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# ALUMNI DEATHS

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'36 **BS Ag**—**Wendell J. Wheeler** of Mount Dora, FL, formerly of Des Moines, IA, November 6, 2015; retired plant manager, Cargill Inc.; also worked for Borden Co.; veteran; golfer; bridge player; traveler; active in community, professional, religious, and alumni affairs. Alpha Zeta.

'37 **BA**—**Stephanie Czech** Rader of Alexandria, VA, January 21, 2016; undercover spy in postwar Poland; OSS officer; chemist; translator of scientific studies, Texaco; veteran; nominated for the Legion of Merit; active in professional and alumni affairs.

'39 **MME**—**Wellington I. Sun** of Brooklyn, NY, January 19, 2016; engineer; active in alumni affairs.

'39 **BA**—**Eleanor Culver** Young of Brandon, VT, December 4, 2015; taught at Westfield (NJ) Senior High School; volunteer tax consultant; member, Brandon Zoning Board; trustee, Brandon Free Public Library; avid gardener; active in civic, community, religious, and alumni affairs. Kappa Delta.

'40—**Robert H. Butterfield** of Kamuela, HI, May 24, 2011; general manager, Maun Kea Beach Hotel; former general manager, Hotel Hana Maui; Rotarian.

'40 **BA**—**Shirley Richmond** Gartlir (Mrs. Bernard '38) of Palm Beach Gardens, FL, February 15, 2016; active in alumni affairs. Alpha Epsilon Phi.

'41 **BA**—**Herbert L. Abrams** of Palo Alto, CA, January 20, 2016; professor emeritus of radiology, Stanford U.; senior fellow at Stanford's Freeman Spogli Inst. for Int'l Studies; faculty member, Center for Int'l Security and Cooperation; former professor of radiology, Harvard Medical School; radiologist-in-chief, Brigham and Women's Hospital and the Dana-Farber Cancer Center; authority on cardiovascular radiology; one of the founders of Int'l Physicians for Prevention of Nuclear War, which received the Nobel Peace Prize in 1985; expert on presidential disability and its impact on decision-making; author; editor-in-chief, *Postgraduate Radiology and Cardiovascular and Interventional Radiology*; traveler; skier; tennis player; active in civic, community, professional, and alumni affairs.

'41, **B Chem E '43**—**John R. Powers** of Wilmington, DE, December 8, 2015; retired engineering manager, DuPont; also worked for B. F. Goodrich; author; golfer; photographer; genealogist; traveler; active in community, professional, and alumni affairs. Delta Chi.

'41 **BS Hotel**—**Paul M. Schweid** of Santa Barbara, CA, May 17, 2010; retired president. Beta Sigma Rho.

'42, **BS Hotel '49**—**Fay W. Brandis** of Raleigh, NC, December 8, 2015; retired pilot for Pan Am and Oneida Limited; freelance pilot for corporations; veteran; active in community, professional, and alumni affairs. Lambda Chi Alpha.

'42—**Carl A. Cecilia** of Stuart, FL, February 13, 2015; physician.

'42 **BA**—**Babette Hofheimer** Sonneborn of Scarsdale, NY, September 19, 2015; retired substitute teacher. Alpha Epsilon Phi.

'42 **BS HE**—**Leslie Clinton** Veeder (Mrs. James T. '42) of Fort Myers, FL, December 8, 2015; traveler; active in religious and alumni affairs.

'43 **BS Chem E, '47 B Chem E**—**Bruce Beh** of Sekiu, WA, May 1, 2014; chemical engineer; active in alumni affairs. Beta Theta Pi.

'43, **BA '47**—**Robert C. Johnston** of Bozeman, MT, February 1, 2016; VP, Hickman Williams Co.; veteran; pilot; fly fisherman; active in religious affairs. Sigma Phi.

'43 **BA**—**Walter F. Muzacz** of Houston, TX, January 8, 2016; worked in

exploration, production, and research at Humble Oil and Refining; veteran; active in professional and alumni affairs.

'43 **BA**—**Aline Snyder** Raisler of Palm Beach, FL, December 25, 2015; social worker; worked at the National Multiple Sclerosis Society and the Westchester Lighthouse for the Blind; active in professional and alumni affairs.

