

**CHILDREN'S MUSIC PRODUCER**  
**Alan Richard Seeley (FCAS 1991)**  
**1952-2018**

Alan Seeley, a talented pianist, violinist and songwriter, who produced three CDs of original children's songs on his Songs for Kids label, died at home following a lengthy battle with pancreatic cancer. He was born in Fairfield, Connecticut, to Virginia and Joseph Seeley. He graduated from Fairfield Prep and earned money as a piano tuner before going to study music at the University North Texas in Denton. His plans changed and he graduated from the University of Minnesota in St. Paul with a BA in mathematics in 1986. Well into his career he began working for a masters an MS in financial engineering from Columbia University, obtaining it in 2015.

His actuarial career began in 1986, working in Minnesota, California and New York. These positons include: Loss Reserve Analyst from 1986 to 1989 for The St. Paul Companies in St. Paul, Minnesota; Pricing Actuary from 1990 to 1992 for Fireman's Fund Insurance Companies in Novato, California; Consulting Actuary from 1992 to 1993 for The Wyatt Company in San Francisco; and Chief Actuary from 1994 to 1997 for Empire Insurance Group in New York City.

He moved to Santa Fe in 2002 to become property/casualty actuary for the insurance division of the New Mexico Public Regulation Commission. In 2013 he became chief actuary and acting deputy superintendent for the New Mexico Office of Superintendent of Insurance, also in Santa Fe, serving there until 2018. His work included regulatory work as well as preparing new legislation on insurance regulation. He was chair of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners' modernization of risk-based capital requirements for U.S. insurers and was a member of the American Academy of Actuaries.

Seeley is survived by Elaine Woldorsky, his wife of 32 years, and brothers Robert and Kenneth. Contributions in Seeley's memory may be made to Doctors Without Borders or the Pancreatic Cancer Foundation.