



In Memory

1947 David L. Schroeder, 97, of Winchester, Virginia, died on April 22, 2023.

Schroeder attended the V-12 Navy College Training Program at Trinity before serving in the Pacific Theater during World War II. He continued in the Naval Reserve and returned to the College to complete a B.S. Schroeder worked at his wife's family's welding supply business for many years before selling the firm, earning an M.B.A. from the University of Connecticut, and working as a small business consultant.

Schroeder is survived by his wife of 71 years, Mary Lou; daughters Martha Herold (Chuck), Nancy Hawkes, Diane Pavelis (George), and Pamela Snelgrove (Eli); nine grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and sister-in-law Catherine Nicholl. He was predeceased by brother Robert Schroeder, sister-in-law Jean Schroeder, and brother-in-law Grier Nicholl.

1948 Trevor Lewis-Jones, 96, of Maplewood, New Jersey, died on October 29, 2022.

Lewis-Jones attended Trinity through the V-12 Navy College Training Program and served during World War II. He returned to campus to earn a B.S. in engineering; he also was a member of Alpha Chi Rho. Lewis-Jones worked in New York City for four decades, with the last 25 years at Marine Engineering Log.

Lewis-Jones is survived by children Donna (Michael) and David (Gwen), three grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by his wife of nearly 60 years, Clarinda.

1950 Sherwin Mellins, 93, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, died on February 13, 2023.

Mellins earned a B.S. in physical sciences from Trinity, where he was a member of the Brownell Club and took part in Hillel. He went on to earn an M.D. from New York University School of Medicine and an M.P.H. from Yale University School of Public Health. Mellins retired as medical director of what later became the Connecticut Department of Developmental Services. He also served in the Connecticut Air National Guard.

Mellins is survived by his wife of 43 years, Theresa, and daughters Sheryl Kenney (John), Susan Rivas (Huve), Sandra Mellins, and Cynthia Lutzen (Gary). He was predeceased by brother Donald.

1950 Seymour Page Jr., 96, of Madison, Connecticut, died on April 24, 2023.

After serving in the U.S. Marine Corps during World War II, Page earned a B.A. in history from Trinity, where he was a member of Alpha Chi Rho and played football. He went on to a career in the insurance industry.

Page was predeceased by wife Linnea.

1951 Paul B. "Brownie" Dickey Jr., 94, of Palm Beach, Florida, died on March 18, 2023.

Dickey earned an interdisciplinary B.A. from Trinity, where he was a member of Delta Psi. He went on to work for more than 40 years as a stockbroker. Dickey also served in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War.

Dickey is survived by children Heather Schneeberger (John), Paul B. Dickey III, Laura Boutelle (James), and William Y.H. Dickey and three grandchildren. He was predeceased by his wife of 59 years, Lucy.

1953 Eugene L. Binda, 92, of Middletown, New Jersey, died on February 11, 2023.

Binda earned a B.A. in history from Trinity, where he was a member of Alpha Delta Phi and played football and baseball. He spent much of his career in the transportation industry.

Binda is survived by his wife of 72 years, Lois; children Mary Ellen, Jo Anne Moreno (Jaime), Deborah Dengrove (Robert), and Eugene Binda III (Bernadette); 12 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by son-in-law Robert and siblings Charles, Aldo, Louis, and Rose.

1953 James C. Coulter, 91, of Duxbury, Massachusetts, died on March 3, 2023.

Coulter earned a B.A. in history from Trinity, where he was a member of Sigma Nu, the band, and the swimming team. He also participated in the band and ROTC. Coulter served in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean War before earning an M.B.A. from New York University. His career included time at Chemical Bank and IBM before joining his brother to manage newspaper publications.

Coulter is survived by his wife of 69 years, Patricia; children James (Lorinda), Douglas (Maryanne), Jennifer (John Carroll), and Robert (Erin); five grandchildren; and siblings Janet (Bradshaw Langmaid) and William. He was predeceased by sister-in-law Joyce.

1953 David J. Dean, 92, of Cromwell, Connecticut, died on April 2, 2023.

Dean earned a B.A. in educational studies from Trinity, where he was president of Delta Phi, a member of the Glee

Club, and manager of the track team. He went on to earn an M.Div. from Andover Newton Theological School. Dean spent more than 40 years in the ministry, including serving four churches in New England, working as a police chaplain, and leading church groups at the state and national level. The loyal Trinity alumnus also was a member of the Elms Society.

