

## **Frederic T. C. Brewer IV**

Fred Brewer died on October 3, 2017. He graduated from Newark Academy in Montclair, NJ, where he excelled in academics and football. His curiosity for learning how things work and, in particular, in things electronic began early (building a television set and a Geiger counter in his teens) and continued at Princeton, where he majored in electrical engineering. He was a member of Cloister Inn. With his entrepreneurial talent, Fred persuaded the owner of The Princeton Music Center in Palmer Square to let him repair radios and phonographs in the basement. By the end of his junior year, he owned the store and began to sell high-fidelity equipment and install it in homes.

After graduation, Fred was commissioned in the U.S. Navy, earned his wings, and served as a flight instructor at Pensacola, where he met his wife Mary. After service, he enjoyed a successful career with his forward thinking and innovative ideas. He revolutionized more than a few different industries, and owned several radio stations in the Pensacola area.

Preceded death by his wife, Fred is survived by four children, ten grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

The class sends his condolences and honors his service.

## **Robert L. deZafra – Memorial Note**

Bob de Zafra was in active good health until his death of complications following otherwise successful knee surgery on October 10, 2017. He prepared for Princeton at New Milford High School (CT). Majoring in Physics, he was a member of Prospect Club, Treasurer of the Outing Club, participated in the Creative Sculpturing Program, and served as Research Assistant to Professor Joe Brown.

Bob earned a Ph.D. in Physics at the University of Maryland in 1958. As Professor of Physics at the State University of New York at Stony Brook he developed methods for detection of stratospheric trace gases, and is credited with discovering the man-made source of the hazardous depletion of the ozone layer. The de Zafra Ridge in Antarctica was named in his honor.

In retirement, he confessed to a 50-year addiction to historic preservation, personally restoring three old houses dating from the 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> centuries. He was a founder and served as secretary of *Three Villages Community Trust* in Setauket (NY) which undertakes the restoration and adaptive re-use of historical sites and structures. Bob was also active in contemporary community development, serving on the Stony Brook Safety, Beautification, and Improvement Planning Committee.

The Class extends condolences to his wife, Julia, four nieces and a nephew.

## Robert de Zafra - Obituary

Robert L. de Zafra, a physicist who helped confirm that the chemicals in some aerosols and refrigerants were responsible for the expanding ozone hole over Antarctica, died on Oct. 10 in Stony Brook, N.Y. He was 85.

Dorothea de Zafra Atwell, a niece, said the cause was respiratory complications after surgery.

Dr. de Zafra, who taught at Stony Brook University for 38 years and lived in Setauket, on the North Shore of Long Island, contributed research at a crucial time in the growing understanding of ozone-layer depletion, traveling to Antarctica to take measurements with a spectrometer that he and his Stony Brook colleagues developed.

His initial research trip there was in 1986; in September 1987, convinced of a human cause of ozone-layer depletion, world leaders finalized the [Montreal Protocol](#), a global agreement that set a timetable for elimination of the harmful chemicals.

In and around Setauket, however, Dr. de Zafra may have been better known for an entirely different role: his work to preserve his area's character and history. He was instrumental in rehabilitating historic buildings, sometimes buying them himself, and in establishing green spaces and fending off excessive development.

"This man was central to the destiny of our community for so many years," Steve Englebright, who represents the area in the New York State Assembly, said in a telephone interview. "He made some enormous contributions to our sense of place."

Robert Lee de Zafra was born on Feb. 15, 1932, in Scarsdale, N.Y., and grew up there and in New Milford, Conn. His father, Carlos, was an engineering professor at New York University, and his mother, Ellen Knox, was a seamstress in a design house.

Dr. de Zafra was a 1954 graduate of Princeton University and received his Ph.D. at the University of Maryland in 1958. He began teaching at Stony Brook in the early 1960s and in 1986 was part of the first [National Ozone Expedition](#) to [McMurdo Station](#) in Antarctica.

The ozone hole, a seasonal thinning of the ozone layer in the atmosphere over Antarctica that allows harmful ultraviolet rays to reach the Earth's surface, had recently been detected, but whether it was a natural phenomenon or caused by human activity remained under debate.

Dr. de Zafra and other researchers, led by [Susan Solomon](#) of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, were able to confirm that chlorofluorocarbons, used in refrigerants and as propellants in aerosol cans, were causing chemical reactions in the atmosphere that depleted ozone.

“Bob and his colleagues were the first to measure chlorine monoxide in the region of the ozone hole over Antarctica in 1986,” Dr. Solomon, now at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, said in an email. “They showed that this chemical was present in much larger amounts than at other latitudes, and this and subsequent work firmly established that the ozone hole is due to human production of chlorofluorocarbon chemicals.

“These chemicals are now no longer produced anywhere in the world,” she added, “and the Antarctic ozone hole is expected to heal slowly over the next 50 years or so. Bob’s work was key in helping save the planet’s ozone layer.”

Louisa Emmons, now a senior scientist at the National Center for Atmospheric Research, was one of Dr. de Zafra’s graduate students then and made three trips to McMurdo with him, as well as joining him for field work in Hawaii and Greenland.

“Bob always loved those expeditions as an opportunity to focus on making measurements and figuring out what those observations told us about how the atmosphere worked,” Dr. Emmons said by email. He put in long hours, she said, but also liked to explore the exotic locales with students and other colleagues, hiking up the steep Observation Hill next to the McMurdo Station or cross-country skiing out on the ice shelf.

Among the honors and accolades accumulated by Dr. de Zafra over the years was an unusual one: In 1999 — Ms. Atwell thought it might have been a sort of retirement present — [a ridge](#) in the Cook Mountains of Antarctica was named after him by the United States Board of Geographic Names.

Dr. de Zafra’s first marriage ended in divorce. He is survived by his wife, Julia M. Phillips-Quagliata, whom he married in 1981.

Dr. de Zafra had bought and renovated two historic buildings in Setauket — one was his home — and in recent years had purchased a third, which he was still rehabilitating at his death. He served on various civic boards and was a leader in preserving the history of the Setauket area. The area’s claims to fame include being the center of the [Culper spy ring](#), which George Washington deployed against the British and which was the subject of the recently concluded AMC series “Turn.”

