



Edward D. Porter

June 27, 1925 - September 5, 2009

84, of Indianapolis, passed away September 5, 2009. He was born June 27, 1925 to the late Edward D. Jr., and Donna (Clark) Porter. A lifelong resident of Indianapolis, Ed was a graduate of Shortridge High School and DePauw University. He served his country in the U.S. Navy during WWII. Ed was employed as a pharmaceutical sales representative for GlaxoSmithKline for over 30 years, retiring in 1988. Ed enjoyed running and the outdoors, he was a member of the Venice Sailing Squadron, the Meridian Hills Kiwanis, and Meridian Street United Methodist Church. Visitation will be Wednesday, September 9, 2009 from 12:00 p.m. until the time of services at 2:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel, 9900 Allisonville Rd. Ed is survived by his loving wife, Marian Shirley Porter; sons, Dave (Donna) Porter, and Rick Porter; 3 step-children; grandchildren, Amanda Shelly, Jason, Brandon, Katie, and Shelbie Porter; 5 step-grandchildren; and 4 great-grandchildren. Ed was preceded in death by his first wife, Donna Hardin Porter. Memorial contributions may be made to the Humane Society of Indianapolis, 7929 N. Michigan Rd., Indianapolis, 46268.