Dean is survived by children Mary Dean (Chris Palazzolo) and John Dean (Janice), four grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, and companion Esther Olson. He was predeceased by his wife of 58 years, Joan.

1954 Richard H. Smith, 89, of Jensen Beach, Florida, died on November 21, 2021.

Smith earned a B.A. in economics from Trinity, where he served as vice president of Delta Kappa Epsilon and played football. He went on to a 22-year career as a U.S. Air Force officer and rescue helicopter pilot.

Smith is survived by children Cindy Smigay, Liz Dailey, Kathy Marino, Karen Bernhard, Kyle Sizemore, and Richard Jr.; 10 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and sister Janet Slimak. He was predeceased by wife Emmy.

1954 Arthur M. Wilson, 90, of Portland, Oregon, died on March 11, 2023.

Wilson earned a B.S. in chemistry from Trinity, where he was a member of Alpha Chi Rho. He went on to earn a Ph.D. from Northwestern University. Wilson's career included time on the faculty of Wayne State University and Emory University and more than three decades working at Texas Instruments.

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1954 Blair J.V. Wormer, 89, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, died on December 10, 2022.

Wormer earned a B.A. in economics from Trinity, where he served as manager for the football team and took part in ROTC. He served in the U.S. Air Force before taking a position with Connecticut General Life Insurance.

Wormer is survived by his wife of more than 40 years, Anne; children Sarah Wormer, Lucy (Hung Nguyen), and Andrew Wormer (Mary Jean); four grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; stepchildren Aaron Stepler (Brooke) and Jennifer Cummings (Tully); and two step-grandchildren. He was predeceased by daughter Frances.

1955 Ronald M. Gagosz, 88, of Farmington, Connecticut, died on March 31, 2023.

Gagosz earned a B.S. in physics from Trinity, where he was a member of the Brownell Club and the Newman Club and ran varsity track. He went on to earn an M.S. in engineering from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute. Gagosz worked as a research engineer for United Technologies Research Center for 35 years.

Gagosz is survived by wife Geraldine, daughters Kristen and Jennifer, and a granddaughter. He was predeceased by brother Richard "Dick" Gagosz.

1955 Jerome M. Scharr, 89, of Deep River, Connecticut, died on February 28, 2023.

Scharr attended Trinity, where he was a member of the Brownell Club, before earning a degree in engineering from the University of Connecticut. He started multiple companies, including Scharr Industries and Techni-Met.

Scharr is survived by his wife of 65 years, Marlene; children Michael Scharr (Julie) and Elizabeth Scharr; three grandchildren; and siblings Merle "Terry" Kurtzman (Irv)

and Lynn Sharp (Dan). He was predeceased by daughter Janet Gochberg.

1955 Richard S. Zampello, 89, of Washington, Connecticut, died on November 1, 2022.

Zampello earned a B.A. in economics from Trinity, where he was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon and worked on the staffs of *The Trinity Tripod* and WRTC. He went on to earn an M.B.A. from the University of Bridgeport. Zampello began his career at Westinghouse Electric and later moved into the scrap recycling industry, including time as president at Plume & Atwood Brass and at Upstate Metals.

Zampello is survived by his wife of 61 years, Helen; son Geoffrey Zampello '98 (Amanda Barnes); and three grandchildren.

1956 Alastair L. "At" Taylor, 88, of Gulf Breeze, Florida, died on January 31, 2023.

Taylor earned a B.A. from Trinity, where he was a member of Delta Phi. After serving in the U.S. Army, he was as a computer programmer and then worked for Boeing and Lockheed on the U.S. space program. Taylor returned to academia and earned an M.S. in mathematics from the University of Alabama. He also worked in software development and as a college instructor.

Taylor is survived by sons Jeffrey and James (Wendy), grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by brothers David and Alexander "Sandy."