'44, **BS Ag '47, PhD '50**—**Edward J. Beckhorn** of Montclair, NJ, January 28, 2016; research director for pharmaceutical companies; in-house scientific advisor to a Madison Avenue advertising agency; veteran; boater; taught navigation courses at the Coast Guard Auxiliary in the Ft. Myers, FL, region.

'44 **BME**—**Theodore A. Hall** of Cromwell, CT, February 17, 2016; project engineer, Pratt & Whitney Aircraft Corp.; volunteered with the Cromwell Historical Society; active in community affairs.

'44, **BA '43, MA '47**—**George L. Kustas** of Poughkeepsie, NY, February 7, 2016; emeritus professor of classics and rhetoric, U. of Buffalo; veteran; active in professional affairs. Kappa Delta Rho.

'44, **BS Ag '46**—**Lewellyn S. Mix** of Virginia Beach, VA, January 21, 2016; director of dairy, livestock, and poultry management, Agway; former VP of research and development, Beacon Division of Textron; veteran; traveler; active in professional and alumni affairs. Alpha Zeta. Wife, Constance (Avery) '48.

'44, **BA '47**—**George S. Peer** of Florence, OR, and Redding, CA, December 27, 2015; retired realtor; owner, Peer Realty; shopping center owner; worked for Hunt Wesson Foods in marketing; partner, executive search firm; management consultant, Booz Allen Hamilton and Fischbach McCoach & Assocs.; veteran; competitive skier; active in community, professional, and religious affairs. Kappa Alpha.

'44—**Walter H. Smith** of Mesa, AZ, April 9, 2015; antiques collector; veteran; active in religious affairs.

'44 **BA**—**Anne Green** Stratton of Endwell, NY, January 13, 2016; systems manager, IBM; active in community, religious, and alumni affairs. Pi Beta Phi.

'44—**Glenn A. Wood Jr.** of Portland, OR, January 17, 2015. Sigma Nu.

'45 **DVM**—**Charles S. Duncan Sr.** of Potsdam, NY, February 14, 2016; veterinarian; assistant director, Div. of Animal Industry, NYS Dept. of Agriculture and Markets; veterinary inspector, New York Meat Inspection; St. Lawrence County rabies coordinator; veteran; gardener; woodworker; bowler; hunter; fisherman; active in civic, community, professional, and religious affairs. Wife, Evalyn (Chapin) '46, BS HE '45.

'45, **BA '44**—**Peggy Weil** Kaufmann of Sun City, AZ, February 2, 2016; worked in publishing; honored as Woman of the Year by the Jewish Federation of Greater Phoenix; Silver Life Master at bridge. Sigma Delta Tau.

'45, **BA '44**—**Charna Slonim** Weisman (Mrs. Philip A. '43) of Winchester, MA, November 6, 2015; as night editor of the *Cornell Daily Sun*, she published news of the Pearl Harbor attack before it appeared in the *New York Times*; trained and showed her champion husky, Mikuhrov; expert cook; skilled knitter; active in community and religious affairs. Sigma Delta Tau.

'46 **BS HE**—**Verna Eaton** Beckhorn (Mrs. Edward J. '44, PhD '50) of Montclair, NJ, September 9, 2013; active in alumni affairs.

'46 **BS Hotel**—**Robert Edwards** of Palm Beach Gardens, FL, November 21, 2012; entrepreneur; operated businesses from restaurants to computer supply stores; stained glass artist; veteran; raced with the Skip Barber Racing School Competition Team; traveler.

- '46 BS Hotel—William H. Hofmann** of San Diego, CA, August 18, 2015; investigator, County of San Diego; hotel manager; veteran; active in religious affairs. Alpha Tau Omega.
- '46 DVM—Janet Meade MacCallum** (Mrs. Alexander D., DVM '45) of New Hartford, NY, February 19, 2016; veterinarian; established Utica Animal Hospital.
- '47, BS ORIE '48—William H. Busch** of Hinsdale, IL, December 7, 2015; engineer; veteran; golfer; active in community and religious affairs. Chi Phi.
- '47 BS Ag—William B. Faulkner Jr.** of Warsaw, NY, January 30, 2016; retired major, US Air Force; admissions liaison officer, US Air Force Academy; treasurer and CFO, Wyoming County Bank; active in religious affairs.
- '47 BS Ag—Donald M. Gannett** of Southern Pines, NC, February 6, 2016; worked in advertising; heavy farm equipment salesman; veteran; golfer; singer; volunteer fireman; active in community affairs.
- '47, BME '46—William F. Hale** of Massapequa, NY, January 19, 2016; worked at Sperry Rand's Gyroscope Division; veteran; woodcarver; golfer; Scouting volunteer; sailor; model shipbuilder; traveler; active in community, religious, and alumni affairs. Delta Chi. Wife, Patricia (Reinfeld) '48.
- '47 BA—Norma Henninger** Maleski of Hanover, NH, February 12, 2016; worked in marketing at Weston Woods; also worked at Seagram and Sons; active in community and religious affairs. Chi Omega.
- '48 BA—Richard Mittenthal** of Sarasota, FL, January 23, 2016; arbitrator of labor-management disputes; served as umpire in the steel, automotive, and beverage industries; veteran; author; tennis player; poet; football fan; active in professional affairs. Alpha Epsilon Pi.
- '48 BS Ag, MS Ag '52—Harold B. Vroman** of Plattsburgh, NE, formerly of Cobleskill, NY, September 20, 2015; professor emeritus, SUNY Cobleskill; Extension agent; also worked for Beacon Milling Co. in poultry feed research; executive director, Vroman's Nose Preservation Corp. in Schoharie County, NY; traveler; genealogist; local history buff; Rotarian; hiker; active in community, professional, and religious affairs.
- '49 MS—Mary Leary** Claytor of Bethesda, MD, October 14, 2015; homemaker; worked briefly for the US Army; amateur biologist and horticulturist; volunteer at Brookside Gardens; volunteer for Welcome to Washington Int'l Club; active in community affairs. Chi Omega.
- '49 BA—Thomas H. Clements** of Saratoga Springs, NY, December 10, 2015; president and CEO, Clements Insurance Brokers; also worked for New York Telephone and Arthur Young & Co.; one of the founding members of the Saratoga Springs Hotel Corp.; veteran; active in civic, community, professional, religious, and alumni affairs. Alpha Tau Omega.
- '49 BS Hotel—George W. Hallbach** of Meriden, CT, February 18, 2016; director of the Hallbach Co., Hallbach Restaurant Inc., and the Ernest Realty Co.; owner, Connecticut Cafeteria Management; veteran; Rotarian; active in community, professional, and religious affairs.
- '49 BS Ag—Harold A. Newlander** of Albuquerque, NM, February 11, 2016; worked in the ice cream manufacturing industry; dairy industry consultant; veteran; active in community, professional, and religious affairs.
- '49 MS, PhD '53—George J. Schumacher** of Henderson, NV, December 12, 2015; retired professor of biology, Binghamton U.; veteran; traveler; active in professional affairs.
- '49 BS Hotel, MS Hotel '75—John F. Tewey** of Birmingham, AL, January 30, 2016; faculty member, administrator, and consultant for the Cornell School of Hotel Administration; adjunct faculty member, Ecole Supérieure in Paris; served with the Int'l Executive Service Corp. around the world; veteran; skier; tennis player; hunter; pilot; hospice volunteer; active in community, professional, and alumni affairs. Beta Theta Pi.
- '49 BS HE—Barbara Meldrum** Vail of Southbury, CT, January 27, 2016; high school and middle school home economics teacher; president, Hudson Valley Federal Credit Union; chair, Putnam Arts Council; volunteer, Walter Brewster House; gardener; conservationist; active in community, professional, and religious affairs.
- '50 BS ILR—Robert P. Crisara** of Woodbury, CT, February 22, 2016; worked in human resources and labor relations; veteran; fan of Snoopy.
- '50 B Chem E, MBA '52—Bruce D. Davis** of Audubon, PA, February 22, 2016; business executive; consultant to chemical companies; veteran; woodworker; gardener; active in professional and alumni affairs. Alpha Tau Omega.
- '50 BCE—Thomas J. Elder** of Fayetteville, PA, February 3, 2016; civil engineer; project manager, Bethlehem Steel Corp.; project director, Pullman Swindell; also worked at James Anderson Co. in municipal engineering and Steinman, Boynton, Gronquist, and Birdall; veteran; outdoorsman; gardener; woodworker; stained glass artist; traveler; active in civic, community, professional, and religious affairs. Chi Epsilon.
- '50 BA, PhD '58—William W. Gage** of Scottsville, NY, September 12, 2015; retired consultant; active in alumni affairs.
- '50 BS Ag—Paul J. Gruber** of Catonsville, MD, October 30, 2015; retired lieutenant colonel and computer systems analyst, US Air Force; worked at SAC Command Center, PACAF, and the Pentagon; systems analyst for Planning Research Corp., Systems Development Corp., and Mitre Corp.; taught computer classes at U. of Hawaii; active in civic, community, professional, and alumni affairs. Theta Chi.
- '50, MD '53—John P. McCreary** of Watertown, NY, November 11, 2015; retired radiologist; former president, Northern Radiology; provided radiological services at Samaritan Medical Center, Mercy Hospital, Carthage Area Hospital, Lewis County General Hospital, and River Hospital; veteran; Rotarian; woodworker; craftsman; active in civic, community, professional, and religious affairs.
- '50, BME '51—Bernard N. Roth** of Cranston, RI, November 7, 2015; management and valuation consultant; engineer; turnaround specialist for a technology firm; visiting management instructor in China; avid reader; music lover; skier; traveler; active in community, professional, religious, and alumni affairs. Tau Beta Pi.
- '50, BA '51—Russell C. Voorhis** of Williamsburg, VA, January 10, 2016; founder, EMSCO; also worked in international marketing with Richardson-Vicks/Procter & Gamble; veteran; traveler; gardener; woodworker; poet; active in professional and religious affairs. Sigma Alpha Epsilon.
- '50, BCE '51—E. Roberts Wood** of Monterey, CA, January 22, 2016; professor emeritus, Naval Postgraduate School; head of aerospace engineering, Cal Poly San Luis Obispo; also taught at Georgia Tech; manager, aeromechanics section, Hughes Helicopters; helped develop the Apache helicopter; also worked for Lockheed, Rochester Applied Science Assocs., and Sikorsky Aircraft; veteran; author; Rotarian; choir singer; active in community, professional, religious, and alumni affairs. Phi Kappa Psi.
- '51 BA—Anne Flannery** Davidson of Margate City, NJ, February 10, 2016; former president and active member, Charity League; Life Master at bridge; tennis player; runner; bicyclist; gardener; active in community affairs. Alpha Phi.
- '51 MD—Patrick J. Mulrow** of Jupiter Island, FL, formerly of Perrysburg, OH, December 3, 2015; professor emeritus, chairman of medicine, and leading researcher in hypertension, U. of Toledo College of Medicine; also taught at Yale U.; expert on the role of renin in the regulation of aldosterone production; former chairman, Council for High Blood Pressure Research; secretary-general, World Hypertension League; recipient, Senior US Scientist Award, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation; author; singer of Irish songs; active in professional affairs.
- '51, BCE '52—George R. Russell** of Mesa, AZ, February 8, 2016; civil engineer; director of highway maintenance, NYS Dept. of Transportation; also worked for the Arizona Dept. of Transportation; veteran; golfer; skier; active in community and professional affairs. Triangle.
- '52 PhD—Frank J. Hilferty** of Duxbury, MA, December 11, 2015; emeritus professor of botany and dean of the graduate school, Bridgewater State U.; also taught at the U. of Maine, Salem State College, and in high schools; curator of cryptogamic plants, Harvard U.; author; active in community, professional, and religious affairs.
- '52 BS Ag—Floyd E. Morter Jr.** of Punta Gorda, FL, February 20, 2016; director, St. Lawrence County Cooperative Extension; 4-H agent and director

