



Adolf Richard Asam

November 25, 1928 - July 23, 2018

Adolf Richard Asam, age 89, died on Monday July 23, 2018, surrounded by family at Talbot Hospice House following a brief illness.

Adolf was born in Nuremberg, Germany on November 25, 1928, and immigrated to the US in 1955 to continue his studies as a physicist at UCLA. He went on to have a long and distinguished career in defense related technology. He was responsible for dozens of patents, notably in the development of microchannel plates, the key technical component of night vision, and fiber optic technology as it applied to missile guidance.

He also was a lover of animals, big and small. In his retirement, he enjoyed bird watching and nature walks in Blackwater Wildlife Refuge and observing the natural migration of waterfowl on the Eastern Shore.

Adolf is survived by Doris, his wife of 63 years; his daughters, Kathy Rogers-Lang (Michael) and Kim Eckert (Steve); his son, Stephen Asam (Sharon); his grandchildren, Austin Eckert (Melissa), William Rogers (Kaitlin), Emily Heasley, Christian Asam and Caroline Asam; and four great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his granddaughter, Leigh Baerenz Rogers.

A celebration of life service will be held at the home of Kim and Steven Eckert on August 18, at 3 p.m., followed by an opportunity to gather with family and

friends.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Talbot Hospice (586 Cynwood Dr. Easton, MD 21601 talbothospice.org) or Donate Life Maryland (1730 Twin Springs Rd., Suite 200, Baltimore, MD 21227 donatelifemaryland.org)

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