

Albert Eugene Pursell, age 84, currently of Lewisville, TX, passed away peacefully on Monday, December 7, 2020 from COVID-19.

Al was an Independence Day baby, born on July 4, 1936, in Du Quoin, IL. He was a college basketball player at Coe College in Cedar Rapids, IA.

He met Ferol Britton, and they married on December 21, 1957. Al and Ferol spent the majority of their married life in Waseca, MN, where Al was the ultimate PE teacher and coach, a favorite with the students!

Al loved to fish, watch horse racing, college basketball and baseball.

Al was preceded in death by his parents, Albert and Florence Pursell, his sister Janice Eckols and his wife Ferol Pursell. He is survived by his daughter, Barb Flanagan (Jeff), his son Bob Pursell, four granddaughters Kristen Ramos (Josh), Marissa Tang (Kevin), Kelley Myers (Derek) and Megan Tipton (Lucas). He is also survived by three great grandchildren, Colton and Avery Ramos and Ellie Tang.

Al was a character and a special man. He was a great husband, father, grandfather and friend. He will be greatly missed by all. Donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association at alz.org, as that is a cause close to our hearts.