of Camp Overlook; Rotarian; gardener; camper; avid reader; fan of boxer dogs; active in community, religious, and alumni affairs.

'52, BCE '53, MCE '55—**Hans J. Pfister** of Ijamsville, MD, October 20, 2015; civil engineer, Exxon Corp.; aficionado of antique wooden Chris Craft boats; gardener; skier; traveler; active in community and alumni affairs. Triangle.

'52 BA, LLB '54—**William Recht Jr.** of Longboat Key, FL, December 1, 2015; attorney; active in alumni affairs. Phi Kappa Psi.

'52, BME '53—**Richard C. Smith** of Towson, MD, February 9, 2016; manager of Procter & Gamble's Baltimore plant at Tide Point; sailor; active in alumni affairs. Beta Theta Pi. Wife, Gayle (Hodge) '53.

'52 BA—**John S. Stahura** of Reading, VT, July 6, 2014; owner, Mill Brook Antiques. Lambda Chi Alpha. Wife, Nancy (Gowan) '53.

'53 BA, JD '57—**Peter A. Cooper** of Southold, NY, January 18, 2015; senior executive VP, Sperry & Hutchinson; retired attorney; owner, Sound Spars; active in alumni affairs. Phi Gamma Delta.

'53 BS ILR—**Glenn P. Crone** of Ashland, VA, December 22, 2015; storyteller and entertainer; real estate salesman; played Santa Claus and authored four books on the Santa tradition; active in religious and alumni affairs. Theta Chi.

'53 BS ILR—**Joel Field** of White Plains, NY, February 10, 2016; attorney; active in alumni affairs. Beta Sigma Rho.

'53 BA—**Robert L. Spitzer** of Seattle, WA, formerly of Princeton, NJ, December 25, 2015; psychiatrist who brokered the American Psychiatric Association's vote to stop treating homosexuality as an illness; editor, APA's Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (DSM); pushed for uniform standards and added dozens of mental disorders to the DSM including anorexia, bipolar disorder, panic disorder, and PTSD; professor, Columbia U.; consultant; active in community and professional affairs.

'54 BA—**Leon Peltz** of Sag Harbor, NY, January 8, 2016; retired physician; medical director, Coltec Industries; associate medical director, Time Inc.; medical director of the home care dept., St. Vincent's Hospital; veteran; jazz aficionado; active in civic, community, professional, and alumni affairs. Phi Sigma Epsilon. Wife, Barbara (Loreto) '55.

'55, BS Ag '59, MBA '60—**Charles E. Arden Jr.** of Lindenhurst, IL, February 19, 2016; VP, Hackett Corp.; executive recruiter; Chicago regional salesperson, SCS Cases; CPA; veteran; member, Chicago Aeronuts model airplane club; avid history buff; golfer; boater; reader of mysteries and history; birdwatcher; fan of live music; crossword puzzle aficionado; baker; active in community and professional affairs.

'55, '56 B Chem E—**Donald A. Bernard** of Sorrento, FL, December 28, 2015; chemical engineer, Union Carbide; traveler; active in religious affairs. Phi Kappa Psi.

'55, B Chem E '56—**Leonard B. Hittner** of West Windsor, NJ, February 1, 2016; VP of sales, Casting Supply House; veteran; president, *Intrepid* Former Crew Members Association; active in community, religious, and alumni affairs. Tau Delta Phi.

'55 DVM—**Douglas F. McBride** of New Paltz, NY, January 17, 2016; veterinarian.

'55 DVM—**Richard C. Van Name** of Port St. Lucie, FL, November 7, 2015; veterinarian; established Van Name Animal Hospital; veteran.

'56—**Mary Wheeler** Howes of Hamilton, NY, January 29, 2016; completed undergrad studies in 1970 as the first woman graduate of Colgate U.; nursery school teacher at the local Methodist Church; kindergarten teacher, Earlville Elementary School; founder and teacher, program for gifted and talented students; organizer and member, Hamilton Monthly Meeting of Friends; mentor; peace activist.

'57 MS, PhD '62—**Eugene W. Adams** of Tuskegee Institute, AL, February 21, 2016; professor of veterinary medicine, vice provost, director of international programs, and associate dean at Tuskegee U.; also taught physiology and pharmacology; author; active in professional affairs.

'57 JD—**Thomas T. Adams** of Wilton, CT, December 16, 2015; attorney; adjunct associate professor of law, Fordham U.; veteran; active in alumni affairs.

'57 BA—**Fredda Ginsberg** Fellner of New York City, October 22, 2015; retired professor of pediatrics and director of pediatric endocrinology at Mount Sinai School of Medicine; pioneer in the treatment of juvenile diabetes and childhood obesity; twice voted to "Best Doctors in the United States"; active in professional and alumni affairs. Husband, Michael J. Fellner '56.

'57 BS HE—**Sue Shindler** Hillier of East Aurora, NY, January 23, 2016; retired teacher; active in alumni affairs. Sigma Chi.

'57, B Chem E '58—**Stan Hutchison** of Chestertown, MD, February 22, 2016; retired marketing manager for biomedical products, DuPont; veteran; historic preservationist; former president, Friends of Wye Mill; sailor; active in community and religious affairs. Phi Kappa Tau.

'57, BArch '58—**Olga Duntuch** Krell of São Paulo, Brazil, December 8, 2015; editor/publisher, Olga Krell & Editores; editor, *Casa Claudia*; edited Brazilian magazines related to interior design, decoration, architecture, and landscaping; active in community, professional, and alumni affairs.

'58 BS Nurs—**Frances Browne** Caspar of Avon, CT, February 8, 2016; taught nursing at Cornell U.; volunteer, Farmington Valley Visiting Nurse Association, and founding member of its hospice program; bridge and Scrabble player; traveler; bowler; avid reader; fan of crossword puzzles; active in community and religious affairs.

'58 LLB—**James C. Conner** of Newport News, VA, November 19, 2015; attorney; founded two law firms; senior counsel, Int'l Finance Corp.; practiced in Philadelphia, Washington, DC, and Singapore; Fulbright Scholar; avid skier; distance runner; lacrosse coach; active in community and professional affairs.

'58 BA, PhD '65—**John C. Mineka** of New York City, September 28, 2015; professor of mathematics and computer science, Lehman College; traveler; political activist for the Professional Staff Congress of CUNY, Marxist Education Project, and Occupy Newark.

'58 BS Nurs—**Evelyn Tychsen** Plainte of Waterford, CT, December 9, 2015; taught at Bridgeport Hospital School of Nursing; swimmer; walker; arts and crafts lover; avid reader; active in religious affairs.

'58 BS Ag—**Donald H. Reid** of Bellevue, WA, January 14, 2016; retired aerospace physiologist; manager, Shuttle/Spacelab Life Science Flight Experiments Program at NASA; also worked on human factors of the NASA Space Station program at Boeing; retired US Navy commander; active in professional affairs. Alpha Tau Omega.

'59 MS—**Walter M. Hewitson** of Bridgewater, MA, January 31, 2016; botanist; biology professor, Bridgewater State U.; wetlands delineation consultant; conservationist; active in community and professional affairs.

'59 BS Ag—**Gerald P. Hirsch** of Branchburg, NJ, October 20, 2015; dentist; veteran; hiker; scuba diver; skier; master gardener; authored a guide to community gardening. Alpha Phi Alpha.

'59 BA—**Charles C. Vogel III** of Timonium, MD, January 22, 2016; CEO, Shepherd Electric Supply; veteran; active in professional affairs. Phi Kappa Sigma.

'59 MBA—**David B. Wallace** of Lynchburg, VA, February 4, 2016; VP, Chapstick Co.; also worked for Old Dominion Box Co.; veteran; choir singer; Civil War buff; genealogist; traveler; active in community, professional, and religious affairs.

'60 BS HE—**June Lewman** Gregory of Oklahoma City, OK, January 25, 2016; Sunday school teacher; 4-H leader; PTA volunteer; deacon; active in community and religious affairs. Husband, Garold F. Gregory, PhD '62.

'60 BA—**Althea Goss** Pearlman of Boulder, CO, February 10, 2016; mathematics teacher at the high school and college level; clinical professor, School of Education, U. of Colorado, Boulder, where she mentored prospective teachers; Einstein Congressional Fellow serving as an advisor to the House of Representatives on mathematics teaching; recipient, Presidential Award for the Teaching of Science and Mathematics; active in community and professional affairs. Husband, Elihu H. Pearlman '60.

'61, BS Ag '62—**James E. Baker** of Johnstown, NY, January 29, 2016;

horticulturist; resource conservation and development coordinator, USDA Soil & Water Conservation; also worked for NYS Saratoga Soil and Water Conservation Dept., NYS Nursery, Brown's Ford, and Baker's Blueberries; square dancer; hunter; fisherman; active in community and religious affairs.

'61 BA—**Ingram S. Chodorow** of Rancho Santa Fe, CA, February 6, 2016; CEO; active in community and alumni affairs. Phi Sigma Delta.

'61 BS Nurs—**Alice M. Obrig** of Guilford, CT, January 1, 2016; taught at Fairfield U. School of Nursing; expert on nursing midwifery.