Mr. Englebright said that just as Dr. de Zafra had helped sound the alarm on ozone depletion, he had also alerted him and many others to preservation issues.

“He was my sentinel on so many community projects,” Mr. Englebright said.

## **Syd Silverman (Memorial Note)**

Syd Silverman, longtime publisher and owner of *Variety* and *Daily Variety*, died August 27 of a sudden illness. He prepared for Princeton at the Manlius School, majored in Politics, wrote his senior thesis on “Television and Politics”, and was Secretary of the

Princeton Sports Car Club – an avocation which he pursued passionately for the rest of his life. Even as an undergraduate Syd worked for *Variety* during the school year and in the summers, traveling to New York on Tuesday nights for press closing and printing. He took over the business in 1957 after service as a Second Lieutenant in the Army. In his three-decade career with the publication, he maintained its reputation as “The Bible of Show Business.”

After selling the publications to Cahners Publishing, Syd focused on collecting and driving vintage cars and participating in historic auto racing. He was an owner/investor in the Sportscar Vintage Racing Assn. and developed the successful *Vintage Motorsport* magazine.

Syd married his first wife, Jan McNally, in June, 1954. Jan died of emphysema in 1997. In 1999 he married Joan Hoffman, whose husband had died two months before Jan. Syd and Jan had four children, who produced eight grandchildren.

### **Syd Silverman (obituary)**

Syd Silverman, longtime publisher and owner of *Variety* and *Daily Variety*, who shepherded the entertainment trade papers into the modern era, died August 27 of a sudden illness in Boca Raton, FL. He was 85.

In his three-plus decades at the helm of Variety Inc., he steered the trade publications founded in 1905 by his grandfather Sime Silverman to prosperity, through the revolutions in cable and pay TV, independent film presales, financial interest/syndication rules for TV programs, satellite TV, home video and digital media.

After graduating with a B.A. in Political Science from Princeton in 1954, followed by ROTC service as a 2nd Lieutenant in the Army, he began work in 1957 as publisher and owner of Variety Inc. and its two showbiz trade papers, the New York-based weekly *Variety* and its daily counterpart in Hollywood. He was known as a fair boss with a keen eye for good reporters with deep industry knowledge who refused to bend to demands of pushy advertisers seeking to influence coverage and allowed *Variety* journalists to put their personal stamps on stories, which readers found both trustworthy and enlightening. Silverman maintained *Variety*'s unique flavor of unusual language (often referred to as “slanguage” or “Variety-ese”) that played to Hollywood's insular nature. Phrases such as “boffo” for hefty movie ticket sales, “ozoner” for drive-in theater and “baloney” for puffery maintained code words for readers that date to

the 1920s. Under his leadership, *Variety* maintained its decades-long reputation as “The Bible of Show Business.”

He engineered the sale of the trade publications to Cahners Publishing, a subsidiary of Reed International of the U.K., in 1987. *Variety* Inc. now is owned by Penske Media Corp., which also owns *Deadline*.

Although Silverman’s business was publishing, his passion was automobile racing. A lifelong enthusiast, his life after the *Variety* sale focused on collector cars and historic auto racing. He twice was an owner/investor in the Sportscar Vintage Racing Assn., one of the largest historic racing groups in the U.S., and focused his publishing acumen and considerable resources to develop *Vintage Motorsport* into the leading magazine in the hobby. He was a noted collector and driver of historic racing cars, especially Lister sports racers and other British marques from the 1950s including Allard, Austin-Healey, Jaguar, AC, Sunbeam and MG.

Silverman was the only child of Sidne Silverman, the second publisher of *Variety*, and Marie Saxon Silverman. He grew up in Harrison, NY. His mother was a vaudevillian musical-comedy star and accomplished dancer who starred in two Hollywood movies of her era, including *The Broadway Hoofer* for Columbia Pictures. By the time he was 18, both of his parents had died, leaving him as the sole heir to the publications.

He is predeceased by his first wife Jan McNally Silverman of Birmingham, AL, who died in 1997. He is survived by his second wife, Dr. Joan Hoffman of Boca Raton, FL; four children, Marie Silverman Marich of White Plains, NY; Michael Silverman of Scottsdale, AZ; Mark Silverman of New Canaan, CT; and Matthew Silverman of High Falls, NY; and eight grandchildren.

## **Robert M. Westburg**

Robbie died July 12, 2017 at his home in Montana surrounded by his family. Born in Seattle, he attended Exeter. At Princeton he majored in Politics, participated in Crew and joined Charter Club. Robbie held many campus jobs to pay for his education. He was forced to leave at the end of his third year when an alumnus reported to the university that his father had purchased a new Cadillac. His scholarship was withdrawn, and he withdrew. He was accepted that year to the Washington University School of Law where

he became the Editor of the law Review. He worked all during his time there to pay his tuition.

Robbie was invited to join Judge F. G. Hamley in the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals and became his a clerk in San Francisco. He became a partner in the San Francisco law firm of Pillsbury, Madison and Sutro where he worked for 50 years. He specialized in anti-trust law, appellate work and legal ethics. After retiring from his law practice, he volunteered for seven years at the Kalispell Regional Medical Center.

He is survived by his wife of 62 year Nancy and his daughters Catherine, Jennifer and Katherine, seven grandchildren and his brother David. The class extends condolences to them in their loss.

### **Robert M. Westburg - Obituary**

Robert Myers Westberg died July 25th at his home in Montana, surrounded by his loving family. He was 85. A retired lawyer, he and his wife Nancy moved to Montana in 2000 from the San Francisco Bay Area.

Westberg was born in Seattle on July 12, 1932. His father, Alfred J. Westberg, was a lawyer and served as a Senator in the Washington State Legislature. His mother, Jean Myers Westberg, was the daughter of prominent Seattle architect David Myers, who laid out the University of Washington Campus and designed many of its significant buildings.

