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New London - David Patrick Condon, beloved husband of Sherri Verrier Condon, died Monday, June 29, 2009, at Hartford Hospital after a courageous six-year battle with carcinoid cancer. A New London native, lawyer and former president of the New London Board of Education, David was 45 years old.

David was the son of the late Judge Thomas P. Condon and Mary Carolyn (Macdonald) Condon. He attended New London public and parochial schools, St. Bernard High School in Uncasville and graduated with academic honors from the University of Connecticut and the University of Connecticut School of Law. He joined the law firm of Waller, Smith & Palmer in 1992, after completing a clerkship in the Superior Court in Middletown. He was later named a partner in the firm and practiced there until his death.

He was a member of the Connecticut and New London County bar associations since 1992, and was a recognized expert in Connecticut boundary law and easement law, giving seminars and publishing articles on those subjects.

He served on the New London Board of Education from 2001 to 2005, and was vice president from 2003 to 2004, and president from 2004 to 2005. He was a trustee of the Public Library of New London beginning in 1999, and was vice president from 2005 to 2007. In 2001, he became a trustee of the University of Connecticut Law School Alumni Association.

David married the love of his life and companion of nine years, Sherri, in a beautiful ceremony at the Pequot Chapel on May 16. In front of family and friends, Sherri and Dave shared their vow: "I promise to love you unconditionally, to support you, to honor and respect you,

to laugh with you and cry with you, and to cherish you for as long as we both shall live . . . now united, we are never apart." The couple partied the night away at the Pilot House at Ocean Beach, with the foghorn sounding in the distance.

Although taken from us too soon, David had a life filled with love and laughter. He was a favorite uncle to his nieces and nephews, perhaps because he never lost his sense of childhood. He was always up for a game of Wiffleball, a Frisbee toss or a race to the Guthrie Beach raft and was the person to beat in a game of Trivial Pursuit or the family's annual Easter Egg Hunt. As the kids grew older, he continued to take an interest in their activities.

David also was an avid UConn and Red Sox fan, making frequent trips to Gampel and Fenway. He loved golf, had a hole in one at Birch Plains, and got to play at St. Andrews in Scotland. He enjoyed reading and traveling, and had an encyclopedic knowledge of music, film, and "The Simpsons." Despite a growing burden of pain and disability as the result of his illness, he remained upbeat, hard-working, quick-witted and concerned about the well-being of others.

In addition to his wife and mother, David is survived by six siblings and their spouses, Thomas J. and Anne M. Condon of West Hartford, C. Patricia Condon and David Duranti of New London, Deirdre C. and John Wyeth of

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