Family has Raised over $250,000 in a Decade to Honor their Father

Eagle, Wisconsin

Tim Harrington, Senior’s family honors him every year with a Golf Benefit at Eagle Springs Golf Resort. Tim lost his 11-year battle with Alzheimer’s disease in 2009. Tim is described as a gentle man who always treated others with the utmost respect and kindness. His greatest joy came from gathering with family and friends on the ski slopes, on a golf course or at our family cottage at Eagle Springs Golf Resort. The annual event, organized by family and volunteers, raises critical funds for the Alzheimer’s Association Wisconsin Chapter.

“Having walked the journey of Alzheimer’s and seeing the effects not only on my dad, but also the stress it puts on family, we know that nobody can do this journey alone,” says Tim Harrington, Jr. “Raising awareness for the services the Alzheimer’s Association has to offer families, and be able to help fund these services, we feel is a way to make something good out of something bad.”

The first year the golf outing raised $6,000, however the event has grown and now averages over $20,000 each year. “Our huge success is due to the overwhelming support of our many sponsors and donors who have supported us through the years, many of whom have been affected by Alzheimer’s and dementia and understand the importance of the work of the Alzheimer’s Association,” says Tim Jr.

Tim Harrington, Jr. also honors his father every day at his work at the Alzheimer’s Association Wisconsin Chapter. Tim is a Community Outreach Coordinator and part of a statewide team to offer programs, education and support groups for those affected by Alzheimer’s and other forms of dementia.