As a boy, Westberg delivered newspapers by bicycle in the family's hilly Madrona neighborhood. He was an acolyte in the Episcopal Church. He initially attended Garfield High School in Seattle, where he played clarinet in the band alongside classmate Quincy Jones. He worked as a page in the state legislature. He went on to attend the Phillips Exeter Academy in New Hampshire; during the summers, he worked at Sanders Fountain Lunches in Seattle as a fry cook and assistant manager.

After Exeter, Westberg won a scholarship to Princeton University. He waited tables in the student dining hall, was on the Crew team, and joined the Charter Club. Just short of his senior year, his scholarship was withdrawn when a concerned alumnus notified the school that his father had just bought a new Cadillac.

As a result, Westberg returned to Seattle. The University of Washington School of Law was willing to admit him despite his lack of a college degree. By the end of his first year, he was first in his class and became Editor of the Law Review. To pay for school, he worked at the Leckenby Structural Steel Company, spray painting steel girders with lead paint. While at law school, he met Miss Nancy Lyon, an activist and social worker who had been an aide to Tennessee Senator Estes Kefauver in Washington, D.C. The two were married in 1955. He would always characterize his marriage to Nancy as "the best thing I ever did."

When Judge F. G. Hamley was named to the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals, he invited Westberg to accompany him as clerk to San Francisco. Westberg and his young wife, then expecting their first child, moved to the Bay Area. The Westbergs lived for forty-four years in Marin County - in Sausalito, Mill Valley, Belvedere and Kent Woodlands. They raised three daughters: Britt, Jennifer, and Catherine.

Westberg was a partner in the San Francisco law firm Pillsbury, Madison, and Sutro, where he worked for 50 years. He specialized in anti-trust law, appellate work, and legal ethics. Among his clients were Bethlehem Steel, AT&T, BART, and Chevron. Politically liberal, he was warned as a young associate at the firm that he would be passed over for partnership if he did not resign his membership in the American Civil Liberties Union, which the senior partner at the firm considered to be a Communist organization. Nonetheless, he and Nancy were active in the politics of the day; they canvassed for Democratic candidates, and participated in the anti-war, environmental, and civil rights movements.

In one of Westberg's most significant cases, he represented, pro bono, a group of African American, Hispanic, Asian American, and Pacific Islander firefighters in a successful racial discrimination suit against the San Francisco Fire Department, which at that time had only one African American firefighter. He successfully argued a landmark point on the issue of custody under the Miranda Rule before the Supreme Court of the United States, representing a San Quentin death row inmate.

Robert Myers Westberg was a member of the Bar in Washington State, California, New York State, and the District of Columbia. He was Chairman of the California State Bar Association Committee on Professional Responsibility and Conduct, President of the San Francisco Legal Aid Society and - for several years - the Mill Valley Library Board.

Westberg had a strongly developed sense of personal integrity and honor. He had a distrust of hiring a tax accountant to prepare his taxes because he thought it was a way to

try to get out of paying one's fair share. (Instead he did his own taxes until well into his 70's, using an abacus.) After he retired from practicing law, he volunteered for seven years at the Kalispell Regional Medical Center, delivering mail and newspapers.

Robert Myers Westberg is survived by Nancy, his wife of 62 years, of Kalispell, Montana; daughter Britt La Gatta and son-in-law Louis La Gatta, of Corte Madera; daughter Jennifer Li, of Montana; daughter Catherine Westberg, of Citrus Heights; honorary daughter Diane Kefauver and honorary son Jon Rubin, of San Francisco; grandson Robert La Gatta, of Vallejo; grandson Steven La Gatta, of Vallejo; grandson Christopher Oberling, of Montana; grandson Harold Oberling, of Montana; granddaughter Alexandra Issacharoff, of Los Angeles; grandson Jacob Issacharoff, of Placerville; grandson Elijah Issacharoff, of Sacramento; brother David Westberg, of Hollywood; and Maizie, a miniature schnauzer

## **Howard Stoner**

Hap died in New York City July 18, 2017 at age 84. He prepared for Princeton at Trenton Central High School. He completed Officer Candidate School in the Navy and served for four years, released as Lieutenant Junior Grade. He earned his MBA from Columbia University in 1960.

He retired as a Senior Vice President at N.W. Ayer & Son. In his 33 years at the advertising agency he was Management Supervisor for the AT&T, Army, and DuPont accounts, among others. He also spent five years at John Middleton Tobacco, where he was Vice President of Sales and Marketing.

Hap had a keen intellect and a love for learning. In his retirement years, he audited 69 classes at Columbia; on campus he was known as "the old guy who audits classes." He loved the arts, and frequently attended American Ballet Theatre, where he would often be seen sitting in the first row.

He is survived by his partner and longtime companion Nancy Reed; daughter Wendy Stoner-Lincoln; son Michael and his wife Janet; and five grandchildren: Andrew, Hallie and Jamie Lincoln and Lindsay and Molly Stoner. He is also survived by his brother and sister-in-law, Robert and Lynn Stoner. Contributions in Hap's memory may be made to Princeton University Annual Giving or Columbia University Art History Department.



### **William R. Irving, Jr. M.D.**

William Irving died July 3, 2017. Born in Gloucester, MA, he prepared for Princeton at the Phillips Exeter Academy. Majoring in Biology. He was a member of Elm Club and was active in WPRU, the chess club, the Varsity Glee Club and the German Club. His special interests included amateur radio and the piano.

He graduated from McGill Medical School and completed graduate training in Pathology. A member of the staff of Lawrence General Hospital, MA, he became Chief of Pathology and Nuclear Medicine.

The class extends condolences to his sisters Carolyn and Marilyn and his half-brother and Sister James and Elizabeth.

### **John M. Bergland, M.D.**

Jack Bergland, a dedicated physician, died June 30, 2017 from acute myeloid leukemia. Born in Baltimore, he prepared for Princeton at the Gilman School.

He chose History as his major and was our first class president. A member of Ivy Club, he served as a member of the Undergraduate Council, Undergraduate Honor Committee and played football, lacrosse and basketball.

After graduation, he started teaching English at St. George's School in Middletown, RI. Growing up in a family in medicine, he began taking pre-med courses, was accepted and graduated from Johns Hopkins Medical School in 1962. After postgraduate training at the University of Kentucky, he became one of the founding members of the Medical Clinic of Houston. He became an associate clinical professor at The Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, St. Luke's Hospital in Houston and the University Of Texas School Of Medicine. He was honored with many teaching awards.

On retiring to New England. He continued in practice with Harbor Medical in Scituate, MA until he retired in 2011 but still dedicated his time in a volunteer clinic. He remained an active tennis player throughout his life and was also active in lacrosse. He served on the National Lacrosse Foundation Board for 3 years.

In addition to his loving wife of 41 years Gertraude, he is survived by his four children Robin, Susan, John IV and Ashley, and 3 grandchildren. The class extends its condolences in their loss.

### **Bruce G. Hawthorn**

Bruce Hawthorn died June 8, 2017 at Candia Rehab in Delaware with his son at his side. Born in Trenton, NJ, he attended Hamilton High School. His college major was Chemical Engineering. He was a member of Campus Club and was active in many campus groups.

Bruce spent 38 years working for Sun Oil Company, managing refineries in Tulsa, OK and Puerto Rico. He was president of Sun Oil Company of Puerto Rico for 15 years. After retirement he served on the Board of Prison Outreach of Delaware for 11 years and also served as a trustee of the Brandywine Baptist Church. His family reported that he was a wonderful, kind and humble man whose favorite Bible verse was "This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it."

He is survived by his son, Dave. His wife of 56 years, Margaret, predeceased him in 2011.

### **Frank S. Morehouse**

Frank Morehouse died on March 7, 2017. Born in Port Chester, N.Y., he prepared for college at Greenwich High School. Frank chose Chemical Engineering as his major and became a member of Charter Club. He left Princeton after his second year and graduated from Fordham University and subsequently earned a PhD in Organic Chemistry from Cornell University. His post-doctoral fellowship work was at Imperial College in London.

Frank's decades of work experience utilized his phenomenal talents in teaching and processing engineering.

His wife Sheila predeceased him. He is survived by his sisters Ella and Jane. The class is honored by his service to our country.

### **Darwin Charles Fenner**

Darwin Fenner died January 10, 2017. He was preceded in death by his wife of 60 years Mary Jane. Darwin left Princeton in his second year and served in the U.S. Navy from 1954-1957 as a flight instructor. He graduated from Tulane University and spent 10 years with Merrill Lynch before going back and earning his MBA, ultimately opening his own financial management company

He was passionate about his family, financial investments, airplanes and golf. During his career, he served on numerous civic organizations and worked with the Greater New Orleans Federation of Churches and was a member of the St. Charles Avenue Presbyterian Church.

The class is honored by his service to our country and sends condolences to his daughters Mary Jane and Joanne, 3 grandchildren, his brother James and his sister Flora.

### **Paul Arthur Mackey**

Paul Mackey died November 21, 2016 at Bayfront Health Medical Center, Port Charlotte, FL. Born in Brooklyn, he matriculated from St. Paul's School. He left Princeton after his sophomore year and graduated from Hofstra University, majoring in finance. He then entered the U.S. Army and served in Korea. While stationed there, he taught English and Economics at Seoul University. After his tour of duty, he obtained a Master's degree in business at New York University and spent 41 years on Wall Street, mainly as an institutional analyst. Along the way, he founded a chain of Chucky Cheese Pizza Time Theater restaurants.

The class is honored by his service to our country and sends condolences to his children Debra, Wendy, Carol, Kim '90, Megan '91, Jennifer, Paul, and 12 grandchildren.

### **Rev. Ronald Henry Rathje**

Ronald Rathje died April 8, 2017 at Medford Leas Continuing Care Retirement Community. Born in East Orange, NJ, he attended Barringer High School, Newark, NJ. His Princeton major was Psychology and he was a student assistant minister at Forest Hills Presbyterian Church in Newark. Ron left Princeton to enter Bloomfield College and Seminary. In 1954, he enrolled in Union Theological Seminary in New York and graduated in 1957. He was ordained that year and served his first church in Wilmington, DE. He later served in several other churches before retiring to Lumberton, NJ where he again served various churches. During his long career, he touched many lives and led people to love and serve the Lord. Ron is survived by his wife Dorothy, son Scott, daughters Vickie, Susan and Adrienne, 8 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren.

## **Arthur Stewart Horton**

Arthur Horton died May 8, 2017 from a brain tumor. Born in Philadelphia, Stu matriculated from Haverford School. His Princeton Major was History. After graduation, he spent two years in the U.S. Navy on ships ferrying troops overseas. On return to civilian life, he first worked as a store manager for Bloomingdales. He found his calling in the 1960's publishing college textbooks for the next 38 years, most of them as a manuscript acquisition editor for Prentice-Hall.

Stu and his wife of 47 years, Catherine spent the last 30 years in Bethany, CT. They helped launch the *Heart of Bethany*, an organization designed to encourage cooperative civic participation. He also served as an episcopal churchman at St. Thomas's Church, New Haven and Christ Church, Bethany.

The class is honored by his service to our country and extends condolences to his wife and their daughter Anne and son John.

## **Ronald G. Fraser**

Ronald Fraser died April 26, 2017 at Beaumont in Bryn Mawr, PA. Born in St. Louis, MO, he matriculated from St. Paul's School in Concord, New Hampshire. Ron was a member of Colonial Club, active in many campus activities and majored in Art History. After graduation, he spent two years in the U.S. Army in Germany. On his return he entered Harvard Business School and after completion moved into the advertising world. He spent the next 13 years working for Proctor and Gamble.

In 1980, Ron made a career change to pursue his life passion of teaching the Bible, first by bringing Executive Ministries, an Evangelical program to New York City. He continued that ministry in Palm Beach, FL for the next 18 years and spent the remainder of his career back in Bryn Mawr.

Ron was a loving father to Allison, Nina, Jerry and Ian, 11 grandchildren and 2 great granddaughters. He was a beloved husband to the late Sophie Porter and the late Patsy Dodd to whom he was married for 50 years. The class is honored by his service to our country.

