Steven D. Golladay



Hopewell Jct, NY - Steven D. Golladay, age 73, of Hopewell Jct, NY, died December 9, 2019 at Sharon Hospital Medical Center after a short illness. He was the loving husband of Lucy Anich.

Steve was born and raised in Staunton, VA, the 2nd son of the late Goldwin R. and Ruth (McComb) Golladay. Steve graduated from Dartmouth and received a PhD from the University of Chicago. He served in the US Army in the Vietnam War. Steve was an engineer at IBM in East Fishkill, NY, and after retirement from IBM was lead designer at Nuflare Technology in Hopewell Jct, NY with many patents to his credit.

Steve was inquisitive about the world and an keen observer of nature especially birds. He was an active member of the Waterman Bird Club, delighting in sharing his bird pictures with friends and traveling the world on birding tours. He led a very full and active life filled with biking, hiking, skiing, and friendships.

He is survived by his wife Lucy, brother Gary (Ruth) Golladay, sister Kay (Peter) Menk, sisters-in-law: Dorothea Anich, Joan (Jerry) Gasser, Marianne (Roger) Walsh, and Donna Anich; brothers in law: John (Gail) Anich, Gerald Anich, Robert (Susanne) Anich, and Howard Anich; numerous nieces, and nephews, and many friends, all who enriched Steve's life and learned much from him.

A funeral service in Staunton, VA will be announced at a later date. A memorial service in New York will be planned for Spring.

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Steven Douglas Golladay '68 of Hopewell Junction, New York, died on December 9, 2019, of Lewy body dementia, which was diagnosed only four weeks before his passing. Steve's health and intellectual acuity had kept him highly active until shortly before his death. Steve came to Hanover as a cum laude graduate of Robert E. Lee High School in Staunton, Virginia, and a National Merit finalist. At Dartmouth Steve participated in the Dartmouth Outing Club, Yachting Club, and Canoe Club. He was a member of Kappa Sigma. Steve earned an A.B. in physics and then did Army service, including a tour in Vietnam, before continuing his physics studies and acquiring an M.S. and Ph.D. at the University of Chicago. He worked in microelectronics research and design at IBM and was credited with 23 patents before retiring from that company to become lead designer for Nuflare Technology, a Japanese business in the semiconductor industry. Steve loved outdoor activities. He was a bicyclist, hiker, skier, and, most enthusiastically, birder. He traveled the world photographing various species of birds, and he enjoyed sharing his brilliant photos with his many friends and family members. He is survived by his wife of 44 years, Lucy.