1956 William J. Zito, 88, of Cromwell, Connecticut, died on May 4, 2023.

Zito earned a B.A. in English from Trinity, where he was a member of the Brownell Club. He went on to earn a B.Div. and, years later, a D.Min. from Hartford Seminary. Zito served several churches in Connecticut, including the

First Congregational Church of Watertown, which he led for more than 33 years.

Zito is survived by his wife of more than 66 years, Jan; children Mark Zito (Gail Corrow) and Jennifer Zito (Michael Rosadino); four grandchildren; Frances Bassford, and Edward Zito (Kathleen); and sister-in-law Martha Zito. He was predeceased by siblings Dominic Zito, Joseph Zito, Mary DiPrato, and Antionette "Antie" Brazukas.

1957 Thomas A. Barber, 86, of Pacific Grove, California, died on August 1, 2022.

Barber earned a B.S. in engineering from Trinity, where he was a member of the Brownell Club and the Trinity Pipes. He went on to earn an M.S. in electrical engineering from UCLA. Barber worked for 3½ decades at the Jet Propulsion Laboratory, where his work included collaborating with car companies and Congress on catalytic converters and studying electric cars.

Barber is survived by wife Ida, first wife Edda, daughters Christine and Catherine, stepchildren Debra (Bill) and Steve (Andi), eight grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

1957 Samuel M. Stone II, 88, of Old Saybrook, Connecticut, died on April 20, 2023.

After starting his college career at Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Stone earned a B.A. in psychology from Trinity, where he was a member of Pi Kappa Alpha and worked at WRTC. He went on to be an electrical engineer and security system designer who established Electro Marketing, a design and consulting firm. The dedicated alumnus served as a longtime class agent.

Stone is survived by his wife of 64 years, Mary Olive; children Lawre Stone (Dan Devine), Charles Stone (Tracey), Joseph Stone, and Thomas Stone (Alicia Henry); and five grandchildren.

He was predeceased by sister Elizabeth McCabe.

1958 Richard P. Farr, 86, of Manchester, Connecticut, died on February 12, 2023.

Farr earned a B.A. in political science from Trinity, where he was a member of the Brownell Club and the Newman Club. He went on to earn an M.Ed. from Central Connecticut State College. Farr taught fifth grade in South Windsor for 41 years and also worked at his brother's store, Farr's Sporting Goods, for 61 years.

Farr is survived by his daughters, Mary (George Elmore), Felicia, and Susan; four grandsons; and brother-in-law Stewart Crossen (Beth Angel). He was predeceased by his wife of 65 years, Susan; brother James Farr; sister-in-law Joyce Farr; and grandson Timothy Elmore.

1958, M.A. 1967 Joseph D. Lawrence Sr., 86, of Wethersfield, Connecticut, died on April 2, 2023.

Lawrence earned a B.A. and then an M.A. in educational studies from Trinity, where he was vice president of the Brownell Club and played basketball and baseball. He went on to earn a sixth-year certificate in education administration from the University of Hartford. Lawrence taught history and was an administrator in the Hartford Public Schools for 37 years. He later taught as an adjunct professor of history at St. Joseph College and Central Connecticut State University. Lawrence also served in the U.S. Marine Corps.

Lawrence is survived by his wife of 57 years, Frances; children Joseph D. Lawrence Jr. and Mary Lawrence; brother David Lawrence (Gail); sister-in-law Carolyn Zinck (Gregory); and brother-in-law Thomas Sitaro (Mary).

1958 Clifford L. Terry Jr., 86, of Chicago, died on May 6, 2023.

After transferring from Carleton College, Terry graduated Phi Beta Kappa from Trinity with a B.A. in English. The Illinois Scholar served as president of Delta Phi, as managing editor of *The Trinity Tripod*, and as a member of the Glee Club. Terry went on to a career in journalism, working for more than three decades for the *Chicago Tribune*. He also received a Nieman Fellowship.

Terry is survived by wife Pat, sons Chris and Scott, and a grandson.

1958 Johnstone D. Trott, 86, of Peabody, Massachusetts, died on March 8, 2023.

Trott earned a B.A. in English from Trinity, where he was president of Alpha Chi Rho and worked at WRTC. He went on to a career in sales and marketing.

Trott is survived by his wife of 61 years, Nancy; children Amy Murphy (David), David Trott (Jill), and Alan Trott (Carolyn); three grandchildren; and siblings Lorita Aarons and Susan Trott. He was predeceased by brother Gordon Dewart.

1959 Edward F. Gibbons, 85, of Norwood, Massachusetts, died on February 5, 2023.

Gibbons earned a B.S. in physics and mathematics from Trinity, where he was a member of the Brownell Club. He went on to earn an M.S. from the George Washington University. Gibbons worked for Ford Motor Company for 30 years, half of which were spent in England.

Gibbons is survived by daughters Leah and Erin Gibbons, son-in-law Tom Sanborn, and two grandchildren. He was predeceased by wife Linda.

1960 Jere L. Bacharach, 84, of Seattle, died on April 9, 2023.

Bacharach earned a B.A. in history from Trinity, where he served as publicity director for the Atheneum Debating Society and manager of the

track team and took part in Hillel. Bacharach went on to earn an M.A. in Middle East studies from Harvard University and a Ph.D. in Middle Eastern history from the University of Michigan. He was a member of the faculty of the University of Washington, serving as chair of the Departments of History, of Near Eastern Languages and Civilization, and of Jewish Studies, as well as director of the Jackson School of International Studies.

Bacharach is survived by wife Barbara Fudge and her daughter, Megan Victoria (Paul Fickett); daughters Deborah Bacharach (John Palmieri) and Julia Bacharach (Dan Cory); and four grandchildren.

1960 Charles S. Burger, 84, of Eagle, Idaho, died on February 3, 2023.

Burger earned a B.A. in English from Trinity, where he was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon and the swimming team, served as chair of Campus Chest, worked at WRTC, and took part in ROTC. After serving in the Hawaii National Guard, he earned an M.Div. from the Episcopal Church Divinity School of the Pacific and went on to serve as rector of churches in Hawaii, Nevada, and Idaho.

Burger is survived by his wife of 39 years, Diane; children Robert Burger, Christopher Burger, Michael Burger, Matthew Burger, Amanda Burger, and Kim Dias; stepchildren James Lowson and Anne Queirolo; 10 grandchildren; four step-grandchildren; and siblings Dorothy Lesniak, Marjory Burger, Lynn Lone, Robert Burger, and John Burger. He was predeceased by brother Joseph Burger and son Andrew Burger.

1960 Christopher W. Davenport, 84, of Louisville, Kentucky, died on May 5, 2023.

Davenport earned a B.A. in English before earning an M.A.T.

from Yale University. He spent his career teaching and coaching at independent day schools. The dedicated alumnus volunteered his time conducting admissions interviews for Trinity; he also was a member of the Elms Society.

Davenport is survived by siblings John (Baty Miller) and Juliet.

1960 John W. Wilcox, 84, of Dummerston, Vermont, died on January 1, 2023.

Wilcox earned a B.A. in history from Trinity, where he was a member of Pi Kappa Alpha and the Glee Club, served as managing editor of the *Ivy*, and worked as public relations director of WRTC. He went on to earn a J.D. from Duke University School of Law. Wilcox worked as an estate settlement officer for banks and co-owned a flower shop before serving as an advocate for the elderly in public housing and founding and directing the AIDS Project of Greater New Britain.

Wilcox is survived by his wife of 61 years, Cynthia; children Elizabeth Stevenson '87 (Malcolm), Stephen Wilcox (Janis), and Andrew Wilcox (Jennifer); five grandchildren; and brother-in-law Roger Martin. He was predeceased by sisters Ann Borthwick (David), Mary Frisbie (Edward), and Judith Martin.

1961 Edward S. Harrison, 83, of Monson, Massachusetts, died on February 12, 2023.

Harrison earned a B.A. in philosophy from Trinity, where he was a member of Pi Kappa Alpha. Following service in the U.S. Army as a Green Beret, he started his career with Mass Mutual Life Insurance, retiring in 1996 as a senior systems analyst.

Harrison is survived by daughters Cheryl, Heather, Holly, Melissa, Rebecca, and Alice; sons-in-law Bill, Jon, Rob, and Alan; former wife Peg; 12 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and sisters Susan and June.

