



# In Memory

**1945 William S. Hart**, 101, of Granby, Connecticut, died on February 2, 2024.

Hart was attending Trinity when the country entered World War II; he enlisted in the U.S. Army Air Corps. He later worked in the insurance industry.

Hart is survived by children William S. Hart Jr. (Zina) and Sarah Koeniger (Philip), four grandchildren, and two great-grandsons. He was predeceased by sister Jane Ellsworth and companion Phyllis Rech.

**1952 Joseph A. Welna**, 94, of Palm Beach, Florida, died on August 15, 2025.

Welna earned a B.S. in biology from Trinity, where he was a member of the Newman Club and the band. He went on to earn an M.D. from Tufts University School of Medicine. Welna served in the U.S. Army Medical Corps before launching an obstetrics and gynecology practice in New Britain, Connecticut, that lasted more than 42 years.

Welna is survived by wife Marianne and son Joseph B. Welna (Marcia).

**1953 Lawrence T. Brennan**, 93, of Woodcliff Lake, New Jersey, died on December 28, 2024.

Brennan graduated Phi Beta Kappa with a B.S. in mathematics from Trinity, where he was a member of Alpha Chi Rho. He went on to earn an M.S. in mathematics from Brown University. Brennan worked as an actuary and became managing partner at Kwasha Lipton.

Brennan is survived by children Kate '91, Christine, Alicia, Maureen, Tom, Matt, and Michael; 10 grandchildren, including William '10; and two great-grandchildren. He was

predeceased by his wife of nearly 70 years, Gertrude.

**1953 Brooks R. Joslin**, 94, of West Hartford, Connecticut, died on August 8, 2025.

Joslin earned a B.A. in economics from Trinity, where he was a member of Delta Psi. His time at Trinity was interrupted while he served in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean War. He went on to a 37-year career at Travelers, retiring as an executive in 1993.

Joslin is survived by children Blake Joslin (Donna), Timothy Joslin (Michelle), and Spencer Joslin-Montlick (Neil Montlick) and six grandchildren. He was predeceased by wife Carol Lee, brother Ramsey Joslin, and sister-in-law Sally Joslin.

**1955 Joseph J. Ettl**, 92, of Uncasville, Connecticut, died on October 8, 2025.

Ettl earned a B.S. in engineering from Trinity, where he was a member of the Brownell Club. He served in the U.S. Army before earning a master's degree from the University of Connecticut. Ettl worked as a faculty member at Thames Valley State Technical College for more than 30 years.

Ettl is survived by his wife of 64 years, Elizabeth; son Joseph Ettl; and a grandson.

**1955 Charles S. Gardner III**, 92, of Washington, D.C., died on August 3, 2025.

Gardner earned a B.A. in English from Trinity, where he was a member of Delta Psi and an editor of *The Trinity Tripod*. He went on to earn an M.A. in economics from the George Washington University. Gardner worked as a journalist at outlets including *BusinessWeek* and as deputy director of external

relations for the International Monetary Fund.

Gardner is survived by children Elizabeth, Sarah (Christopher Doyle), and Daniel (Nancy Talbot); three grandchildren; and sister Margaret Gardner. He was predeceased by his wife of 70 years, Amy, and daughter Nancy Boyd.

**1956 Roger E. Martin**, 90, of Swanzey, New Hampshire, died on June 15, 2025.

Martin earned a B.A. in economics from Trinity, where he was a member of the Glee Club, the Brownell Club, and Alpha Theta and worked at WRTC. He went on to earn two master's degrees from the University of Hartford and an Ed.D. from Vanderbilt University. Martin worked in three fields: manufacturing, with General Electric and Stanley Works; insurance, with Aetna; and education, as a faculty member at Keene State College teaching management for 28 years.

Martin is survived by children Laurel Brandley (Liam), Heather Drennan, and William Martin; six grandchildren; and one great-grandson. He was predeceased by his wife of 64 years, Judith; brothers-in-law David Borthwick, Edward Frisbee, and John Wilcox; and sisters-in-law Ann Borthwick and Mary Frisbie.

