



Donne M. Perkins

February 16, 1929 - June 10, 2020

CEDAR FALLS – Donne M. Perkins, 91, of Cedar Falls died Wednesday, June 10, 2020 at NewAldaya Lifescapes.

He was born February 16, 1929 in Waterloo, Iowa, son of Edward A. and Garcie E. (Molsberry) Perkins. He married Wanda B. Rarick on March 19, 1950 at First Baptist Church in Cedar Falls.

He graduated from Cedar Falls High School in 1948 and attended Harrington School of Design in Chicago, Illinois. He owned and operated Perkins Interior Design and the Master's Touch for 40 years, retiring in 1994. He was a 50-year member of Black Hawk Masonic Lodge #65 and inducted into the Cedar Falls U.S.B.C. Bowling Hall of Fame in 2006.

Survived by: his wife; two daughters, Becki Brimeyer of Marion and Jodie Thomas of Cedar Falls; a son, Dan Perkins of Cedar Falls; six grandchildren; and eight great grandchildren.

Preceded in death by: two grandchildren in infancy; two sons-in-law, Larry Brimeyer and Bob Thomas; brother, Berne Perkins; two sisters, Gwen Reed and Ruth Bundy.

No services are being held at this time. Richardson Funeral Service is

assisting the family.

Memorials may be directed to NewAldaya Lifescapes.

Tribute Wall

MZ

“ Wanda and family. Don was awesome and will surely be missed by many. I know how much he touched my heart through the years. It was always fun to watch him talk politics to Bill Biemann every morning! Of course I always yelled at him as he was leaving to not get Bill all wound up and then leave. It wasn't fair to me, I had to stay there all day! He always had a smile and a quarter tip for every time he came into the restaurant. He was usually there 3 or 4 times a day. There are so many more memories. I'm sending my prayers and loves to you all. Mel

Mel Zimmerman - June 18, 2020 at 12:54 AM

SA

“ Donne.. THANKS for ALL the MEMORIES..
Wanda so saddened to here of Donnes passing
Becky Jody & Dan you had a GREAT GREAT father who always was willing to share a laugh and a story.. It was just last week I had stopped to talk to Dan for an update it seemed promising as he was doing a bit better. Life is so fragile ..PRAYING FOR THE PERKINS FAMILY
LOVE YOU ALL ..
Stephen Aldrich

Stephen Aldrich - June 13, 2020 at 09:16 PM

AJ

“ Dan, I am so sorry to read of your Dad's passing. I know he was a great guy and will be missed. In recent years I would see him at Maple Lanes during morning leagues and always try to say hello because I knew he was your Dad. I'm sure he had no idea who I was but that didn't matter to me. I will be thinking of you and your family. Please accept my sympathies. Al Jacobson

Allan Jacobson - June 13, 2020 at 08:08 PM

JF

“ I was saddened to hear of Donne's passing. I knew Don and the family when I was principal at Cedar Heights School. It was a joy to work with this supportive of education family. I remember Dan.... as a wonderful and smart kid. I remember one situation where I was wearing a tie.. and for each goal we reached (canned goods or whatever) I would cut an inch off my tie. Dan got such a kick out of that and was eager to see how short the tie was getting to be. If there is a celebration of life coming later I am in hopes I will learn of it and come and see all of the family . Deepest sympathy to you all.. John Focht

John Focht - June 12, 2020 at 08:21 PM

GA

“ You will be missed. I always saw you as a mentor and a great fishing partner. I will never forget our great times at the upholstery shop and the fun we had fishing. Gerald

Gerald Aswegan - June 11, 2020 at 01:54 PM

TF

“ The Aswegan family purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Donne M. Perkins.



The Aswegan family - June 11, 2020 at 01:53 PM