



Kurt Nelson

April 24, 1924 - November 18, 2021

Kurt Nelson of Sarasota Florida entered eternal rest on Thursday, November 18, 2021. Kurt was born on April 24, 1924, in Solleftea Sweden. He was the son of Gustav and Anna Nilsson.

Kurt was educated in Sweden and immigrated to the United States in the 1950's where he lived in Chicago, Sacramento, Poughkeepsie, NY and finally retiring in Sarasota Florida. Kurt was a design engineer for the De Laval Co. in Poughkeepsie for many years. He designed and held patents for various centrifuge machines involved with the petroleum, chemical and food industries. He retired to Sarasota and continued his consulting in the industry. He was a member of St. John's Lutheran church in Poughkeepsie.

Kurt loved to ski and he skied right into his 80's. He also enjoyed golfing and was able to golf into his 90's. He loved the outdoors and was always very active.

Kurt is survived by two daughters Marie (James) Ausanio of Hopewell Jct., NY and Terry Nelson O'Keefe of Tivoli, NY. He was so proud of his three grandchildren; James Ausanio, Anna Ausanio and Ivy O'Keefe. Also surviving are his two nieces Dr. Anna Laurent and Ylva Engstrom both of Sweden.

Burial will be private and at the convenience of the family.