



## Nuruddin "Nu" D. Ghadiali

April 11, 1942 - March 24, 2016

Nuruddin "Nu" D. Ghadiali, 73, of Columbus, died at home on March 24, 2016, of natural causes. A multiple heart attack and stroke survivor, he was born April 11, 1942, to the late Dawoodbhai and Rababbai (Gittham) of Bombay (present Mumbai), India. Nu is survived by his wife, Lena (Bhole) Ghadiali; son, Samir (wife Stephanie) of Columbus; son, Neil (wife Rachel) of Alexandria, Va.; granddaughters, Sarina and Sierra Ghadiali of Columbus; brother, Abuli; and sisters, Sophia and Rehana; and many beloved nieces, nephews, sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law. He was preceded in death by brothers Abdul-Hussein and sister Manu. Nu received his Masters degree in mechanical engineering from North Carolina State University in Raleigh and served as a respected research scientist and software developer for the Battelle Memorial Institute in Columbus for 39 years. He was an avid NBA, NFL, College Football, and College Basketball fan; his favorite team was the Ohio State Buckeyes (O-H!). He loved collecting stamps, hats, coffee mugs, and decks of playing cards. He loved Jeopardy!, western movies/ books/ TV shows (his favorite westerns were Lonesome Dove and Bonanza), horses, the ocean, traveling, and most of all spending time with family and friends. He was loved and will be greatly missed. His family will receive friends from 10 a.m.-12 noon on Monday March 28, 2016, at RUTHERFORD FUNERAL HOME in Powell. In lieu of flowers, please feel free to make a monetary donation to the American Stroke Association . The family also wishes to thank Kobacker House and OhioHealth Hospice Care for their assistance and

support. Condolences may be expressed online at [www.rutherfordfuneralhome.com](http://www.rutherfordfuneralhome.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ Nuruddin "Nu" D. Ghadiali

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“ *I am so sorry to hear of your loss, Lena. I had the privilege of working with Nu at Battelle and always respected his capabilities and input on projects. May the powers of love and time heal your broken heart and help you to focus on the highlights of his life and your relationship, thereby softening the sadness of his passing. Best wishes to you and your family. Keith Dufrane*

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**Keith Dufrane** - March 29, 2016 at 09:00 PM