



Mark H. Karnowski

April 12, 1949 - January 04, 2023

Mark H. Karnowski of Lindstrom died January 4, 2023 at Fairview Hospital in St. Paul Minnesota at the age of 73.

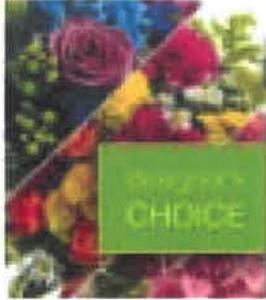
Mark was born in Rush City, Minnesota to Harold E. and Martha J. Karnowski. He graduated from Chisago City High School in 1967 and from St. John's University, Minnesota in 1971. Mark tested several occupations including teaching high school in Humacao, Puerto Rico, working for the Chisago County Press, as well as WCMP, KABG, and WLKX Radio, the Chisago County Attorney's Office, and the Minnesota Senate before getting into Minnesota City Administration and working for Chisago City (1984-91), Lindstrom (1991-03) and Princeton (2003-2017).

On June 25, 1983 Mark married Kathleen E. Schipper at the Kost Evangelical Free Church. Together they enjoyed traveling and spending time at the Pine City Cabin with family and friends.

In his free time, Mark was an active member of the Chisago Lakes Lion's Club, the Chisago Lakes Sportsmen's Club, the Lindstrom Commercial Club, and the Princeton Rotary Club. Mark also served on several local and state boards including the Community Partnership for Youth and Families, the Minnesota Clerks and Finance Officer's Association, the League of Minnesota Cities, the League of Minnesota Cities Insurance Trust, the Coalition of Minnesota cities, Family Pathways and the Chisago County Historical Society.

Mark was preceded in death by his parents, Harold and Martha, his sisters Julianne and Mary Jo. Mark is survived by his wife Kathleen, his brothers Thomas of Brooklyn Park and Scott of Shoreview, as well as many other relations and friends.

Memorials are suggested to Family Pathways, the local Food Shelf and North Woods Humane Society.



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Recipient's Information

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Special Instructions

This is for the funeral of Mark Karnowski. Visitation is scheduled for January 11 at 10 am at the Church.

Card Information

* *The City of Princeton City Council and staff are sorry for your loss. Mark was a dedicated Administrator and community volunteer. We hope that you find comfort in your memories of Mark. City of Princeton* *

Have Questions?

Contact us at
(651) 257-1110

We look forward to taking care of any flower needs you may have in the future.