**1958 Thomas R. Barrett**, 89, of Hooksett, New Hampshire, died on September 16, 2025.

Barrett earned a B.A. in psychology from Trinity, where he was a member of the Newman Club and took part in Air Force ROTC. He went on to a lifelong career in the insurance industry, including founding Barrett Insurance.

Barrett is survived by children Wendy Gettel (Roger), Christopher Barrett (Tracy), Matthew Barrett (Judy), Judith Currier (Frank Wilich), and Ken Barrett; eight grandchildren; two great-grandsons; and siblings Tim Barrett and Ann Goodwin. He was predeceased by his wife of 66 years, Nancy.

**1958 Melvin F. Buchanan**, 89, of Bristol, Connecticut, died on September 15, 2025.

Buchanan earned a B.A. in history from Trinity, where he was a member of the Newman Club, and went on to earn an M.A. from the University of Hartford. He had a lifelong career in education, teaching, coaching, and serving as a counselor at Bristol Eastern High School.

Buchanan is survived by his wife of 63 years, Marilyn; children Darryl Buchanan, Dan Buchanan (Erica), and Melanie Mills (Steve); eight grandchildren; and brother John. He was predeceased by son Gary Buchanan and siblings Phil, Richard, and Nancy Buchanan.

**1958 L. Maxwell Lockie Jr.**, 87, of Costa Mesa, California, died on October 28, 2024.

Lockie earned an interdisciplinary B.S. from Trinity, where he was a member of Theta Xi and the fencing team and worked at WRTC. He went on to earn a B.E.E. from Syracuse University and an M.B.A. from Pepperdine University. Lockie had a career in engineering.

Lockie is survived by wife Vi Maxwell, children Allison (Guthrie Handley) and Derek (Sri Paryatun), and three grandchildren.

**1958 Andrew D. McKee**, 89, of New Gloucester, Maine, died on June 15, 2025.

McKee earned a B.A. in Spanish from Trinity, where he was a member of Alpha Chi Rho. He went on to earn an M.D. from the University of Brussels in Belgium. McKee served with the U.S. Public Health Service and later practiced internal medicine and hematology in Maine. He then worked for the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs. McKee also earned a graduate degree in tropical medicine from Mahidol University in Thailand.

McKee is survived by his wife of more than 58 years, Joanne; daughters Emily McKee (John Kosiorek), Alison McKee (Gabriel Alexander), and Linda McKee; three grandchildren; a great-granddaughter; and sister Harriet Voss.

**1959 Paul S. Campion**, 88, of Cos Cob, Connecticut, died on March 16, 2025.

Campion earned a B.A. in English from Trinity, where he was a member of Alpha Chi Rho and the golf team and worked at WRTC. He went on to work on Wall Street, first for Shearson Lehman and then at Smith Barney as vice president for institutional sales until his retirement.

Campion is survived by his wife of 60 years, Susan; children Jennifer O'Brien '88 (Kevin), Allison Campion, and Tucker Campion; and six grandchildren. He was predeceased by brother Donald Campion.

**1959 William D. Crowell Jr.**, 87, of Barrington, Illinois, died on July 3, 2025.

Crowell earned a B.A. in physics from Trinity, where he was a member of Alpha Chi Rho and worked at WRTC. He went on to earn an M.B.A. from Washington University in St. Louis and to serve in the U.S. Army Reserve. Crowell spent more than 30 years working at McDonnell Douglas.

Crowell is survived by daughter Kristin Hatch (Mark), two

grandsons, and sister Janet Herr. He was predeceased by wife Karma Jo.

**1959 Michael L. Gowing**, 88, of Pinckney, Michigan, died on July 21, 2025.

Gowing earned a B.A. in English from Trinity, where he was a member of the Jesters, the Glee Club, and the Canterbury Club and served as a student organist. He went on to earn a bachelor of sacred theology degree from Yale Divinity School and to be ordained a minister in the Episcopal Church. Gowing then earned an M.A.T. from Wayne State University and taught elementary school before turning to the arts, starting the University Musical Society at the University of Michigan, where he worked for more than 30 years.

