JOHN POLLET

JOHN POLLET John E. Pollet, 82, of Las Vegas, passed away peacefully Wednesday, Oct. 1, 2014. He was born in Huntington Park, Calif., to Chester and Helen Jones Pollet. John grew up and attended schools in California, graduating from Cal Tech in 1956, with a civil engineering degree. He joined the U.S. Army, and thereafter worked for Holmes and Narver, an architect-engineering company in Los Angeles for 41 years. He worked on VLF and Omega stations and loved going to work each day. He loved to travel enjoying such places as Israel, Antarctica, the Arctic Circle, and even circumnavigating the globe one time. He met his wife, Betsy, in Los Alamos, N.M., and their family of a son and two daughters lived for 35 years in Los Angeles. He was promoted to senior vice president, before retiring to Las Vegas in 1996. Here, he volunteered as a docent for the Atomic Testing Museum and enjoyed photography and the Computer Club in Sun City. He was a true family man, entering into all the family activities. John loved learning and loved life. He was preceded in death by his parents; his sister; and his son, Kenneth. John is survived by his wife, Betsy; daughters, Kathryn and Karen; and grandchildren, Collin, Trevor, Bradley and Holly. Memorial services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 15, at Shadow Hills Baptist Church, 7811 Vegas Drive, Las Vegas. In lieu of flowers, donations may be given to the Salvation Army.