



Richard Malm

October 11, 2013

Richard D. Malm, age 84, of Miles City, Montana passed away on Monday, October 7, 2013 at the Glendive Medical Center Acute Care in Glendive, Montana. A graveside service will be held at 2:00 P.M. on Friday, October 11, 2013 at the Eastern Montana State Veterans Cemetery in Miles City. Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements. In Cleveland, Ohio on February 7, 1929 Richard Douglas Malm was born to a Swedish father and a German mother. He was very proud of his ancestry. When Richard was young his parents moved the family to Los Angeles CA. Richard was a very good student. He was accepted to the University of Southern California and then to the USC School of Dentistry. While at USC he was in Beta Theta PI and became president of the fraternity. While in dental school Richard spent summers working on Catalina Island where he met his future bride, Mary Sims. Catalina Island would become a frequent summer destination for the Malm family vacations. Mary (or Betty as she preferred) and Richard were married on August 22, 1953. After graduation from dental school Richard became a Navy dentist and was stationed at the naval base in Coronado. It was on this navy base that his first two children, Nancy and Jim were born. Following discharge from the Navy a dental practice was started in Escondido, California. As a dentist, Richard was as kind, caring and proficient as they come. He was always trying to learn the latest advances in order to take better care of his patients. In Escondido they welcomed their third child, Cynthia. The family grew and Richard continued

his dentistry practice for 43 years. Upon retirement he moved to Tucson AZ before finally settling with his daughter and son-in-law in Miles City MT. Richard was a master at gardening and passed that love to his children. Animals were also a big part of his life and he always had a special dog or two. In his later years his dog Mandy was a constant companion. His family was most special to him and he took great joy in being a father and grandfather. Richard is survived by Nancy Wimmer (Jake) Miles City, MT, Jim Malm Tucson, AZ and Cynthia Noles (Scott) Alleyton TX. He has 5 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren.

Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Malm*

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