

**HUGH THURNAUER**

THURNAUER HUGH THURNAUER, 97, passed away peacefully surrounded by family on July 14. He was preceded in death by his parents, Arthur and Lottie, his sister Anne Liebhold, brother Warren, wives Betsy (nee Botts) and Alina (nee Sefanski) and grandson Matthew. Surviving Hugh are sons Skip, Art, Gary, and daughter Cynthia Dennis; step children Chester, Irene, Dot and Barb; five grandchildren, twelve step-grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. Hugh was a graduate of The Loomis Institute, Windsor, CT and Williams College, Williamstown, MA and enjoyed many reunions on both campuses. His wide array of interests included travel, opera, theater, running, tennis, and skiing. In his 80s, Hugh traveled to the far reaches of the world – Nepal, Africa, China, and Australia. He was active in community theater well into his 90s. Hugh was a member of Lakewood Presbyterian Church and Bay Village Presbyterian Church and was also active in the St. Raphael's men's group. His friendships spanned generations and he is probably best remembered for his engaging smile, positive attitude and energy. A memorial service will be held Saturday, August 27 at 2:00pm at Lakewood Presbyterian Church, 14502 Detroit Ave. Contributions may be made to St. Malachi Food Fund (Back Door Ministry), 2459 Washington Ave., Cleveland, 44113



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