1961 Gordon P. Ramsey, 84, of Chattahoochee Hills, Georgia, died on April 21, 2023.

Ramsey earned a B.A. in history from Trinity, where he served as president of Delta Kappa Epsilon and played football and basketball. He went on to earn a J.D. from Boston University School of Law. Ramsey, who specialized in labor relations, practiced at several firms before founding his own firm, which became Ramsey & Murray.

Ramsey is survived by his wife of 40 years, Linda; children Laura Ramsey '84 (Edmund Bathelt), Thomas Ramsey (Rowena Saura), John Ramsey II '91 (Sue), F. Parker Ramsey (Faithe), Gardner Powell, Jennifer Powell, Susanna Powell, and John David Powell; 14 grandchildren; and brothers Philip Ramsey and Bruce Ramsey. He was predeceased by brothers James Ramsey and Richard Ramsey.

1967 Frederic G. "Rick" Ludwig Jr., 78, of San Diego, California, died on April 16, 2023.

Ludwig earned a B.S. in biology from Trinity, where he was a member of Alpha Chi Rho and the swimming team. He went on to a 28-year career as an officer in the U.S. Navy, which included flying combat missions during the Vietnam War and commanding a fighter squadron and the Navy Fighter Weapons School, widely known as Top Gun. Following his service, he worked for Northrop Grumman.

Ludwig is survived by his brother, Bill Ludwig; his former wife and best friend, Nancee; their son, Eric Ludwig (Janine); and three granddaughters.

1969 Brian D. Winter, 75, of Lenexa, Kansas, died on April 5, 2023.

Winter earned a B.S. in biology from Trinity, where he was vice president of Pi Kappa Alpha and played baseball. He served in

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the U.S. Army in Vietnam and continued his military career as a reservist and in the Army National Guard. The highly decorated Winter was promoted to brigadier general.

Winter is survived by children Paul Winter (Lindsay) and Shelly Winter; six grandchildren; three great-granddaughters; and siblings Lynne Bissett (John), Jon Winter (Marianne), Gary Winter (Marion), Jay Winter, and James Winter (Barbara). He was predeceased by daughter Julie Brown.

1969 Roy C. Zartarian, 76, of Newington, Connecticut, died on April 17, 2023.

Zartarian earned a B.A. in classics. He worked as information systems director for the Town of Newington until his retirement in 2011. Zartarian also served as the town's mayor from 2015 to 2019.

Zartarian is survived by partner Kathleen-Marie Clark and sisters Anne Zartarian and Charlene Zartarian.

1972 Thomas F. Birmingham, 73, of Boston, died on January 20, 2023.

Birmingham attended Trinity, where he was a member of the Glee Club and the Senate, before continuing his studies at Harvard University, where he earned an undergraduate degree in social studies. He also won a Rhodes Scholarship and studied English literature at Exeter College at Oxford University. Birmingham went on to earn a law degree from Harvard Law School. He worked as a union labor lawyer and then as a Massachusetts state senator and senate president.

Birmingham is survived by wife Selma Botman, daughters Erica and Megan Wolf (Stewart), two grandchildren, sister Nancy Birmingham, and sister-in-law Jennifer. He was predeceased by brother Jim.

1972 Hugh E. Mohr, 73, of Rockport, Massachusetts, died

on May 5, 2023.

Mohr earned a B.A. in English from Trinity, where he was a member of Delta Psi, ran cross country, and worked on the staffs of WRTC and the *Izzy*. His work life included time on Wall Street.

Mohr is survived by wife Carolyn and siblings Dana Boyce and Brent Mohr.

1975 Richard B. Woodward, 70, of Southampton, New York, died on April 29, 2023.

Woodward earned a B.A. in English from Trinity, where he worked on the staff of *The Trinity Tripod*. He went on to a career as a journalist and critic.

Woodward is survived by his wife of 26 years, Susan Stevenson; stepchildren Josephine Kalisman, M.L. Stevenson, Gordon Stevenson, and Scott Stevenson; five grandchildren; and sisters Amy and Brenda.

IDP

1990 Jayne E. McLaughlin, 76, of Farmington, Connecticut, died on March 9, 2023.

McLaughlin earned a B.A. in political science before embarking on a 20-year career with the State of Connecticut, serving as chief of staff for the Senate Republican Caucus and insurance program manager for the Connecticut Insurance Department.

McLaughlin is survived by her husband of 55 years, Michael; children Nancy Rothenberg (Robert) and Paul McLaughlin (Jillian); and 14 grandchildren. She was predeceased by brothers Matthew and Sean Morrissey and twin sister Jeanne Griffin.

MASTER'S

1955 John F. Kerr, 89, of Danvers, Massachusetts, died on April 20, 2023.

Kerr earned a B.S. from the University of Detroit and an M.A. from the University of Notre Dame in addition to an M.A. from Trinity. Through the Xaverian

Brothers, he worked as a secondary school teacher and then principal and later held administrative positions within the order and on the staff of the St. Stephen Priory Spiritual Life Center.

Kerr is survived by siblings Mary Hanlon and Philip Kerr. He was predeceased by sister Katherine.

1964 Elizabeth Stanton Colleran, 93, of North Branford, Connecticut, died on November 26, 2021.

Colleran earned a B.A. from the College of New Rochelle and a master's degree and sixth-year certificate from Southern Connecticut State University. She went on to teach English at Amity Regional Junior High School for three decades and to earn an M.A. in English from Trinity.

Colleran is survived by sisters-in-law Catherine, Margaret, and Winifred and brother-in-law John Colleran. She was predeceased by her husband, Patrick, and her brother, Paul Stanton.

1972 John T. "Jay" Brown, 82, of Glastonbury, Connecticut, died on February 28, 2023.

Brown earned a B.A. and a B.Ed. from Acadia University before earning an M.A. in English from Trinity. He went on to teach English and public speaking and served as an adjunct instructor at Central Connecticut State University and several community colleges.

Brown is survived by his wife of 60 years, Sandee, and children Ian and Wendilea. He was predeceased by siblings Jennie MacPhail (Stan) and Ronald Gates.

1972 Charles J. Simones, 91, of New London, Connecticut, died on April 11, 2023.

Simones earned a B.A. from Hellenic College Holy Cross Greek Orthodox School of Theology and later earned an M.A. in educational studies from Trinity. He served a parish

in Canada before launching a 45-year tenure with St. Sophia Hellenic Orthodox Church in New London.

Simones is survived by his wife of 64 years, Joan; sons Gregory Simones and Thomas Simones (Genesis); two grandsons; and former daughter-in-law Katina Simones. He was predeceased by a grandson.

1973 Roger W. Smith, 95, of Northampton, Massachusetts, died on March 13, 2023.

Smith graduated from the University of Michigan and the Episcopal Theological School and studied history at Oxford University before earning an M.A. in history from Trinity. He had a 70-year career as an Episcopal priest serving congregations in the U.S. Virgin Islands, Connecticut, Michigan, Massachusetts, and South Carolina.

Smith is survived by wife Headley; children Roger "Whit" Smith (Terry), Cary Smith (Nina), Connie Gemmer (Fred), and Joanna Smith (Jill); 11 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

1976 John W. McAuliffe, 95, of White Plains, New York, died on February 28, 2023.

After serving in the U.S. Navy, McAuliffe earned a B.A. from Boston College and then an M.A. in Latin from Trinity. He went on to a career teaching Latin at independent schools, including Hackley School, where he led the Classics Department for 38 years.

McAuliffe is survived by many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by brothers Robert, Eugene, and Francis "Gerry."

1976 Loretta W. Trumbull, 75, of New Hartford, Connecticut, died on February 7, 2023.

Trumbull graduated Phi Beta Kappa from Denison University and earned an M.A. in educational studies from Trinity and another master's from Wesleyan

University. She went on to teach for more than 30 years at Avon High School.

Trumbull is survived by her husband of more than 25 years, John; children Ben Swope, Timothy Swope (Emily), Jonathan Trumbull (Allison), Timothy Trumbull (Virginie), and Betsy Trumbull (John Newberg); one granddaughter; and siblings Kate Wilson, Ruth White, Barbara Cenich, and Frank Whitney. She was predeceased by her first husband, George Swope.

1991 Andrew G. Lowe, 66, of Suffield, Connecticut, died on April 25, 2023.

Lowe earned a B.A. in history from Stanford University, where he was a member of the swimming and squash teams. During his 44-year career as a teacher and coach at Suffield Academy, he earned an M.A. in history from Trinity.