Gowing is survived by sister Mary Ann.

**1959 Robert J. Pizzella**, 88, of West Hartford, Connecticut, died on August 31, 2025.

Pizzella earned a B.A. in English from Trinity, where he was a member of the Brownell Club. He went on to earn a J.D. from the University of Connecticut and to practice law for more than four decades as a partner with the law firm he founded with his brother, Edward Pizzella '54. Pizzella also served in the U.S. Army Reserve.

Pizzella is survived by wife Geraldine; children Joseph Pizzella, Mark Pizzella (Jennifer), Craig Pizzella (Katrine), and Krista Vitanza (Michael); six grandchildren; and sister Louise Chiaputti. He was predeceased by brother Edward.

**1960 Donald J. Galati**, 87, of Prescott, Arizona, died on September 18, 2025.

Galati earned a B.S. in educational studies before working in education, including teaching

and coaching at a boarding school in Connecticut and at Yavapai College.

Galati is survived by several cousins and nieces. He was predeceased by brother Mike and half sister Marcia.

**1961 Warren N. Haynie**, 85, of Reisterstown, Maryland, died on July 21, 2024.

Haynie earned a B.A. in English from Trinity, where he served as president of the Jesters. He went on to earn an M.A.T. from Brown University and to a career teaching high school English and drama in the Baltimore County Public Schools.

Haynie is survived by wife Joan, children Betty Dipple (Christopher) and Charles Haynie (Deborah), a granddaughter, and sister Lura Vogelmann (Michael).

**1962 Samuel Bailey Jr.**, 85, of Vero Beach, Florida, died on August 23, 2025.

Bailey earned a B.A. in political science from Trinity, where he was a member of Alpha Delta Phi and the track team. He served in the U.S. Air Force before earning a J.D. from the University of Connecticut School of Law. Bailey practiced law for more than two decades at Robinson & Cole and served as president and CEO of investment advisory and mutual fund management company T.O. Richardson. The loyal alumnus was honored with the Alumni Medal for Excellence in 2007.

Bailey is survived by his wife of 50 years, Janet; sons David and John; five grandchildren; and siblings John, Dan, and Leslie.

**1962 Lawrence R. Harris**, 84, of Mitchellville, Maryland, died on June 12, 2025.

Harris earned a B.A. in philosophy from Trinity, where he served as treasurer of Delta Phi. He went on to earn an M.Phil.

from Virginia Theological Seminary and to be ordained by the Episcopal Church. Harris served as a rector at two churches in Maryland.

Harris is survived by son Reed (Therese), a granddaughter, brother J.D. Harris (Su), and brother-in-law Bo Jacob (Willa). He was predeceased by wife Sue.

**1962 Robert Macleod**, 86, of Medfield, Massachusetts, died on July 10, 2025.

Macleod earned a B.A. in fine arts from Trinity, where he was a member of Delta Psi and Campus Chest. He went on to study at Harvard Business School and Leeds University in England. Macleod worked for the Kendall Company for many years.

Macleod is survived by his wife of 58 years, Barbara "Bobsie"; children Ian, Morris, and Avery; seven grandchildren; and brother William. He was predeceased by brother Eldon.

**1962 Josiah C. "Jay" McCracken III**, 85, of Lacey, Washington, died on October 12, 2025.

McCracken earned a B.A. in studio arts from Trinity, where he served as vice president of Sigma Nu and was a member of the Senate and the swimming and track teams. After serving in the U.S. Marine Corps, he spent 20 years in food service sales management and then helped form the trading card company Upper Deck. He and his wife also owned a baseball card shop.

McCracken is survived by his wife of more than 60 years, Jane; daughters Kelly Kerr (Kevin), Sarah Kift (Billy), and Cadi Stephenson (Brian); six grandchildren; a great-grandson; and siblings Larry, Sally, and Bruce.

**1963 James P. Borden**, 84, of Scituate, Massachusetts, died on August 22, 2025.

Borden earned a B.A. in history and studio arts from

Trinity, where he was a member of Delta Psi. Borden's career in finance and international banking included more than 30 years with Chase and time as an executive vice president at Bank of Boston.

Borden is survived by his wife of 62 years, Marguerite; children Lisa and Tom; son-in-law Joseph Berkeley; and three grandchildren.

**1963 William C. Howland**, 84, of Riverside, Connecticut, died on June 22, 2025.

Howland earned a B.S. in biochemistry from Trinity, where he was a member of Delta Psi, the Senate, and the football and lacrosse teams. He went on to earn an M.B.A. from the Tuck School of Business at Dartmouth College and to a career that included 35 years at Allied Chemical (Honeywell), where he served as director of marketing in the fiber apparel division. The loyal alumnus served as a class agent, class president, and member of several committees.

Howland is survived by his wife of 61 years, Martha; children William C. Howland Jr. '88 (Kristin), Elizabeth Boyle (James), Polly Stoyer (Jeffrey), and John Howland (Jessie); three grandchildren; bonus son Rudy Galicia; and sister Elizabeth Zavac (Dennis).

**1963 Martinus H. Nickerson**, 85, of Bellingham, Washington, died on August 28, 2025.

Nickerson earned a B.A. in history from Trinity, where he was a member of Q.E.D. and worked on the staff of *The Trinity Tripod*. He went on to earn two master's degrees—one in civil engineering and another in public administration—from the University of Colorado and to work for the State of Alaska, retiring as an internal auditor for the state's Department of Transportation and Public Facilities.

Nickerson is survived by wife Sheila; children Thomas, Samuel (Anthia), and Helen; seven grandchildren; two great-granddaughters; and brother William Nickerson III '58 (Jane). He was predeceased by brothers Eugene, Adams, and Schuyler.

**1965 Chedomir J. Markovich**, 83, of Burlington, Connecticut, died on June 5, 2025.

Markovich earned a B.A. in history from Trinity, where he was a member of Alpha Delta Phi and the soccer team. He began his career in the banking and financial industry and moved into the insurance business.

Markovich is survived by wife Gretchen, daughters Paris Wiggins (Frank) and Kimberlyn, four grandchildren, and brother-in-law Van Schreiber.

**1965 Bradley H. Sevin**, 81, of Haverford, Pennsylvania, died on September 23, 2025.

Sevin earned a B.S. in biology from Trinity, where he was a member of Phi Kappa Psi and the Jesters. He went on to earn an M.D. from Temple University and to practice for several decades as a psychiatrist.

Sevin is survived by wife Elizabeth "Liza," children Jennifer Sevin-Sullivan (Patrick) and Joshua Sevin (Naomi), and two granddaughters.

**1966 Daniel F. Doll**, 80, of Hebron, Connecticut, died on July 25, 2025.

Doll earned a B.A. in engineering from Trinity before earning an M.A. from Eastern Connecticut State University. He worked as a social studies teacher in Glastonbury (CT) Public Schools.

Doll is survived by daughter Amy Hartman (Philip), three granddaughters, and siblings Jeff, identical twin David '66,

and Linda. He was predeceased by his wife of more than 60 years, Dorothy.

**1966 James W. Shepard**, 80, of Chatham, Massachusetts, died on September 17, 2025.

Shepard earned a B.S. in biology from Trinity, where he was a member of Theta Xi and worked at WRTC. He went on to earn an M.S. from the University of Pennsylvania and an M.D. from the Lewis Katz School of Medicine at Temple University. The loyal Trinity alumnus practiced in internal medicine and HIV care at Penn Presbyterian Medical Center and two health centers in the Philadelphia Health Department.

Shepard is survived by his wife of 51 years, Lesley; sons Mike Shepard and Chris Shepard; a granddaughter; sister Winifred Lear (Robert); and sister-in-law Pam Nester.

**1967 Thomas M. Zarr**, 80, of Salt Lake City, died on September 10, 2025.

Zarr earned a B.A. in history from Trinity, where he was a member of Theta Xi and the Senate. He went on to earn a J.D. from Boston College. Zarr became a senior partner in two law firms before launching a private practice. He also served in the U.S. Army Reserve.

Zarr is survived by his wife of 57 years, Louise; children Thomas Jr. (Emily) and Melissa (David); and three grandchildren.

**1969 Michael D. Loberg**, 78, of Vineyard Haven, Massachusetts, died on August 7, 2025.

Loberg earned a B.S. in chemistry from Trinity, where he was a member of Pi Kappa Alpha and the fencing team and worked at WRTC. He went on to earn an M.S. and Ph.D. in nuclear chemistry from Washington University in St. Louis. Loberg was a scientist who worked for firms including Bristol Myers

Squibb and pharmaceutical start-ups. He later ran Vineyard Medical Center. The loyal alumnus was honored by Trinity with The Eigenbrodt Cup in 2019 and the Alumni Achievement Award in 2009, and he and his wife were named to the College's Wall of Honor in 2010.

Loberg is survived by wife Melinda, children Brad '00 (Sejal) and Andrea (Gurdeep), two grandchildren, sister Lou Ann, and brother-in-law Tom.

**1971 Steven H. Keeney**, 75, of Louisville, Kentucky, died on July 2, 2025.

Keeney earned a B.A. in religion from Trinity, where he served as president of the Senate and Students for a Democratic Society. He went on to earn an M.A. from Hartford Seminary and a J.D. from the University of Connecticut School of Law and to practice law in Louisville. He and his wife later owned two companies related to home inspections.

Keeney is survived by wife Lorri, son Christian (Patty), stepdaughter Jennifer Foster (O.J.), three step-grandchildren, siblings Doug and Martha Heyburn, and sister-in-law Jill. He was predeceased by brother-in-law John Heyburn II.

**1972 Robert T. "Tom" Robinson**, 75, of Sun Valley, Idaho, and Newport Beach, California, died on July 2, 2025.

Robinson earned a B.A. in English from Trinity, where he was a member of Phi Kappa Psi and played soccer, ice hockey, and lacrosse. He went on to earn an M.A. in religion from Yale Divinity School. Robinson spent much of his career teaching English and coaching soccer at independent schools; he also worked in television production and co-founded an online recruiting and career networking platform.

Robinson is survived by his wife of three decades, Carla, and

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children Haley Robinson and Tyler Robinson.

**1973 Victor T. Cardello**, 73, of San Diego, California, died on April 15, 2025.

Cardello earned a B.A. in music from Trinity, where he was a member of the Concert Choir. He went on to earn an M.A. in musicology from New York University and an M.L.S. from the Columbia University School of Library Service. His career included time as the music librarian at the University of Kansas.

Cardello is survived by husband Robert Melton.

**1975 Ann Tulcin Kates**, 72, of Estero, Florida, died on July 10, 2025.

Kates earned a B.A. in history before launching a career as a special education teacher at Eagle Hill School in Connecticut. She went on to work as a private tutor until her 2018 retirement.

Kates is survived by her husband of 49 years, David; children Erica Powell (Jonathan) and Douglas Kates (Erin); four grandchildren; mother Doris Tulcin; and brother Roger Tulcin. She was predeceased by sister-in-law Gail.

**1976 Charles A. Andrews Jr.**, 71, of Sanbornville, New Hampshire, died on July 5, 2024.

Andrews earned a B.S. in mathematics from Trinity before earning an M.B.A. from New York University. His career included time in banking in Sweden.

Andrews is survived by wife Gocki, daughters Freja and Siri, and stepdaughter Tove.