## **Robert Hauben**

Bob Hauben died March 19, 2017 from complications following a heart attack. Born in Brooklyn, he prepared for Princeton at the Brooklyn Tech High School. His college major was biology. Bob left Princeton in his junior year. He later attended medical school at the University of Paris and the University of Amsterdam. While there he met his first wife Adrienne. They had two children. On his return to the United States, he studied psychiatry under Anna Freud at the Menninger Clinic in Kansas. In 1979 Bob moved to Washington DC to work with the Department of State. In 1980 he went to Wiesbaden, Germany as part of a team of psychiatrists to meet the 52 hostages released by Iran. His later assignment was to work with the State Department employees living in South America. He met his second wife Lillian in 1984 while vacationing in Curacao. They moved to Southampton NY in 1987 where he worked as a psychiatrist in Maryhaven in Riverhead.

The class extends condolences to his wife and his children.

## **Earle Eugene Baruch**

After a brief illness, Earle died April 5, 2017 at Stewart Meyer Hospice House in Flagler, FL. Born in Philadelphia, he graduated from Kent School. He was a member of Tiger Inn, played varsity golf and majored in Politics. He subsequently graduated from Temple Law School and joined Pepper, Hamilton & Sheetz in Philadelphia. He ultimately settled on a career as an international management consultant. He retired at age 50 to focus on his investments and real estate.

Earle was a life-long golfer with membership in many prestigious clubs. He was Chairman of the US Open in 1971 and served on the Financial Board for the USGA. However his greatest love was his family.

The class sends condolences to his wife of 63 years, Mary, daughter Lynn, sons Earle and Phillip, 8 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

## **Hugh G. Hardy**

Hugh Hardy died March 18, 2017 from a cerebral hemorrhage resulting from a fall in New York City. Born in Majorca, Spain where his father was writing a novel, he attended Deerfield Academy. Hugh was an architect major at Princeton, a member of Cloister Inn and designed sets for the Theatre Intime and the Triangle Show. He also obtained a master of fine arts degree at Princeton. He then spent a tour of duty in the U.S. Army Corps of Engineering as a drafting instructor. He began his professional career in New York City working with the theatrical and set lighting designer Jo Mielziner.

Hugh's career was legendary. He redesigned the Majestic Theater in downtown Brooklyn, the New York Victory Theater, the Central Synagogue on Lexington Avenue, the information center in Central Park, the Rainbow Room at Rockefeller Center, the Windows on the World after the first bombing and the Claire Tow Theater on top of the Vivian Beaumont Theater at Lincoln Center to name a few. His work in the city was diverse and vibrant. He was the kind of architect who could use "pizzazz" in a sentence without irony.

Hugh headed three architectural practices during his career. "Good Morning Sunshine" was one of his greetings. "Happy Day" was another, but the best exclamation that summed up his six decade career was "Onward!"

He is survived by his wife Tiziana and their children Sebastian and Penelope. The class extends condolences to them in their loss.

### **Robert Erwin Fast, Sr. - Memorial**

Bob Fast died February 27, 2017. Born in Woodbury, NJ, he graduated from Pitman High School. A member of Cloister Inn, he majored in Politics and was active in the Wesley Foundation. After graduation, he served a tour of duty in the U. S. Army and then completed a masters and doctorate degree in education from Rutgers. He taught Science at Woodstown High School and then became a guidance director. He subsequently became the dean of students at Glassboro State College.

Bob moved his family to Maine in 1957 and worked as a psychology professor at the University of Maine at Farmington for the next 30 years, retiring in 1987 as emeritus professor. He ran the national student exchange program for many years and was noted

for his dedication to his students. He had a great sense of humor and was an avid reader, having read the complete works of Shakespeare and all seven Harry Potter books. His genius was to read something once and never forget it. Mystery was his favorite genre. He volunteered for many local causes, including the Special Olympics which became dear to him. When asked if there was anything he would like to have said about him, he replied, "I tried".

The class is honored by his service to our country and extends its condolences to his family, his wife Kim, son Bob, daughters Linda, Hilary and Meredith and two granddaughters. He considered his family as the center of his universe.

### **Robert E. Fast, Sr. - Obituary**

When Bob Fast passed away in Wilton, Maine, on February 27, 2017, his family thought it might be another one of his false alarms and asked for a second opinion.

Bob was a nerd before being a nerd was cool. He was born in Woodbury, New Jersey, on September 10, 1932, to Fred L. and Helen (Justice) Fast. He was accepted to the University of Chicago when he was 16 but his parents forbade it. He went on to be the class valedictorian at Pitman High School in New Jersey.

Being a gentleman farmer was much more to his liking anyway, so he ran the family's 154 acre peach orchard while in high school, raised Black Angus beef, and sold his tomatoes in Philadelphia to Campbell's. He saved enough money from his farm to build his first house in Woodstown, New Jersey. He also put himself through Princeton University, graduating in 1954. After a brief stint in the Army, he went on to receive his Masters and doctorate degrees from Rutgers University and, in spite of better-paying job offers in New York City, pursued a career in education. He started out as a science teacher at Woodstown High School, became the guidance counselor, and later became the dean of students at Glassboro State College (now Rowan.) A highlight of his tenure at Glassboro was helping with the Johnson-Kosygin talks in 1967.

Bob and his young family, which included Bob Jr. and Linda, moved to Maine in 1967 to be closer to his brother David and their parents, all of whom had the good sense to move to Maine years earlier. He was a psychology professor at the University of Maine at Farmington for 30 years, retiring as Professor Emeritus in 1997. He ran the national student exchange program for many years and was noted for his dedication to his students.

In 1974 he met Kim (Temple) and a 40-year romance ensued. They were married in 1983 and had two children, Hilary and Meredith. Kim, the four children (Robert Jr. and wife Denise; Linda and husband Rob Jodrie; Hilary and husband Doug Mangi; Meredith Fast) and granddaughters Meghan and Sarah Jodrie were the center of his universe and he theirs. He is also survived by his nephew Scott Fast, his wife Cathy and their family.

Bob was a voracious reader, having read the complete works of Shakespeare and all 7 Harry Potter books. He generally didn't read much of anything current, vowing instead to read every book in his grandfather's library during his retirement. Mystery was his favorite genre, and he was also a history buff. He loved a double-malt scotch, an occasional fine cigar, and a seat at the Bridge table. He wore wool socks year round and anyone who made the mistake of commenting got a science lecture on the moisture-absorbing properties of wool. He thought it only right and proper to tuck in his sweatshirts lest he appear slovenly.

