



Richard M. Alderson

November 10, 1931 - January 15, 2025

Richard Monroe Alderson, Jr. 93, of Antioch, IL passed away on Wed. Jan. 15, 2025 in Libertyville, IL. He was born Nov. 10, 1931 in Bonham, Texas and was formerly of Woodstock, Evanston and Skokie, IL. He was a graduate and received his Doctorate degree at Northwestern University in Evanston and became the Associate of the Graduate School of Music and was a well-known opera singer. Richard taught at other schools, including Millsaps College in Jackson, MS, University of Georgia, University of Montana and DePaul University in Chicago. He was also a member of the Masonic Lodge, was an ordained minister at the Methodist Church, having studied at the Perkins School of Theology at Southern Methodist University.

Surviving is his wife of 48 years, Katherine Ann Alderson, 4 children, Richard M. Alderson, III (Karen), Patricia Alderson, Janice Alderson and Martha (John) Alderson-Lewellan; his brother, Willis Alderson and 4 sisters, Betty, Dorothy, Helen and Mary Ann.

Arrangements by Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville, IL, info 847-362-3009 or please share a memory at www.burnettdane.com.