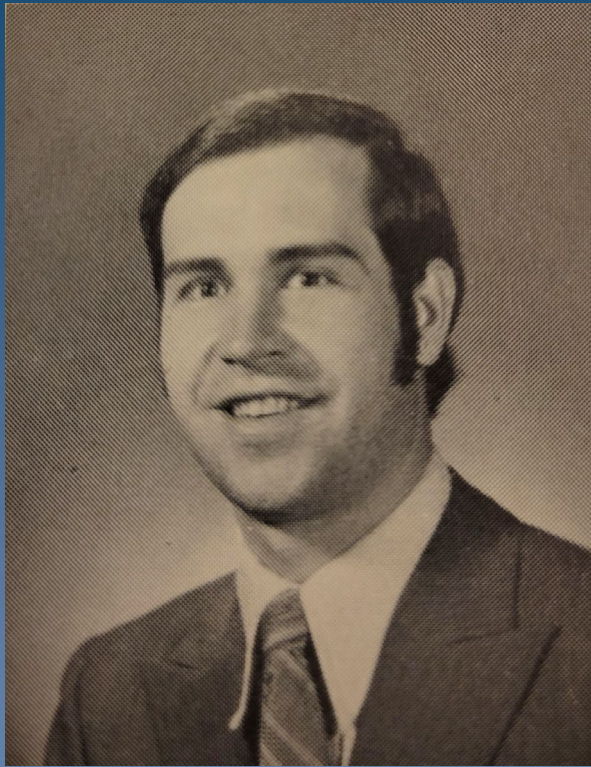
1940-2019



Joseph was born in Milwaukee on July 16, 1940, son of Joseph J. and Marion McCormack. In 1970 Joseph entered Marquette Law School and graduated in the class of 1973. After graduation, he accepted a position as the Assistant District Attorney for Ozaukee County. Later he became the Corporation Counsel. In 1978 when Branch 3 was created in Ozaukee County, Joseph was elected Circuit Judge and later became Chief Judge. The Judge served the County for over thirty years until his retirement in 2009. Joseph and Jacklyn (Geach) were married on August 18, 1962 in Green Bay. They moved to Grafton in 1973 with their two sons.

Robert W. Muren

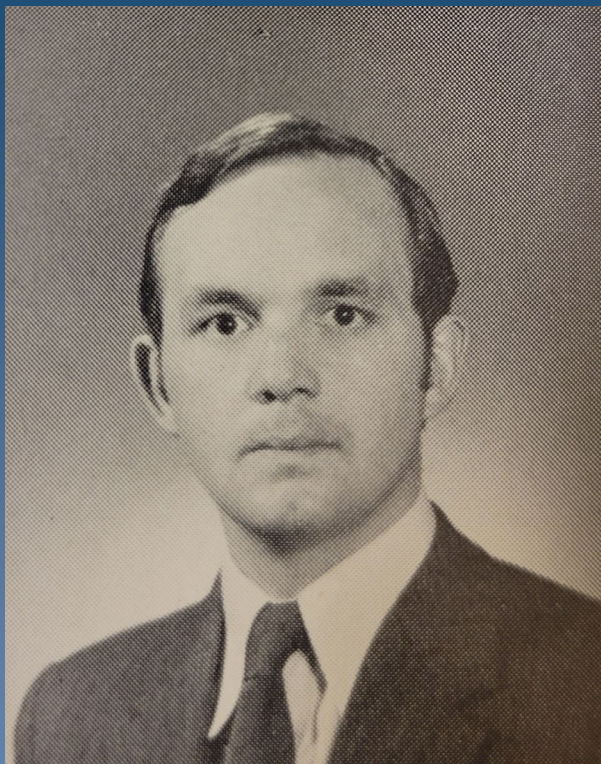
1947-2017



Bob put his family first and loved being a husband, father and grandfather. He enjoyed his work, golfing and maintaining "Muren Park." He was not only blessed with a sense of humor, but he was also extremely witty. Bob graduated from Mukwonago Union High School and then completed his Bachelor of Business Administration (Magna Cum Laude) from the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater. He was active in Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity. He received his Juris Doctorate from Marquette Law School and contributed to the Law Review. Bob was Co-Founder and a Shareholder at Niebler & Muren, S.C. and then became a Shareholder at the law firm of Davis & Kuelthau, s.c., where he practiced law for the last 14 years. His focus was on health law and he was well respected in both the legal and medical communities.

James R. O'Brien

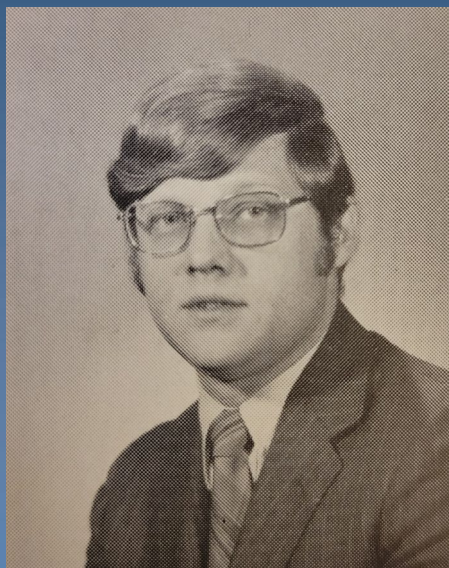
1944-2021



The world has lost one of its quietly great ones. Jim died on Sunday, July 25, of congestive heart failure, creating a permanent void for the rest of our lives. He would likely say that this is too dramatic; he would say that he was just a good guy. Though he was a champion swimmer in his youth; a football player who returned from prep school to help the Horace Greeley High School football team achieve an undefeated season senior year; a proud graduate of Marquette University and its Law School; a stouthearted Marine who served as an air traffic controller in Vietnam; an Assistant District Attorney in Milwaukee who won the most challenging cases; and a business executive who excelled in leading companies such as Rawlings Sporting Goods and forging international relationships for others including Wilson Sporting Goods, as a golfer he enjoyed the winning play of his companions, and in retirement he pursued further education in art history and psychology. And he was always ready to be challenged by his wife Rosalie and daughter Sarah, women who pushed the boundaries much as did his grandmother Arabelle Feldkamp O'Brien, M.D., who married another man of signal accomplishment, his grandfather Frank J. O'Brien, Ph.D., M.D.

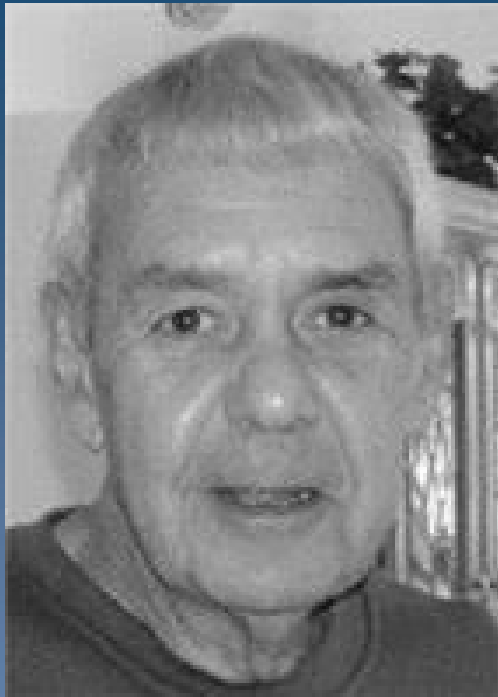
Paul A. Piaskoski

1942-2017



Dennis W. Reeve

1946-2019



Dennis W. Reeve, 72, of Fort Myers, Florida passed away peacefully on January 14, 2019. He was born in Racine, Wisconsin to Norman and Irene Reeve. He was a graduate of University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and received his Juris Doctorate from Marquette University. He was a public defender and later opened a private practice in Racine where he lived until 9 years ago when he followed his dream and retired to Fort Myers.

William A. Regan

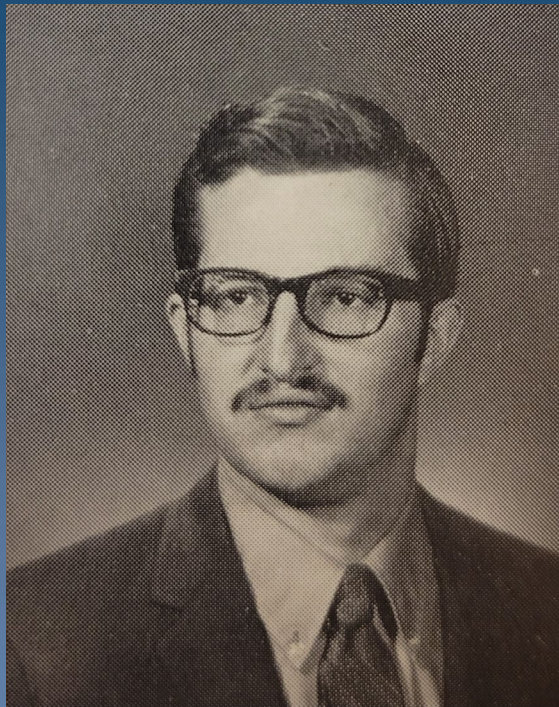
1948-2017



William A. Regan "Bill" passed away on November 7, 2017 at 69 years. Beloved husband of Katie (Nee Opela). Loving father of Tim (Christy), Pat (Sara), and Kari (Jess) Clementi. Grandfather of Madelyn, Bennett, Beau, Brody, Blake, Bella and Everly. Further survived by other relatives and friends.

Robert J. Roels

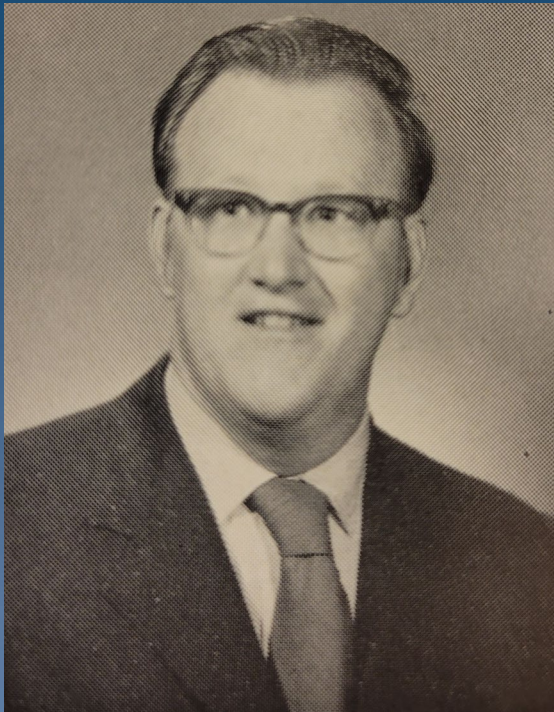
1941-2017



Robert Jule Roels, son of Wesley and Geraldine (Griffith) Roels, died on July 8th, 2017 of ALS. Robert was preceded in death by his parents, his brother Richard Roels, and his sister Harriet Hendershot. He is survived by his sister Jane (William) Nachtrab, his niece Laurie (Jay) Roy, along with many nephews and nieces. He was blessed to share a long and special friendship with Bud Marohn, who preceded him in death. Bob was a graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh. He received his law degree, J.D., from Marquette University. Bob served his country in the U.S. Marines and was a member of the Wisconsin National Guard for 26 years. Bob was a gentle soul, a lover of nature and all things associated with the outdoors. For many years, he was an active member of Big Brothers Association. He was a member of Country Side Church.

Dennis M. Scallon

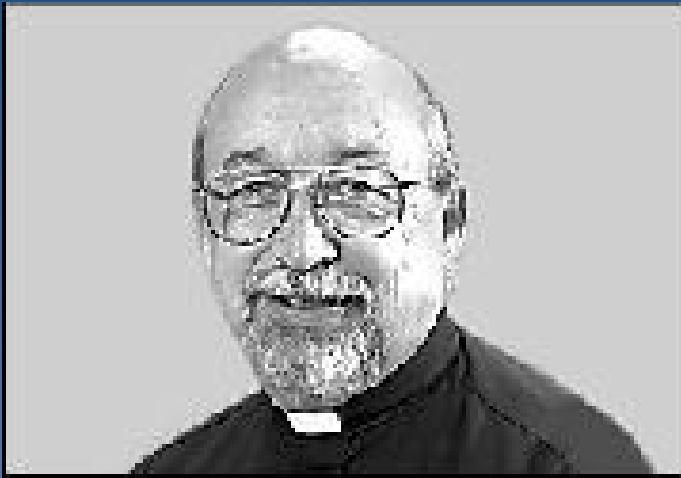
1946-2009



Dennis M. Scallon died on Friday, May 29, 2009. Dennis was born in Boscobel on Dec. 5, 1946, the oldest child of William Harold and Ruth Johnson Scallon. Dennis graduated from the University of Wisconsin-Platteville with a bachelor of science in political science and from Marquette University Law School. Dennis engaged in the private practice of law, and also served as district attorney for Iowa County. Dennis is survived by his mother of Middleton; his sister, Rita of Marion, Ind.; his brother, Gregory (wife, Irene) of Madison; by his nephew, Ryan (wife, Amy) of Brooklyn, N.Y.; and nieces, Rebecca Benedict (husband, Michael) of West Allis, Erin Vechinski (husband, Ryan) of Wisconsin Rapids, and Shannon of Elgin, Ill.