**1976 Eric H. Corwin**, 71, of Colorado Springs, Colorado, died on September 19, 2025.

Corwin earned a B.S. in computer coordinated with engineering. He went on to earn an M.S. from Duke University and to a career that included time

at Syn Microsystems, where he opened a technology center. Corwin's son Nathan Corwin '15 also graduated from Trinity.

**1976 Edward B. Staudinger**, 71, of Metairie, Louisiana, died on July 8, 2025.

Staudinger earned a B.S. in biochemistry from Trinity, where he was a member of the golf team. He went on to earn an M.D. from Tufts University and to practice as a general surgeon in New Orleans for more than 30 years.

Staudinger is survived by wife Mary; children Cara Ogg (Thomas), Robin Williamson (Matthew), Katherine Staudinger, and Christopher Staudinger (David O'Bryne); five grandchildren; and siblings Kathleen Staudinger (Joseph Campbell), Jane Wallbridge (Edward), Evelyn Staudinger, Kevin Staudinger (Maura Kennedy), and David Staudinger (Holly).

**1976 Melissa "Missy" Wender**, 70, of Las Vegas, died on March 29, 2025.

Wender earned a B.S. in biology before moving on to Worcester Polytechnic Institute, where she earned a master's degree in engineering. Her career included time at Marsh McLennan and as a consultant on cybersecurity and HIPAA issues.

Wender is survived by husband William McReynolds and stepsons Brendan and Conor.

**1978 Charles A. Perkins Jr.**, 68, of North Andover and Bourne, Massachusetts, died on July 21, 2024.

Perkins earned a B.A. in political science from Trinity. After graduating from Western New England University School of Law, he worked in the field of Massachusetts condominium law.

Perkins is survived by wife Ronda Ziner, children Justin and

Heather, and siblings Pam Au (Stanley) and Scott.

**1980 Stephen G. Yarnall**, 67, of Villanova, Pennsylvania, and Stuart, Florida, died on August 20, 2025.

Yarnall earned a B.A. in economics from Trinity on his way to earning an M.B.A. from Duke University's Fuqua School of Business. His career included time at Ramoil Management and later in senior housing, serving as manager of operations for Princeton Windrows. Yarnall also was a licensed Realtor in New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

Yarnall is survived by his wife of 29 years, Elizabeth "Libby," and daughters Sidney, Elizabeth, and Rebecca. He was predeceased by brother James Yarnall Jr.

**1994 John Graham**, 52, of San Francisco, died on April 1, 2025.

Graham earned a B.A. in English from Trinity, where he worked at WRTC. He went on to work as a music journalist at *Willamette Week* in Portland, Oregon.

**2003 Ryan A. Ziemba**, 44, of Clinton, Connecticut, died on October 3, 2025.

Ziemba earned a B.A. in political science from Trinity, where he was a member of Alpha Chi Rho and played rugby. He went on to study music business at the Berklee College of Music and to earn an M.B.A. from Columbia University. He started an artist management company, Take Care Entertainment, and was founder and CEO of Cuttime Inc.

Ziemba is survived by wife Lindsay and parents Walter and Kathy Ziemba.

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**1995 Marsha N. Byrne**, 75, of North Kingston, Rhode Island, and Bluffton, South Carolina, died on July 4, 2025.

Byrne earned a B.A. in psychology; she later volunteered in several roles.

Byrne is survived by children Robin Murphy (Joseph) and Ryan Byrne (Irina Ginzburg), three grandchildren, and long-time companion Alan Citron, as well as his children David Citron (Julie) and Lisa Zapatka (Andrew) and two grandchildren. She was predeceased by brother William Newsom III.

### MASTER'S

**1951 Joseph K. "Jay" Milnor**, 101, of Peabody, Massachusetts, died on December 28, 2024.

Milnor interrupted his studies at Princeton University to serve in the U.S. Army Air Force during World War II. After earning a B.S. from Princeton, he earned an M.A. in educational studies from Trinity. Milnor served as a teacher and then headmaster at several independent schools, including Pomfret School.

Milnor is survived by children Nancy (Stefan), Scott (Marcela), Arthur (Elaine), and Susette (Rick); five granddaughters; and five great-granddaughters.

**1961, 1983 Leta W. Marks**, 93, of West Hartford, Connecticut, died on July 25, 2025.

Marks earned a B.A. from Connecticut College before earning an M.A. in educational studies from Trinity. During her 20-year teaching career at Bloomfield (CT) High School, she earned an M.A. in American studies from Trinity. She went on to earn a Ph.D. in literature from the University of Connecticut and to teach at the University of Hartford.

Marks is survived by children Jonathan (Daniela), Richard (Jennifer), Catherine (William), and Alan (Kathleen); former daughter-in-law Patricia; 10 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by husband Alby,



siblings Elizabeth Parnes (Leo) and Leon “Bubby” Weiss Jr. (Pat), and friend Daniel Lahn.

**1967 James E. Brady**, 89, of Wallingford, Connecticut, died on September 9, 2025.

Brady earned a B.S. from Southern Connecticut State University before teaching middle school. He went on to earn an M.A. in history from Trinity and a Ph.D. from Syracuse University and to a career as a higher education professor and administrator. Brady also served in the U.S. Army in Korea.

Brady is survived by children Kathleen Ricci, Mary Naumec, and James Brady and four grandchildren. He was predeceased by brother Robert (Ann Marie) and son-in-law Craig Naumec.

**1968 Barry N. Curran**, 90, formerly of New Haven, Connecticut, died on July 17, 2025.

Curran earned a B.A. in English and philosophy from the College of the Holy Cross and an M.A. in education from Fairfield University before earning an M.A. in English from Trinity. He went on to earn a Ph.D. in English literature from Fordham University. Curran taught in the Connecticut community college system and served as director of Housatonic Community College’s Learning Center.

Curran is survived by daughter Courtney (William) and two grandchildren. He was predeceased by wife Peggy and brother Edwin Curran.

**1972 John J. Tischio**, 86, of Middlefield, Connecticut, died on July 21, 2025.

Tischio earned a B.A. from Seton Hall University before enlisting in the U.S. Army. After working for General Motors, he earned an M.A. in English from Trinity. Tischio went on

to a career as a commercial real estate broker.

Tischio is survived by his wife of 49 years, Elizabeth; sister Linda Croker (James); and brother-in-law William Machnicki Jr. (Carole).

**1972 Carol Westerman**, 97, of Scottsdale, Pennsylvania, died on September 30, 2025.

Westerman earned a B.A. in early child development from Oberlin College and an M.A. in elementary education from the University of New Mexico. She taught in locations around the world for more than four decades, and during that time, she earned an M.A. in Spanish from Trinity.

Westerman is survived by daughter Paloma (Douglas Cramer), son-in-law Jeffrey Solomon, four grandchildren, and sister-in-law Phyllis Westerman. She was predeceased by daughter Marlena Solomon and brother Richard Westerman.

**1973 David J. Sullivan**, 77, of Suffield, Connecticut, died on August 9, 2025.

Sullivan earned an undergraduate degree from American International College before earning an M.S. in physics from Trinity. He went on to earn an M.B.A. from the Isenberg School of Management at the University of Massachusetts Amherst. Sullivan worked as an electrical engineer at RTX Corporation.

Sullivan is survived by wife Ann Marie and sister Nancy Moskalski (William). He was predeceased by son Dean Sullivan.

**1976 William A. O’Flanagan**, 78, of Philadelphia, died on June 20, 2025.

O’Flanagan earned a B.A. from Boston College before earning an M.A. in educational studies from Trinity. He went on to earn a C.A.S. in education

from the Harvard Graduate School of Education and a Ph.D. in education from the University of Pennsylvania. O’Flanagan served for more than four decades as a headmaster at several schools for students with challenges.

O’Flanagan is survived by wife Anne; children Mary “Maisie” O’Flanagan (Tom Newby), William O’Flanagan (Michelle Toll), and Elizabeth O’Flanagan; six grandchildren; and siblings Jane Lennon (Andrew) and John O’Flanagan. He was predeceased by siblings Mary “Polly” Brady, Kathleen O’Flanagan, and Ann Kfoury.

**1981 Lynda H. Mitchell**, 79, of Thomaston, Connecticut, died on August 7, 2025.

Mitchell earned a B.S. from Central Connecticut State College and then an M.A. in English from Trinity. She worked in education, serving as a teacher and later as a superintendent.

Mitchell is survived by daughter Jamie Weisman (Jonathan), three grandchildren, and sister Tina Galfo.

**1982 Shirley S. Lewis**, 89, of Washington, D.C., died on July 29, 2025.

Lewis earned a B.S. in business from the University of Tennessee and later an M.A. in American studies from Trinity. Her work life included time as a teacher and in real estate.

Lewis is survived by husband G. Douglass Lewis, children G. Douglass Lewis Jr. and Laura Mead, and five grandchildren.

**1991 William S. Barnes**, 89, of Avon, Connecticut, died on July 26, 2025.

Barnes earned a B.A. from Wesleyan University and an M.Div. from Yale Divinity School before being ordained in the United Methodist Church. He spent four decades as a pastor at several churches in

Connecticut; during that time, he also worked in the family-owned and operated Bristol Press Publishing Company and earned an M.A. in American studies from Trinity.

Barnes is survived by children Richard Barnes (Linh Ta, as well as her daughter) and Rebecca Reppucci (Steven), daughter-in-law Maureen Barnes, four grandchildren, and siblings James Barnes and Kathryn Dube (John). He was predeceased by his wife of 64 years, Patricia; son Ronald Barnes; and sister-in-law Ruth.

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**Lynsey N. Majka**, 31, of Ludlow, Massachusetts, died on August 21, 2025.

Majka earned a master’s in athletic administration from Springfield College. In 2018, she began working at Trinity College, first in Athletics, where she served as travel coordinator and then as assistant director of athletic operations, and later in the Advancement Office, where she served as assistant director of athletic giving, a position she held until her passing.

Majka is survived by parents Michael and Doreen Majka, aunt Nancy Majka (Rick Marrs), and uncle Lee Kozikowski (Lori).

#### FORMER STAFF

**Dominique S. Matteson**, 44, of West Hartford, Connecticut, died on September 13, 2025.

Matteson earned a B.A. in English from the University of Connecticut. Before serving as associate vice president for annual giving and constituent engagement at the UConn Foundation, she worked at Trinity College as associate director of parent giving and then director of annual giving, a position she held until 2021.

Matteson is survived by husband Peter, parents Tammy Rickards and Jeffery Soucy, brother Geoffrey Soucy (Ryan), stepmother Helen Rovella,

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and in-laws Donn and Janet Matteson and Howard and Rebecca Slater.

**Charles Morris**, 78, of Windsor, Connecticut, died on December 24, 2025.

After serving in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War, Morris worked for the Hartford Police Department for nearly 20 years. He then served as the director of Trinity College's Campus Safety Department for more than two decades, from 1991 to 2012.

Morris is survived by wife Betty, daughter Antoinnetta Spates (Kevin), two granddaughters, and three great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by children Yvette Dudley, Donald Jones, and Derrick Dudley and brother Andrew Morris.

### DEATH NOTICES

**1945 William V. Golkowski**

**1945 V. Arthur Katz**

**1963 John C. Crowley**

**1971 Louis K. Birinyi Jr.**

**1971 Peter M. Ferdon**

**1976 Mary Ann Calvert-Heavilin**

**1977 Luz E. Ruiz-Figueroa**

**IDP 2012 Holly Butchyk**

**M.A. 1950 Aurilie H. Thivierge**

**M.A. 1952 Seymour M. Ebner**

**M.A. 1955 Walter W. Jab**

**M.A. 1957 Mary H. Golden**

**M.A. 1957 Philip S. Saif**

**M.A. 1959 Edith G. