



Robert Gordon Seiter

October 25, 1941 - January 21, 2016

Robert Gordon Seiter "Bob" -- 1941-2016. Beloved husband of Suzanne (Leutwyler) Seiter and father to Elizabeth Seiter Nelson (Brent) and David Gordon Seiter (Elyse), as well as loving grandfather to Samuel, Eli & Jacob Nelson and Lola & Aidan Seiter. Beloved brother of Carol Seiter Scifo (John) and a trusted friend to many. A native of Philadelphia, Bob was a graduate of Franklin & Marshall College (class of 1963) and a member of Delta Sigma Phi Fraternity. He proudly served in the US Navy, LTjg, and spent the majority of his career in sales with Kaiser Aluminum. Upon relocating to Lakewood Ranch in 2007, Bob became active as a charter member of Peace Presbyterian Church, Legacy Golf Club Men's Group, volunteer at the Sarasota County Jail and Sarasota Adaptive Rowing Program.

Bob's passions were playing golf and traveling with Sue, his wife of 48 years. Together they created many wonderful memories of summer vacations in Ocean City, NJ with their family and shore crowd, a tradition they continued with their children and grandchildren. Retirement brought a whole new group of wonderful people into Bob's life and he will be remembered by both old and new friends for his humor, warmth and perseverance in working to overcome a catastrophic stroke in 2013.

At his most recent birthday, a friend said, "To know Bob is to love him." This is true. He was respected for his integrity, generosity, wisdom and grace in the

face of difficult circumstances. He was admired for his character and adored for the twinkle in his eye. He was deeply loved and will be terribly missed.

Memorial service will be held at Peace Presbyterian Church in LWR on Friday, January 29th at 3 pm. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested donations be made in Bob's name to the Peace Presbyterian Memorial Garden (<http://www.peacepcusa.com>) or the Sarasota Adaptive Rowing Program (<http://sarasotaadaptiverowing.com>).