



**Richard Stanley Armstrong, M.D.**  
**October 15, 1920 - August 17, 2007**

Born in Mansfield, Ohio, into a Quaker community, as a young boy Dr. Armstrong migrated to Whittier, CA with his family. Graduate of the University of California, Berkley and Creighton Medical School. Twice drafted, twice served, in the Army Medical Corps. Pathologist for the Veteran's Administration Hospital, Pima County Hospital, and, for more than 20 years, Director of Laboratory Medicine for Tucson Medical Center. President, Pima County Medical Society, 1973, and member of the Arizona Medical Association board of directors, 1976-1980. Diplomate, College of American Pathologists. Longtime member of the Unitarian Universalist Church of Tucson, and chairman of the building committee that constructed Holland Sanctuary, where the congregation still meets. His beloved wife, Shirle, died in 1981, after 35 happy years of marriage. In 1982, he married Katherine Quinlan, longtime administrator of the UU Church, with whom he enjoyed a long, well-deserved retirement. She preceded him in death in 2000. He is survived by daughter, Christine Cochran (Thomas), of Sierra Vista, daughter, Nancy Johnson (George), of Arvada, Colorado, and son, Richard Jr., of San Diego, California; grandsons, Thomas and Richard Cochran; sisters, Mary McCullough and Betty Wilson; stepdaughters, Jennifer Quinlan and Cynthia Roberts; stepsons, Tad Quinlan and Kirk Roberts. In lieu of flowers, Dr. Armstrong requested that any memorials be made to the Tucson Medical Center Foundation or the Unitarian Universalist Association Memorial Fund. A memorial service will be held at the Unitarian Universalist Church, 4831 E. 22nd Street, Tuesday, August 21, 2007 at 7:00 P.M.

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