



David R. Henderson

March 31, 1936 - August 6, 2017

David R. "Skitch" Henderson, 81, of Murrells Inlet, S.C., formerly of Washington, died Sunday, August 6, 2017, in Grand Strand Hospital, Myrtle Beach.

Mr. Henderson was born in Washington, a son of the late Raymond C. and Iona Bert Henderson.

He was a graduate of Washington High School, where he was a four-year starter on the basketball team. He attended Marietta College on a basketball scholarship, and in 1955, he signed with the Cleveland Indians Baseball organization and played with the farm system.

He was an agent for Nationwide Insurance Co. for 30 years, until his retirement.

He was a longtime member of Washington Country Club and held the title of "Washington Country Club Champion" in 1990, 1991 and 1992.

He was inducted into Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame, Washington-Greene County Chapter, in 1996. His love of golf moved him to the Myrtle Beach area, where he made his home there with Kaye Baum. Together, they made many, lasting friendships there.

Surviving are his loving companion of 31 years, Kaye Williams Baum of Murrells Inlet; son David L. (Michelle) Henderson of Fredericksburg, Va.; daughter Barbara Henderson Ronan of Columbia, S.C.; four grandchildren, Heather and Justin Nolta, Kaitlyn (Justin) Salyer and Amy Ronan; sister-in-law Jan Henderson of Canonsburg; and a nephew, Andrew (Jessica) Henderson.

Deceased are two brothers, Richard L. and Thomas W. Henderson; an infant sister, Barbara Henderson; and a son-in-law, Scott R. Ronan.

Memorial services will be held at 2:00 P.M., with Bereavement following, on Friday, August 18, 2017 at Belin United Methodist Church with the Rev. Walter Cantwell officiating. Memorials may be directed to Belin Memorial United Methodist Church Youth Ministry, P.O. Box 528, Murrells Inlet, SC 29576.

Please sign the families guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

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