Bob was a member of the First Congregational Church in Wilton. He volunteered his time to many local causes including the library and the Wilton Parents Association and became legendary for making Omelettes to order at teacher breakfasts. He was a member of the Wilton Lions Club, where volunteering for the Special Olympics became near and dear to his heart.

He gave new meaning to the phrase, "dance like nobody's watching." His own mother wondered aloud about his two left feet.

He and Kim loved going to the theater together and traveling, most recently to Iceland and Norway, the land of his ancestors. Like any self-respecting Viking, he loved to fish, and his favorite place was Big Gull Lake in Ontario, Canada, where he spent most summers from the time he was 6 years old until the year before he left us. Bob was dubbed an honorary Canadian by his dear friends of Gull Lake.

He had a great sense of humor but was most humorous when he wasn't trying to be. His genius was his ability to read something once and remember it forever. Ironically, he was also the original absent-minded professor, but he was a man of his word and sought to find the good in everyone he knew.

When asked if there was anything he would like to have said about him, he responded simply, "I tried...."

Bob's adoring family would like to thank Dr. Heidi Decker, Dr. Richard Batstone, the devoted team at Androscoggin Hospice, and Dr. Dror Michaelson and Kara Olivieri of Massachusetts General Hospital for maintaining his shelf-life and keeping him well past his expiration date.

Bob loved a good party, and one will be held in his honor at the North Dining Hall on the UMF campus from 6 - 8 p.m. on Friday, March 3rd. Friends and family are all invited to come for refreshments, light banter and the swapping of stories. A toast will be at approximately 7:30 p.m.



In lieu of flowers, you may wish to contribute to the Robert E. Fast Psychology Scholarship set up at UMF in his honor: c/o Development Office, University of Maine at Farmington, 224 Main Street, Farmington, ME 04938

Oh. And be extra nice to a nerd today.

### **George T. Petchel**

George Petchel died August 6, 2016. Born in Upper Darby, PA., he matriculated from Phillips Academy. At Princeton, he was active in varsity football and the Catholic Club. He left Princeton during his sophomore year. and subsequently graduated from St. Joseph's University where he was elected a member of Sigma Pi Sigma National Physics Honor society. He served honorably in the U.S. Army.

George is survived by his four sons, Christopher, Timothy, Daniel, Kaysie, two grandchildren and one great grandchild. The class is honored by his service to our country.

### **J. Thomas "Tom" Holton (Obituary)**

Jerry Thomas Holton, 84, of Mountain Brook passed away on Monday, March 6, 2017. He was born in Middletown, Ohio on June 7, 1932. Tom received his Civil Engineering degree from Princeton University in 1954. He attended Officer Candidate School, served in the Naval Civil Engineering Corp. for 10 years, including the Reserve, and retired as Lt. Commander. He attended Harvard Business School and came to Birmingham in 1958 and began his working career with Sherman Concrete Pipe. The company grew over the years under his leadership as Chairman to become Sherman International Corp. Tom was an active member on many boards of state and national trade groups. He served as a Director of the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, the boards of Robins & Morton Group and Stockham Valve and Fittings, Trustee of Covenant College and Cornerstone Schools of Alabama, as well as charitable organizations - Boy Scouts of America and Salvation Army. Tom enjoyed his participation in Christian Union, Kiwanis Club, Monday Morning Quarterback Club and the Country Club of Birmingham. He was a member of Briarwood Presbyterian Church where he served as an Elder for many years.

Tom is preceded in death by his parents, Joseph Walton Holton and Helen Elizabeth Fagaly Holton, and his son-in-law, Cody Fowler Davis.

Tom is survived by his wife of 58 years, Annie Lou Dearborn Holton and his children, Beth Holton Davis, Luanne Holton Sanders (Joey), Ruth Holton Spencer

(Hank), Catherine Holton, Jerry Thomas Holton, Jr., 11 grandchildren: Elizabeth Dearborn Hughes, Holton Bell, Mary Patton Davis, Caroline Davis, Cody Davis, Cardwell Spencer, Anne Heaton Sanders, Dailey Martin, Mary Catherine Martin, Beatrice Spencer, John Martin and 2 great grandchildren: Lorraine Hughes and Tamsyn Hughes.

The family offers a special thank you for their loving care to Doretha Sampson, Coretta Sampson, Jimmica Douglas, Shelia Williams and LeShond Sampson.

There will be a family graveside service prior to a memorial service at Briarwood Presbyterian Church sanctuary on Thursday, March 9 at 2pm, visitation to follow in the foyer.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Cornerstone Schools of Alabama, P.O. Box 320309, Birmingham, AL 35232 or The Salvation Army, 2100-11th Avenue North, Birmingham, AL 35234.

## **David Garth Holdsworth**

David Holdsworth died January 28, 2017 from complications of Parkinson's disease. Born in Lynn, MA, he graduated from Winchester High School. His Princeton major was Mathematics and he was a member of ROTC, Terrace Club, the Chapel Choir and played percussion in the band. His military career was spent at Fort Sill, OK.

He later studied economics at NYU and joined the Federal Reserve Bank of New York where he worked in the public information department and later in the banking studies department. In 1966 he married Elizabeth "Betsy" Lawson Whitesides and they moved to Chatham, NJ and in 1978 they settled in New Vernon, NJ. After retiring in 1995 they traveled the world and he enjoyed growing a vegetable garden.

Dave was on the Board of the Morris County Historical Society and served as President. He also served as President of the Society of Colonial Wars. The class is honored by his service to our country and sends condolences to his wife of over 50 years Betsy, daughter Kate, her husband Ben and two granddaughters, Emily and Maggie.

## **William H. Hudnut III— Obituary (Washington Post)**

William H. Hudnut III, a former Indianapolis mayor who was credited with turning the city into a sports capital and revitalizing its downtown after years of decline, died Dec. 18 at a hospice community in Rockville, Md. He was 84. The cause was congestive

heart failure, former aide and family spokesman Dave Arland said. Mr. Hudnut had suffered from a heart ailment for several years, he said, and was diagnosed with throat cancer in 2015.