James H. Schaefer

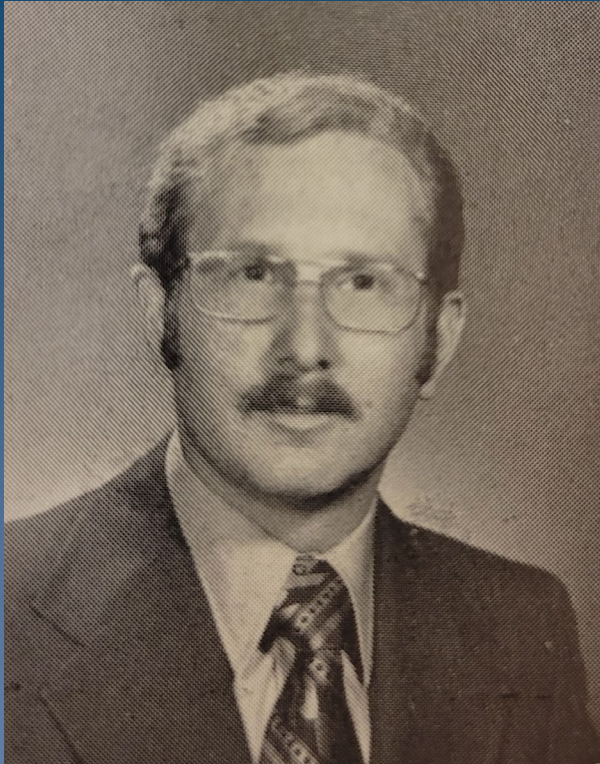
1940-2012



Jim was born June 2, 1940 in Merrill, WI, the son of Wilmer and Mary (Strohm) Schaefer. Jim married Carol Baumann on September 4, 1964. Together they welcomed two sons, David and Jonathan, and later three grandsons. Throughout his life and as reflected in everything he did, Jim had an overwhelming desire to help people and make the world a better place. He graduated from the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee in 1963 with a B.A. in philosophy. Later he received his Masters of Divinity from the Lutheran School of Theology, Chicago, IL. In 1967, Jim was ordained as a Lutheran pastor. He was called to serve several parishes in Louisville, KY and then in Milwaukee, WI. While in Louisville, Jim was instrumental in establishing a street ministry to serve homeless and disenfranchised teens and young adults suffering from substance abuse. Jim later attended Marquette University, where he received his J.D. in 1970 and began working as a public defender in the juvenile court system in Milwaukee. After a brief period in private practice, Jim joined the Milwaukee District Attorney's Office as an Assistant District Attorney. During retirement, Jim continued to teach part-time at Lakeland College and Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College. In 1998, Jim was approached by the Eau Claire Police Department to create the chaplaincy program for the Department. He was commissioned by the Lutheran Church to fulfill this role and proudly served as Head Chaplain for 9 years.

Michael D. Schuman

1947-2022



It is with the heaviest of hearts that we share the passing of Michael D. Schuman. He was a loving, compassionate, and dedicated husband, father, grandfather, uncle, brother, son, colleague, and friend. He was a respected attorney and terrific community leader, serving as Executive Director of Spring Hill Cemetery for over 40 years. And was an active member of B’Nai B’rith, Wisconsin Alliance of Cemeteries, and the State Bar of Wisconsin. He has touched so many lives both directly and indirectly. Together with Sharon for 60 years, they built an incredible, warm, inclusive, and supportive family.

Mitchell J. Simon

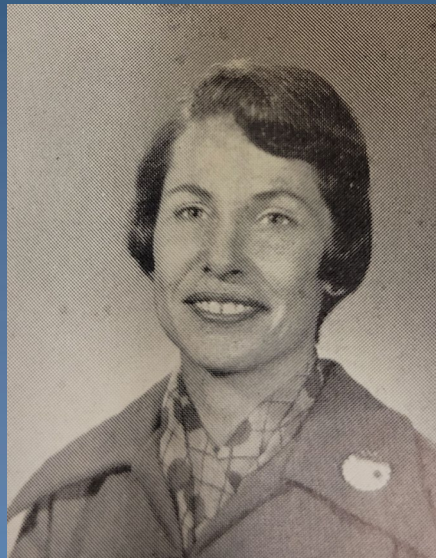
1948-2017



Born on January 8, 1948, in Sturgeon Bay, WI, to John and Luverne Simon. He attended undergraduate and law school at Marquette University, where he met the love of his life Deidre Fraulini. They were married August 14, 1971. After he graduated from law school, they moved to Whitewater where he practiced law for 44 years. Mitch was a respected member of the Whitewater community who prided himself on his meticulous work and dedication to his clients. In his free time he enjoyed fishing, hunting, and spending time with his brother and family at their hunting shack up north. He loved Christmas and birthdays at home with his family and spending time with his grandchildren. Mitch never pretended to be anything but who he was. He will be dearly missed.

Shirley M. Sortor

1929-2002



Robert S. Sosnay

1948-2015



Robert was born August 17, 1948, in Milwaukee, the son of the late Herman and Joan (O'Brien) Sosnay. Robert was a former criminal defense attorney and avid sports fan. Always a devoted father, he will be forever missed by his children; Antonette (Chad) Hendrickson, Jacob (Carrie) Sosnay, Samantha (Riley) Mewes, Katie (Jordan) Greenwood, Joanna Sosnay and Natalie Sosnay; Cherished grandpa of Tyler, Will, Matthew, Eloise, Sawyer and Audrey; Dear brother of Maureen (Larry) Engel, Carole (Matt) Leschinger, and Bill (Mary) Sosnay.

Merlin E. Wagner

1946-1977

