



## David Hansen

May 3, 1926 - January 9, 2006

David was born May 3, 1926, in Cedar Falls, Iowa, the son of Hans Peter and Marjorie Mae (Miller) Hansen. He graduated from Cedar Falls High School in 1944. He went on to serve his Country in the United States Navy during World War II and was honorably discharged as an Aviation Electronic Technician's Mate. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Stanford University (California) in 1950 and his MD from Washington University Medical School (St. Louis) in 1954. On July 1, 1950, he was united in marriage to Lois M. Temple at First United Methodist Church in Cedar Falls. He practiced Internal Medicine for one year in St. Louis, MO and from 1959 until his retirement, practiced in Cedar Falls, serving as Chief of Staff at one time at Sartori Memorial Hospital. He was a member of the Cedar Falls Rotary, Iowa Medical Association, American Medical Association, Arcturus Club, former Board Member of the Western Home Communities, and life long member of First United Methodist Church in Cedar Falls, serving on Boards and Commissions. David was a man of many interests. He especially enjoyed cars, stereo equipment and classical music, reading, history, trains, and technical gadgets of every kind.

David is survived by his wife, Lois of Cedar Falls; sons, Thomas T. (Susan) of Raleigh, NC, Dr. Mark D. (Stacy) of Muscatine, IA, Dr. James P. (Donna Rae) of San Francisco, CA, and Douglas E. (Kimberly Britts ) of Los Angeles, CA; thirteen grandchildren, Jesse, Alex, Carissa, and Zoe Anne Hansen, Katherine (Jason) Hamilton, Bradley, Christina, Ashley, and Steven Hansen,

and Hans and Ian Hansen; brother, John E. (Martha) Hansen of Waterloo; and sister-in-law, Shirley Hansen of New Hampton, IA.

David died Monday, January 9, 2006, at the Western Home Communities-Martin Center from complications of Alzheimer's. He was preceded in death by his parents; and brother, Charles A. Hansen.

# Tribute Wall



“ *On behalf of the Iowa Optometric Association, we would like to convey our condolences to Dr. Hansen's family. Dr. Mark Hansen is a past-president of our Association. In honor of the memory of Dr. D. Hansen the Iowa Optometric Association will send a memorial contribution to the Alzheimer's Association.*

*Sincerely,*

*The Iowa Optometric Association Board of Directors and IOA Staff*

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