When Mr. Hudnut was first elected its mayor in 1975, Indianapolis was a Rust Belt city that had been hollowed out by white suburban flight and the decline of the manufacturing base. Downtown Indianapolis had become so desolate that men with shotguns hunted pigeons on Sundays among empty buildings and a trash-strewn canal. Novelist and native son Kurt Vonnegut described the city in 1970 as a place where “it was no easy thing to be an optimist” and the passage of time was marked by “the 500-mile speedway race, and then 364 days of miniature golf.”

Enter Mr. Hudnut, a Republican and former Presbyterian minister who over the course of 16 years laid the groundwork his successors have built upon, turning Indianapolis into a hub for conventions and sporting events. The longest-serving mayor in the city’s history, Mr. Hudnut’s popularity was so strong that in 1983 state legislators passed the so-called “Hudnut forever” bill, enabling him and subsequent big-city mayors in Indiana to serve more than two successive terms in office.

Indianapolis’s downtown now boasts hotels, restaurants, theaters, a three-mile canal walk and boutique apartments. A modern convention center and stadiums for professional football and basketball have been built. Construction cranes hover above the city.

“The vision I have for Indianapolis is a city that is both economically competitive and compassionate toward urban and human problems,” Mr. Hudnut said during his final term in office. “To make the city more livable involves more than just creating beautiful spaces and buildings. It’s more than a solid economic foundation and more than good jobs. It’s embracing future change. It’s dealing with tough human issues that touch the compassionate side in all of us.”

Mr. Hudnut spearheaded construction of the Hoosier Dome football stadium in 1982 with no guarantees that a National Football League team would locate there. By the time the stadium was completed in 1984, he had persuaded the Baltimore Colts to make it their new home, shocking Maryland politicians and fans who felt betrayed by the Colts’ middle-of-the-night move out of Charm City. Mr. Hudnut also created the Indiana Sports Corp., a city commission that has brought Indianapolis sporting events that included the 1982 National Sports Festival, a competition for U.S. Olympic hopefuls; the 1987 Pan American Games; and the 1991 World Gymnastics Championships.

In 2015, Mr. Hudnut was one of several former mayors who penned a public letter amid uproar over a religious objections law signed by Indiana Gov. Mike Pence (R), now the vice president-elect. The law created a legal defense for business owners and employees with religious objections to serving or accommodating gay people. Mr. Hudnut and the other mayors said the law threatened to undo efforts made since 1967 to

“build an inclusive, caring and hospitable city.” Pence and lawmakers later approved changes to the law.

David Frick, a deputy mayor under Mr. Hudnut, told the Indianapolis Business Journal that the mayor was inclusive and a “consensus builder” and wasn’t afraid to sit down with Democrats and labor unions.

“History will judge him for what he did in bringing the community together to tackle the revitalization of downtown,” said Frick, who was deputy mayor in the late 1970s.

“Politicians these days tend to retreat to their core supporters. He was always looking for input from different parts of the community.”

William Herbert Hudnut III was born in Cincinnati on Oct. 17, 1932. His father and grandfather were Presbyterian ministers. After graduating in 1954 from Princeton University — where his classmates included future secretary of defense Donald H. Rumsfeld and senator Paul Sarbanes of Maryland — Mr. Hudnut studied at Union Theological Seminary in New York and preached in Annapolis and Buffalo. He moved to Indianapolis in 1963 to preach at Second Presbyterian Church. He entered politics a decade later, winning a term in Congress in 1972 but losing his bid for reelection.

He “got the itch” for public office, Mr. Hudnut told Indianapolis Monthly this year, when he chaired a committee of ministers supporting then-Mayor Richard Lugar and “was beguiled by the roar of the crowd, the stemwinder speeches, the bunting in red, white and blue.”

After his final term as mayor, which lasted until the end of 1991, Mr. Hudnut relocated to Chicago and then to suburban Maryland. He was a former president of the National League of Cities and was senior fellow emeritus at the Urban Land Institute.

Mr. Hudnut had lived in the Washington area since the 1990s and finished his political career with a stint as mayor of Chevy Chase, Md., from 2004 to 2006. The Washington Post reported that some neighbors, after learning of his experience in Indianapolis, successfully urged him to run for Chevy Chase’s Town Council in 2000. The position of mayor rotates among the council’s five members. “It’s a public service,” Mr. Hudnut told The Post in 2004, six months into his tenure as mayor. “I try to help out where I’m located.”

His marriages to Anne Goodyear and Susan Greer ended in divorce. Survivors include his wife of 27 years, Beverly Guidara, who was his former press secretary, and four children.

**William H. Hudnut III - Valediction Forbidding Mourning**

One cannot choose how one finishes the race, only how one runs it. I would not have chosen a long, slow slide into complete heart failure, but I tried to cope with it with “gaiety, courage and a quiet mind,” to borrow from my mother who in turn was quoting Robert Louis Stevenson.

It has often been remarked that life is a journey, not a destination. About the destination, “I believe, Lord, help thou mine unbelief.” I leave this earthly life at peace, with faith and trust in a future that will carry me beyond the bourne of space and time, but also with wariness of plotting the furniture of heaven or the temperature of hell. There is much I cannot fathom about the afterlife. Will there be recognition? What part of me, if any, survives? Forever, or just until I am forgotten? A little reverent agnosticism seems to be in order, because “now we see through a glass darkly.” More positively, “we walk by faith and not by sight.”

About the journey, it’s been a wonderful trip. As I have said many times, I hope my epitaph will read: “He built well and he cared about people.”

