

It is with deep regret that we inform you of the passing of
Dr. George Sas-Podlusky, on Sunday, October 18, 2020, at 97 years.

UNM's philanthropist



Dr. Podlusky is preceded in death by his wife, Erika (2011) and daughter, Un Soon. He is survived by his children Dr. Peter (Cecile) Podlusky, Kum Sook (John) Williams and many grandchildren.

Dr. Podlusky was born in Peremyszl, Ukraine. He began his medical studies in Gdansk, Poland and in 1950 graduated with an MD degree from the Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich. Later that year, he immigrated to the United States with his wife and son, where he practiced as a radiologist.

We, the Ukrainian National Museum family, mourn Dr. George Sas-Podlusky, one of the greatest patrons and benefactors of the museum. We recognize him most for his philanthropic activities, historical and valuable contributions to our museum – Kozak era artifacts, numismatic and phaleristic collections, relics of Metropolitan Andrey Sheptytsky, Lubka Kolessa (Dr. George's cousin) Bosendorfer grand piano and numerous other priceless artifacts.

He was a true Ukrainian patriot with a keen and curious mind who believed in preserving one's culture and passing it on to future generations. What better way to share treasures than to pass them on to the museum where everyone can continue to appreciate them.

A funeral service will be held on Thursday, October 22, 2020

at St. Joseph the Betrothed Ukrainian Catholic Church, 5000 N. Cumberland, Chicago, IL

at 11:00 a.m.

Entombment at St. Nicholas Mausoleum.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers donations be made to the Ukrainian National Museum of Chicago.