



## Martin L. Sornborger

October 25, 2023

Martin L. Sornborger passed away on October 25, 2023 in Bloomfield, CT with his family by his side. He was born in 1934, son of Lester and Florence Sornborger in Springfield, MA. He was a graduate of Classical High School, Springfield and Middlebury College 1955. He was an airborne air controller in the US Navy, flying off of aircraft carriers in the North Atlantic and Mediterranean Sea. He worked as a computer programmer at Brown University, Amica, Rico Machine Company and Attleboro City Hall, retiring in 1999. He was an avid fly fisherman and member of the Wantastiquet Trout Club in Vermont. As a woodworker in his retirement years, he designed and built secretary desks, jewelry boxes, tables, but his favorite specialty was building unusual and extravagant marble towers for children.

With his growing sons, he spent many days hiking and climbing in the White Mountains. He leaves three sons – David (Lisa) of Colorado, Andrew (Chris) of New Mexico, and Nathan (Donna) of Harwinton, CT., five grandchildren – Hope, Mariah, Myles, Marshall and Raphael, and one great-grandson – Noah. He leaves his wife of 65 years – Charlotte (Barton).

A memorial service will be held at St John's Episcopal Church, 191 County Rd. in Barrington, RI on Nov 17 and 11:00 AM, followed by a light reception.

In lieu of flowers, donations in his memory can be made to the Appalachian

Mountain Club (10 City Square, Suite 2, Boston, MA 02129) or the  
Wantastiquet Trout Club (PO Box 264  
Weston, VT 05161).

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

NOV 17. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. John's Episcopal Church  
191 County Rd.  
Barrington, RI

# Tribute Wall

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“ Charlotte- So sorry to hear of Marty's passing. Sending my deepest condolences. Love, Sue Adamowicz

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**Susan Adamowicz** - November 09, 2023 at 01:28 PM

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“ Charlotte, I wanted to extend my deepest sympathies on Martin's passing. I will remember fondly my conversations with Martin over the years while working on the little fishpond.

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**Dave Marchetti** - November 01, 2023 at 09:30 PM