

Dear Senators and Staff,

I wish to inform you that former State Senator Rudy Hanson passed away this Sunday, October 13, 2002 at the age of ninety-nine.

Former State Senator Rudy Hanson has been an icon in District 27 for as many years as I can remember. Continuing to serve our families long after he retired from the senate, he was an incredible asset to our communities. He was our Rudy Giuliani, our local hero.

I had the honor of receiving a visit from Sen. Hanson at the Senate this year, and I was amazed at the number of people who came over to shake his hand and to show their respect. It was such a pleasure to listen to Sen. Hanson recount memories of the years he served us at the Capitol.

His funeral will be at the Bayview Funeral Home, 1415 Hwy 13 N, Albert Lea, MN, 507-373-4330 on Friday, October 18th at 2 pm and visitation will be on Thursday, October 17th, from 4 pm to 8 pm.

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*(former senator Grace Schubert)
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