



David Graham Wylie

August 15, 1918 - January 20, 2013

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RACINE – David Graham Wylie, 94, passed away at Becker Shoop Center on Sunday, January 20, 2013. He was born in Edinburgh, Scotland on August 15, 1918, the son of John and Catherine ‘Kitty’ (nee: Muir) Wylie. David and his family moved to the United States in 1922, when he was four years old. David was a 1936 graduate of Morgan Park High School in Chicago. He attended the University of Chicago and the Art Institute of Chicago. David served in the United States Army from 1942 to 1946. He was based in Paris, France working with the Corps of Engineers and in Public Relations. Continuing in the active reserves until 1950, David was honorably discharged with a rank of Major.

He was a commercial artist, writer and photographer. Some of David’s accomplishments, were designing the bunnies for Easter Seals in 1954, designing the original Kellogg’s ‘K’ box in 1955 and receiving an award for a Blatz Beer advertisement. In addition, he and his 2nd wife, Joanne, wrote and illustrated many children’s books.

Surviving is he son, David A. Wylie; nieces, Nancy (Gary) Fichter and Patricia (David) Hughes; nephews, Jeffery (Lynn) Wylie, Jay (Rhonda) Wylie, Scott (Julia) Wankel and a sister-in-law, Terri Learned. He is further survived by other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, June (nee: Cover) Wylie and second wife, Joanne (nee: Gregory) Wylie, sister, Helen Wankel, brother,

Alexander Wylie and an uncle, David Graham Wylie.

Funeral services will be held at Sturino Funeral Home on Thursday, January 24, 2013 at 11 a.m. There will be a visitation on Thursday, before services from 10 a.m. until time of service at 11a.m.

Memorials to Becker Shoop Center or to the Art Institute of Chicago have been suggested.

Cemetery Details

Southern Wisconsin Veterans Memorial Cemetery

21731 Spring Street
Union Grove, WI 53182

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 24. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Sturino Funeral Home
3014 Northwestern Avenue
Racine, WI 53404
(262) 632-4479
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Funeral Service

JAN 24. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sturino Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of David Graham Wylie*



Sturino Funeral Home - January 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM