Charles Merrill Tarr was born September 20, 1940 in Paola, Ks. He passed away December 20, 2020.

Dr. Tarr received a Bachelor’s Degree from the University of Kansas in 1962 and a Doctorate from Case Western Reserve in 1967. Dr. Tarr joined the faculty at The University of Kansas Medical School in 1968 where he did research and taught first year medical students physiology. Dr. Tarr authored many scientific papers on the electrical and mechanical properties of cardiac cells. He retired in 2012.

He is survived by his wife, a daughter and son and four grandchildren. He was a wonderful husband and father to his family and he will be greatly missed.

No memorial service is planned. Family and friends can call at the house to give condolences.

In lieu of flowers memorials are appreciated to VNA Home Health, 1500 Meadow Lake Parkway, Kansas City, MO 64114