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D EATH NOTICE

DAVID S. SWAYZE

David S. Swayze, 81, passed away peacefully on January 23, 2026, surrounded by his family. He is survived by his wife, Carolyn DePew-Swayze; daughter Lisa Swayze-Thomas (Melvin); son Scott; brother Bruce Swayze (Mary); sister Patricia Ball (Jim); along with many loving nieces, nephews and cousins.

An obituary will follow, highlighting David's remarkable life and in the warmth of spring a Celebration of Life will be held at the Wilmington Country Club in remembrance.

Please sign the virtual guestbook located on the tribute page.



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John Lutness lit a candle in honor of David.

I was his campaign manager when he ran for and won the student council presidency in 1961 at Mount Pleasant. senior High School. I have told many people that I am responsible for all his successes in life , but everyone who knows both of us knows that Dave won because he was likeable, smart and just an all around nice person. I suspect that those three characteristics have served him very well over his entire life. John Lutness



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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring David by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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