Stephen Norman Teicher died on July 5, 2014 at the age 70 years. While his death was sudden; he had been battling Parkinson ‘s disease for the past 20 years.

Stephen (Steve) was born March 28, 1944 in Hampton, Virginia, the son of David and Reisa Teicher. Steve is survived by his wife, Delfine Thorndike, of 32 years; sister Reda Sheinberg of Silver Spring, MD; two children Mark Teicher of Mechanicsburg, PA and Jennifer Teicher of Leominster, MA and 2 step-children Albert Thorndike of Danville, VT and Paul Thorndike of Danville, VT.

Steve earned a B.S. degree in electrical engineering from MIT in 1966. Steve was a world-renowned pioneer in the computer industry. He started his career at Digital Corporation (DEC) in Massachusetts in 1969. For over 23 years, he held leadership roles at DEC, and developed technology, which led to the first roll-out of minicomputers with the PDP-11 and later the first 32 bit computers with memory management and floating-point, the DEC VAXes. After leaving Digital in the early 1990’s, he moved to California to become VP of engineering for Kubota Pacific Computer and then a VP of World Wide Tools at Apple Computer. In late 1990’s, Steve moved to Winter Park, Florida to become VP of engineering at Real3D and VP of applications of Go-Coop. After earning his MBA at Rollins Collins in 2001, Steve changed pathways and spent 4 years teaching as a lecturer at UCF.

Steve enjoyed photography. In college, he was the photo editor of the MIT school newspaper. He owned boats for most of his adult life; cruising with family and friends around Boston Harbor, Cape Cod, San Francisco Bay, Florida, Bahamas and the Caribbean. After retiring, Steve and his wife Del and their golden retriever lived in an RV for several years traveling the US and Canada where they spent lots of time visiting with family and making new friends. For the past 5 years, Steve and his wife have lived at The Great Outdoors in Titusville Florida.

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National Parkinson Foundation, http://www.parkinson.org/, where you may donate online or mail donations to National Parkinson Foundation, Gift Processing Center, PO Box 5018 Hagerstown, MD 21741-5018