'62 BS ILR—**James E. Huttar** of Front Royal, VA, February 4, 2016; executive, Corning Glass Works; investor; Peace Corps director in Micronesia; director, Int'l Executive Service Corps in Tunisia; helped develop the Greenway in Front Royal; self-taught pianist; bridge player; tree steward; bicyclist; traveler; active in community and professional affairs. Phi Kappa Psi.

'62, B Chem E '63, M Chem E '69—**Victor W. Morgan** of North Kingstown, RI, January 28, 2016; engineer; veteran; active in community affairs. Alpha Sigma Phi.

'62 BA—**Kenneth L. Pursley** of Boise, ID, October 21, 2015; attorney; founder and managing partner, Givens Pursley LLP; also founded a real estate investment company; helped found the Idaho Conservation League; helped establish the Boise Greenbelt; traveler; fisherman; golfer; active in civic, community, and professional affairs.

'62 BA, PhD '77—**Sheldon Severinghaus** of San Francisco, CA, December 16, 2015; senior staff officer, the Asia Foundation; taught English and French at Tunghai U. in Taiwan; helped Taiwan's governance restructuring; assisted Mongolia's transition to democracy and a market economy; visiting scholar, UC Berkeley's Inst. of East Asian Studies; also worked with the Luce Scholars Program; avid ornithologist; co-authored books on the birds of Taiwan; environmentalist; recipient of the Polar Star, Silver Star, and the Medal of Friendship from the Mongolian government; active in civic, community, professional, and alumni affairs. Alpha Delta Phi. Wife, Lucia (Liu), MA '77, PhD '83.

'62, B Chem E '63, MBA '64—**Robert F. Slagle** of Presto, PA, February 21, 2016; executive VP, Alcoa; golfer; traveler; active in professional and alumni affairs. Phi Gamma Delta.

'62 BS Hotel—**William A. Stowe** of Lake Placid, NY, February 8, 2016; Olympic gold medalist in rowing, 1964 Olympic Games; head rowing coach, US Coast Guard Academy; head rowing coach, Columbia U.; rowing coach, St. Joseph's U.; ABC-TV rowing commentator for the 1968 and 1972 Olympics; fundraiser, Coast Guard Academy; also worked for the Olympic Regional Development Association and St. Joseph's Rehabilitation Center; author; veteran; Rotarian; active in community, professional, and alumni affairs. Psi Upsilon.

'62 MBA—**F. Douglas Wert Jr.** of Mechanicsburg, PA, December 9, 2015; president, Allied Benefits Management Inc.; philanthropist.

'67, BEE '68, MEE '68—**Reed D. Hamilton Jr.** of Fort Worth, TX, February 5, 2016; electrical engineer; veteran; bicyclist; runner; Toastmaster; Boy Scouts volunteer; choir singer; active in community and religious affairs.

'67-70 GR—**Marceine Dickfos Sweetser** of Lewisburg, PA, January 25, 2016; poet; playwright; actor; director; teacher; photographer; gardener; Woodrow Wilson Fellow.

'68 BS Ag—**Henry A. Church-Smith** of Sequim, WA, November 4, 2015; certified financial planner; veteran; sailor; scuba diver; motorcyclist; active in community and religious affairs.

'68 BS Ag—**Janet Vandyke Huisjen** of Boulder, CO, February 1, 2016; worked in biotechnology, including one of the first biotech startups; office manager, Crestview Church; coach, Olympics of the Mind; Sunday school teacher; gardener; cook; quilter; seamstress; avid reader; active in civic, community, and religious affairs. Husband, Martin A. Huisjen, MS '68, PhD '71.

'68, BS Ag '71, DVM '71—**Donald L. Robinson** of Glens Falls, NY, October 12, 2015; veterinarian; active in alumni affairs.

'70 PhD—**Randall E. Rockey** of Silver City, NM, December 8, 2015; linguistics professor; taught at the Defense Language Inst. and other universities; created the first English as a Second Language centers in Haiti and Panama; Fulbright Scholar; veteran.

