

**Martin W. Deede (FCAS 1987)**  
**1957-2014**

**Actuary and Inventor**

Martin W. Deede died November 6, 2014. He was 57. He was born in New York City, the son of William and Anne (Carstens) Deede.

Deed was vice president of the Actuarial Department at Metropolitan Life Insurance Company in Warwick, Rhode Island, where he worked for over 27 years. In 2009 he served as vice chair on the board of the directors of the Highway Loss Data Institute. Deede also held a patent for a computerized method and system of assessing insurance risk.

He enjoyed the outdoors, especially hiking, kayaking, motorcycling and bicycling, but most of all, he enjoyed spending time with his family and grandchildren.

He is survived by his wife, Donna; four children, Rebekah DiLernia, Sarah Alfieri, Emily Deede and Benjamin Deede; two step-children, Kenneth Arruda and Joshua Arruda; a brother, Richard Deede; and seven grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the Hematology & Oncology Associates of Rhode Island, Inc., Attention: Jennifer, for the purchase of an Infusion Chair in Martin Deede's memory, would be appreciated.