

## Charles M. Manly III <sup>614-R</sup> 3-9-2017

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A reception gathering in celebration of his life will be held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, March 18, at the Buckley Hall Dining Room of the Mayflower Community in Grinnell.

Memorial contributions may be directed to the Multiple Sclerosis Association of America, Mayflower Community Health Care Center or Hawkeye Care Center.

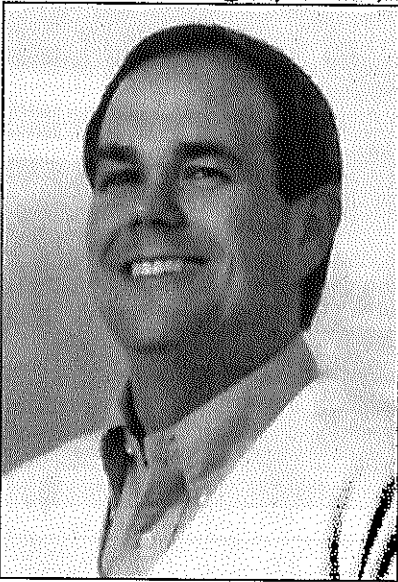
Charlie was born July 18, 1950, in Spencer, Iowa, the son of Charles M. and Bernie A. Lippold Manly, II. A graduate of Grinnell High School in 1968 and Simpson College in 1972, he received his law degree from Hamline University in St. Paul, Minnesota, in 1976. He joined Manly Law Offices in Grinnell on August 2, 1976. He was the third generation of the family to practice law in Grinnell, a firm formed by his grandfather in 1912. He retired in 2005, due to health reasons.

On May 22, 1982, he was united in marriage to Debra Yellick, in La Crosse, Wisconsin.

Charlie was a former city attorney in Grinnell and was active with the Grinnell Area Arts Council. He was a member of the Poweshiek County District 8A, the Iowa State Bar Association, American Bar Association, Iowa Municipal Attorney's Association and the Association of Iowa Trial Lawyers. In 1986 he was elected chairman of the Poweshiek County Republican Central Committee. He also chaired the re-election effort for former Gov. Robert Ray in 1978 in Poweshiek County.

Charlie enjoyed sailing and was a lover of nature. He was an avid fan of the University of Iowa Hawkeyes.

He is survived by his mother, Bernie Manly of Okoboji; two brothers, Tom Manly of Dallas, Texas, and Mike (Shelly) Manly of Okoboji; four nieces and nephews, Chad, Jennifer, Kathleen and John Manly; and his former wife, Debra Yellick-Manly of Grinnell. He was preceded in death by his father, Chuck Manly in 2011.



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