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## Obituary for Samuel Gendler

Samuel Gendler, age 99, March 22, 1924 - April 25, 2023. Beloved father, Zaide, Uncle, Brother, and loyal friend. Sam was fiercely independent until the end. He moved to Minneapolis in 2000 and made so many new friends. He always loved to make a party! Sam loved to watch his grandchildren's sporting events and never missed a game, which meant so much to the grandkid's and their teammates. He loved to play golf in his younger years, watch football, cook for his family, practice Judaism, work crossword puzzles and read the paper from cover to cover every day. Sam proudly served his country in World War II along with his brothers. His only medicine, up until a week before he passed was a shot of whiskey weekly for the Shabbat blessing. His catch phrase was "be careful" which was also his way of saying I love you. Private family only funeral service. SHIVA will be held at the home of Nancy Gendler, 1507 Holdridge Terrace, Wayzata, MN 55391 on Wednesday and Thursday, April 26th and 27th, at 7:00 pm. Sam is survived by his sister, Sally Wintroub; daughters, Suzy (Dan) Kahner, Nancy Gendler; son, Gordon (Beth) Gendler; grandchildren, Jimmy and Johnny Kahner, Jack Hinderks, Raphy, Esther and Rebekah Gendler. Preceded in death by former wife and very good friend, Addie Gendler. The family would like to thank the caregivers of Gentiva Hospice and New Perspectives Senior Living. Memorials preferred to the Gentiva Hospice Foundation, 8000 W. 78th Street, #210, Edina, MN 55439 or Mazon, a Jewish response to hunger, Mazon.com. Be Careful, Zaide, we love you!!

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