



### **COME WITH ME**

*God saw he was getting tired  
And a cure was not to be,  
So He put His arms around him  
And whispered, "Come with Me."  
With tearful eyes we watched him suffer  
And slowly fade away,  
Although we love him dearly,  
We would not make him stay.  
A golden heart stopped beating,  
Hard working hands did rest.  
God gave us tears to ease the pain  
When he took from us the best!*

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

## ***David Liang Tie Oey, M.D.***

WHO WAS BORN

May 2, 1932  
Jakarta, Indonesia

AND CALLED TO HIS ETERNAL HOME

January 6, 2018  
Sioux Falls, South Dakota

SERVICES

Tuesday, January 9, 2018 - 2:00 p.m.  
Wilmot Lutheran Church  
Wilmot, South Dakota

OFFICIANT

Rev. Sheila Pohl

ORGANIST

Janice Vreim

CASKET BEARERS

Alexander Oey   Graham Oey   Ashley Trudeau  
Codie Schmeichel   Derek Coover   Carter Locy

HONORARY BEARERS

Haley Nordmeyer   Xander Oey   Braylon Oey  
Hadley Devine   Mack Trudeau   Taye Trudeau  
Emilyn Locy   Avy Oey   Lucy Oey   Turner O'Bryan

INTERMENT

Wilmot Lutheran Cemetery  
Wilmot, South Dakota

APPRECIATION

David's family is grateful for your attendance at this service.  
Your expressions of kindness and love are deeply appreciated. Following the interment, please join the family for lunch and fellowship at the Wilmot Community Center.

ARRANGEMENTS BY

Mundwiler Funeral Home - Milbank, South Dakota

**D**avid Liang Tie Oey, M.D., 85, of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, passed away peacefully on January 6, 2018, at his home, surrounded by his family.

Born in Jakarta, Indonesia, the fourth of 10 children, he spent time in Australia, Germany and Canada before settling in Sisseton, South Dakota, where he met his wife Lori, and practiced medicine for 42 years. David, who practiced until 2016, loved his patients, planting trees, and developing his own recipes. Above all, David loved his wife, children, and grandchildren.

Growing up, David's family designed and manufactured batik, a cloth that is a staple in many Indonesian traditions. He attended a Chinese school with English as a second language and also spoke Indonesian, which was the only language spoken at home. After finishing school in Indonesia, he went to Australia for an additional two years before receiving a matriculation test and acceptance to the University of Engineering and Medicine.

He chose the University of Munich, West Germany, to enroll in the medical field because of the impression left by his family's pediatrician, who saved David's one-year-old sister when she was seriously ill.

After graduating Summa Cum Laude with his Medical Degree, David spent time in Canada practicing medicine. In 1973, members of the Ipswich Hospital board contacted David about a position, but it was Sisseton where he would make his home for many years.

David was a quiet man whose greatest joy in life was spending time with his family, watching both his children and grandchildren grow. For him, there was nothing better than the knowledge that his family was near him. He was drawn to nature, spending countless hours enjoying the outdoors at his home and cabin. A shady spot under a tree was one of his favorite locations to watch his kids enjoy time in the lake.

David is survived by his wife of 39 years, Lori; his children: Alexander (Tracy) Oey of Marshall, MN; Theresa (Ashley) Oey-Trudeau of Brookings, SD; Rachel (Codie) Schmeichel of Sioux Falls, SD; Graham (Christina) Oey of Pierre, SD, and Brenna O'Bryan (Derek Coover) of Sioux Falls, SD; eleven grandchildren: Haley, Xander, Braylon, Hadley, Mack, Taye, Carter, Emilyn, Avy, Lucy and Turner. He is also survived by three brothers: Sein, Hein, Hoat; two sisters: Hetty and Ertien; parents-in-law: Dale and Anita Remund of Brookings, SD; and his long-time nurse, Carol Currence.

He is preceded in death by his parents; three brothers; one sister; and son-in-law, Israel O'Bryan.



*Peaceful  
Reflections...*