Lowe is survived by wife Andrea; children Graham (Paige), Geoff, and Emily; siblings Derick Lowe (Barbara) and Ginny Connors (Marty); sister-in-law Beth Rondinone (Joe); and brother-in-law Jeffrey Scanlon (Victoria).

HONORARY DOCTORATES

1982 John W. Chandler, 98, of Williamstown, Massachusetts, died on August 5, 2022.

Chandler graduated Phi Beta Kappa from Wake Forest College and then earned an M.Div. and Ph.D. from Duke University. He began his career in academia teaching at Wake Forest and then at Williams College, where he also served as an acting provost and dean of the faculty. After serving as president of Hamilton College, he returned to Williams in the same role. During Chandler's 12 years at the helm, from 1973 to 1985, Williams became coeducational, phased out its fraternity system, completed a \$50 million campaign, and completed construction of several buildings.

Trinity awarded him an honorary doctor of humane letters degree. He went on to serve as president of the Association of American Colleges and Universities.

Chandler is survived by wife Joyce Lazarus; children Alison Chandler, John Chandler Jr., Patricia Finn, and Jennifer Chandler; five grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and brother E. Ted Chandler. He was predeceased by his first wife, Florence, to whom he was married for 60 years, and brothers Baxter and Calvin.

FORMER STAFF

John Patrick Campbell, former associate chaplain for Roman Catholic life, 63, of Madison, Connecticut, died on May 19, 2023.

Campbell completed undergraduate work at the University of Connecticut and at Central Connecticut State University and earned a master's degree from Sacred Heart University. His work life included time with the Diocese of Bridgeport and as the Catholic chaplain at CCSU and at Trinity, where he served through a partnership with the Archdiocese of Hartford from 2007 until 2021. It was said that he considered youth ministry to be his calling.

Campbell is survived by wife Heidi; daughters Kallian Socci (Adam) and Marley Kelly (John V); a grandson; and siblings Tom and Lynn Campbell, Carol and Jim Daly, and Joe Campbell.

To read tributes to Campbell from several alumni, please visit trincollreporter.online/Campbell.

DEATH NOTICES

1957 Norman P. Macfarlane
1957 William F. Mann Jr.
1963 Robert Zimmerman Jr.
1964 Richard A. DeMone
1964 Sanford A. Fidell
1969 Andrew E. Friedman
1973 Andrew N. Squire
1996 Elinor Finlay Averyt
2014 James Hogg
IDP 1977 Virginia Bartot
M.A. 1983 Karen A. Kelleher



REMEMBRANCE

RONALD R. THOMAS H'02 FORMER ACTING PRESIDENT, FACULTY MEMBER

Ronald R. Thomas, 74, of Vashon Island, Washington, died on April 17, 2023.

Thomas graduated magna cum laude with a B.A. in English literature from Wheaton College (Illinois) in 1971. He went on to Brandeis University, where he earned an M.A. and a Ph.D. in English and American literature, in 1978 and 1983, respectively. In 1990, after serving as an assistant professor at the University of Chicago, Thomas came to Trinity as associate professor of English. During the 1991–92 academic year, he was the Andrew W. Mellon Faculty Fellow in the Humanities at Harvard University. Back at Trinity, in 1997, he was promoted to full professor. Thomas, an expert in Victorian literature and culture, also served as department chair for five years. He authored *Dreams of Authority: Freud and the Fictions of the Unconscious* (1990) and *Detective Fiction and the Rise of Forensic Science* (1999), as well as numerous essays, op-eds, and book chapters.

In 1998, Thomas moved into Trinity's administration, where he served as vice president and chief of staff to then-President Evan Dobbelle. In this role, he oversaw the implementation of the campus master plan and was deeply involved in construction of the nearby Learning Corridor complex. The College was a family affair, with his wife, Mary Thomas, serving as dean of students and lecturer in classics at Trinity. Upon Dobbelle's departure for the University of Hawaii, Thomas became acting president for the 2001–02 academic year; Trinity awarded him an honorary doctor of humane letters degree in 2002 for his contributions to academia. The following year, he left Trinity to become the 13th president of the University of Puget Sound, a position he held until 2016.

Thomas is survived by his wife, Mary.