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PASSING OF CAPT KEVIN ANDREW STURDY, DC, USN, RETIRED

16 February 1953 – 30 November 2014

Kevin Andrew Sturdy, 61, resident of Windsor, CA, passed away suddenly but peacefully in the early morning hours on Sunday, November 30, 2014 in his home. Kevin was born on February 16, 1953 in Pasadena, CA to Sara Eileen Corcoran and Donald Richard Sturdy. The middle child between Mark and Danny, Kevin grew up in Alhambra, CA and graduated from Loyola High School (Class of 1971), San Diego State University (Class of 1975), and University of Pacific School of Dentistry (Class of 1978).

In February 1977, he married Cheryl Pedersen, welcoming daughters Jennifer in 1978 and Angela in 1979. Besides being a father, the biggest influence in Kevin's life was his 31 years of service in the United States Navy (1978-2009), retiring with honor at the rank of Captain. He served as a dentist for thousands of servicemen and women while also traveling and living all around the world.

Retirement brought many joyous events, including a very important rekindling of friendship with Cheryl after their divorce in 1989; walking Jennifer down the aisle; continuing to be a loving father to both Jennifer and Angela; purchasing and renovating a beautiful new home with Cheryl; and planning for the impending arrival of his first grandchild.

Kevin is survived by his children, brother Mark, and countless loving friends and family. A private service will be held Saturday, December 13 in Sierra Madre, CA.

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