I have tried to lead a useful life. Of course, I’ve made mistakes. I’ve displayed some real shortcomings and caused some hurts along the way. I’m sorry. But overall, I look back with gratitude. I have been blessed in so many ways—by my loving wife Beverly for more than a quarter century; by my chances to move from a one-room schoolhouse in the cornfields of Illinois to graduate school in New York City; by living in America, and spending most of my professional career in Indianapolis; by having a beautiful cottage in the serenity of the Adirondack mountains; by manifold opportunities to lead a life of service and usefulness, as mayor, congressman, Presbyterian clergyman, academic, think tank fellow; and by the people in my life like doctors, staff, academics, co-workers, (certain!) media types, political allies (and adversaries!), church members, fellow citizens who have worked with me and wished me well across the years. There’s no such thing as a self-made man or woman. We’re all indebted to others, a point I always tried to make whenever some thoughtful recognition like Hudnut Commons would come my way.

In my last years, I have become deeply aware of the love from family and friends and well-wishers with which I have been surrounded. Starting with my wife Beverly, I think about my children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. Also, I think about my cousins (ranging from 90 down to infancy), my parents and siblings and other relatives in our family circle. I cherish the affection and support of friends too numerous to count. I have appreciated the posts on the CaringBridge website expressing appreciation, encouragement, and loving concern. I can’t be sure, but it seems as though great love must endure. I depart this life believing with St. Paul (I Cor. 13): “Love can outlast anything; it still stands when all else has fallen.”

As Cardinal John Henry Newman wrote, “O Lord, support us all the day long, till the shadows lengthen, and the evening comes, and the busy world is hushed, and the fever of life is over, and our work is done, and then in Thy great mercy, grant us a safe lodging, a holy rest, and peace at the last. Amen.”

### **Richard C. Bull – Memorial Note**

Dick Bull died November 15, 2016 after a fall that led to a brief illness in Santa Rosa, CA. Born in St. Louis, he graduated from the St. Louis Country Day School. An English major at Princeton, he was a member of Tiger Inn. A talented linguist, he spoke German, Russian Polish and French. After graduation, Dick enlisted in the U.S. Army. He served in Counter Intelligence and was stationed in Berlin. He ultimately entered the Central intelligence Agency where he served for thirty-one years with postings in Vienna, Dahomey (Benin), Libya, Belgium, the United Kingdom and Washington, D.C. In 1958, he married Katherine Stark and she joined the CIA to become one of its early female field officers.

When the Berlin Wall came down in 1989, he wept for joy seeing countless East Germans reunited, a goal he and his wife had worked toward for twenty-eight years.

Dick also spent two years as the liaison between the CIA and the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, capping a career that had taken him across an era and several continents. He had a deep and abiding interest in people. An avid ski enthusiast and a lover of jazz, he also had an endless passion for golden retrievers.

The class is honored by his lifelong service to our country and extends its condolences to his wife Katherine, son Winston, two grandchildren and friends and family too numerous to mention.

### **Richard C. Bull - Obituary**

Richard Clark Bull died November 15, 2016 after a brief illness in Santa Rosa, CA. He was eighty-four. He loved Katherine, his wife of 58 years, his family, and his endless procession of golden retrievers. He could not pass a dog on the sidewalk without stopping to pet it. He was an extrovert whose charm lit up the room. He enjoyed a good joke. In earlier days, he was a proficient skier and a lover of jazz.

Mr. Bull was born in St. Louis, MO. He attended St. Louis Country Day School before going on to Princeton University (class of '54). While there he was an enthusiastic member of Tiger Inn eating club. He maintained close friendships with classmates all of his life; they will sorely miss him.

A talented linguist, Mr. Bull spoke German, Polish, Russian and French. In high school he worked a summer in a margarine factory in Hamburg, furthering his interest in international affairs and post-war Europe.

In 1955 he enlisted in the Army and served in the Counter-Intelligence Corps, again returning to Germany, this time to Berlin. Amid martini parties and questionably-requisitioned Jeeps, he did important and exciting work and became hooked on a life of Intelligence. He ultimately entered the Central Intelligence Agency where he served for thirty-one years with postings in Vienna, Dahomey (Benin), Libya, Belgium, the United Kingdom and Washington, D.C.

In 1958 he married Katherine Stark, youngest daughter of Lloyd C. Stark, governor of Missouri. She joined the CIA as one of its early female field officers and enjoyed a lengthy career there. They had one child, and together they travelled the world. As a father Mr. Bull was tireless in showing his son the wonders of the world and its people. He had a deep and abiding interest in people. While in Vienna Mr. Bull learned to ski, and he cultivated that love in his son. Every year for almost thirty years the two of them would go on an annual ski trip, seeing some of the most beautiful places on earth. On one trip Mr. Bull broke both thumbs: he was seen the very next day on the slopes, both arms in slings, gingerly skiing down the slopes of the Matterhorn, two white casts swinging.

When the Berlin Wall came down in 1989, Dick Bull wept for joy at the sight of countless liberated East Germans reuniting with West German friends and family, a goal he and his wife had worked towards for twenty-eight years.

Two subsequent years as the liaison between the CIA and the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence capped a career that had taken Mr. Bull across an era and several continents. In 1991 he retired to divide his time between Washington, D.C. and to build a beloved house in the Blue Ridge mountains of Virginia, nestled in Harris Hollow, where he could watch successive golden retrievers run after deer and bear and rake leaves to his heart's content, or ache, whichever came first.

In 2011, he and Katherine followed their son and grandchildren to California.

He leaves behind many who loved him beyond words--his wife of 58 years, Katherine; a sister, Katherine; his son Winston and daughter-in-law Deborah; two grandchildren; friends and family too numerous to mention.

## **Charles J. Calderini, Jr.**

Charles (Chuck) Calderini died March 12, 2016 surrounded by his wife Sherrie and family. Born in Winnetka, ILL, he graduated from New Trier High School. His Princeton major was Economics. He served on many committees and was a member of Cap and Gown. He was commissioned in the U.S. Navy on graduation and served as a supply officer on the U.S.S. Wilkinson. After his tour of duty, he graduated from Northwestern University law School.

Chuck cherished his life in Summit County for 23 years. He was an avid skier. His many community interests included Advocates for Victims, The Breckinridge Music Festival, Breckinridge Heritage Alliance and his 21 years as a volunteer on the mountain for the Breckinridge Ski Area.

The class is honored by his service to our country and extends condolences to his wife Sherrie, their children Tom, Sarah and David, his sister Marilyn and seven grandchildren.