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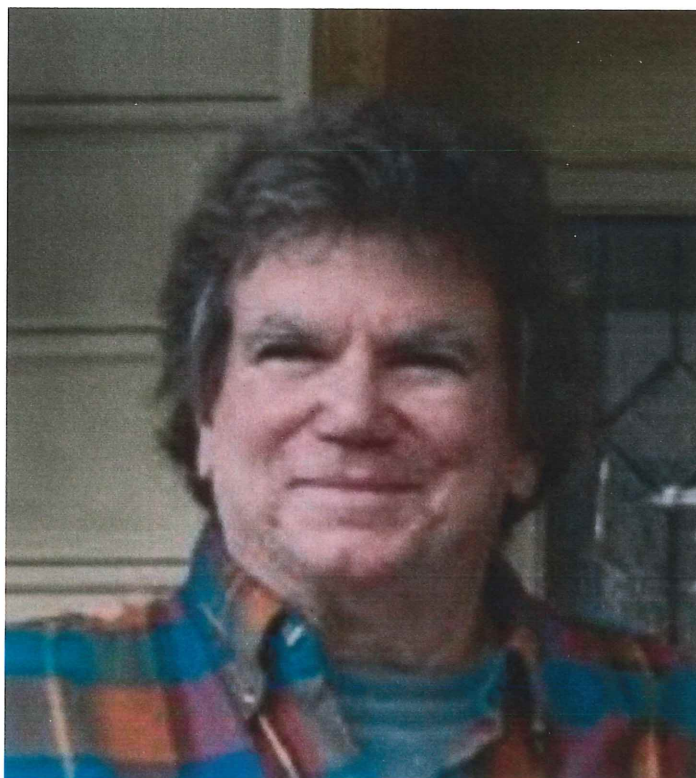
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James Anthony Maiorana, 68, died on October 31, 2014, in Hamilton, New Jersey, from mantle cell lymphoma.

James was a mathematical prodigy from early childhood. He graduated from Boonsboro High School in Boonsboro, Md., in 1964, and continued his education at the California Institute of Technology.

Upon his graduation from Caltech in 1968 with a Bachelor of Science in mathematics and physics, he was inducted into the U.S. Army. He was released from active military service in June 1970 for graduate study in mathematics at Princeton University. After earning his PhD and receiving an honorable discharge from the U.S. Armed Forces in 1974, James taught and researched mathematics at the State University of New York, Stony Brook. He left Stony Brook after two years and accepted a position as a research mathematician with the Institute for Defense Analyses, Center for Communications Research in Princeton, where he remained employed until his death. During that time, James worked tirelessly to solve mathematical problems important to national security. His work was classified and he received many awards for his contributions to cryptology, encryption and related fields.

He is survived by his wife, Sharon; his mother, Catherine; three brothers, John, Thomas and Michael; four sisters, Virginia, Valerie, Celeste and Linda; and many nieces and nephews.

A memorial gathering celebrating his life will be held later at his family home near Boonsboro.

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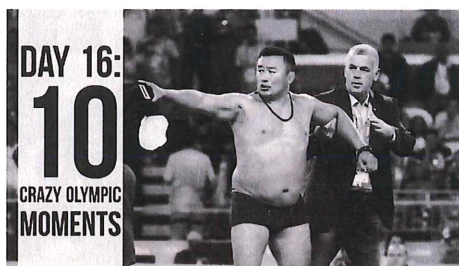
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