'72 BA—**James A. Gordon** of Baltimore, MD, January 28, 2016; managing director, Invotex Group; active in alumni affairs. Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

'73 MFA, DMA '78—**Steven E. Stucky** of Ithaca, NY, February 14, 2016; won the Pulitzer Prize for his *Second Concerto for Orchestra*; Given Foundation Professor of Composition, Cornell U.; resident composer, Los Angeles Philharmonic; also composed for orchestras in Chicago, Baltimore, Cleveland, Dallas, and Philadelphia; expert on the music of Witold Lutoslawski; conducted the Los Angeles Philharmonic New Music Group and Ensemble X; host of the New York Philharmonic's "Here & Now" series; author; also taught at the Juilliard School; active in professional affairs.

'73 BA—**William R. Vallone** of Exeter, RI, January 30, 2016; attorney.

'74 BA—**Mark D. Kutner** of Vineland, NJ, February 3, 2016; attorney; specialist in elder law, estate planning, and business transactions; president, Alliance Cemetery Chevra Kadisha; active in community, professional, and religious affairs. Beta Sigma Rho.

'76-77 GR—**Van Keuren Jones** of Clearwater, FL, formerly of Columbus, OH, December 10, 2015; supervisory management analyst, Dept. of Defense; golfer; traveler; active in religious affairs.

'77 JD—**Lewis G. Schwartz** of Stamford, CT, January 29, 2016; employment law and litigation attorney; senior VP, general counsel, and corporate secretary, Gartner Group; coach and president, North Stamford Little League; cyclist; wine enthusiast; world traveler.

'78 BA, MD '82—**Lori L. Altshuler** of Manhattan Beach, CA, November 5, 2015; psychiatrist; Julia S. Gouw Endowed Chair in Mood Disorders, UCLA; established the UCLA Mood Disorder research program; chief of bipolar disorders, Brentwood V.A. Hospital; fellow in biological psychiatry at NIMH; pioneer in magnetic resonance imaging to assess changes in the brains of patients with psychiatric disorders; author; elected to "Best Doctors in America" seven times; active in professional affairs. Kappa Kappa Gamma.

'81 BS Eng—**Jeffrey C. Chung** of Lexington, MA, formerly of Broomall, PA, January 31, 2016; structural engineer; avid softball player; fan of Philadelphia team sports and hoagies; mentor; Big Brother. Acacia.

'83 BS Hotel—**Scott D. Morrison** of Newtown Square, PA, February 14, 2016; restaurateur; owner, Nectar Restaurant; established Chelsea Tavern, Ernest & Scott Taproom, Tango, Basil, Averro, Floret, Maia restaurants; active in professional affairs.

'84 BA—**Millena Manov** Leiningen of White Plains, NY, November 20, 2015; VP, Master Card; realtor; also worked at Prudential Home Mortgage, GE, and First USA; helped rescue cats; active in professional affairs.

'85 JD—**Paul D. Aiken** of New York City, January 29, 2016; former executive director, Authors Guild; helped the guild navigate changes in the book industry; blogged about Lou Gehrig's Disease; founder, n=2 Foundation; active in community and professional affairs.

'85 DVM—**James C. Zgoda** of Campbell Hall, NY, February 10, 2016; veterinarian; director, Otterkill Animal Hospital; active in alumni affairs.

'88 BA—**Daniel R. Gerson** of Sherman Oaks, CA, February 6, 2016; screenwriter who wrote *Big Hero 6*, which won the Oscar for Best Animated Feature Film in 2015; co-wrote *Monsters, Inc.* and its prequel, *Monsters University*; staff writer, NBC sitcom "Something So Right"; active in community and professional affairs. Sigma Pi.

'91—**Lisa Bonchek Adams** of Darien, CT, March 6, 2015; blogger who wrote about grief, loss, and the experience of living with breast cancer; avid reader; lover of writing, music, and poetry; active in community affairs. Alpha Epsilon Phi.

'97 JD—**Marc E. Mangum** of Ashburn, VA, October 4, 2015; assistant general counsel, Public Broadcasting Service; supervised trademark and copyright operations at PBS; specialist in intellectual property; founder, Cold Spark Films; wrote and produced the film *Adventurers of Food Boy*; assistant counsel, Capital One Financial Corp.; active in professional affairs.

'09, BA '10—**John T. Decker** of Gladwyne, PA, January 16, 2016. Chi Psi.

'14, BS HE '13—**Yusnier Sonora Lopez** of Palm Beach Gardens, FL, November 3, 2014; dietician.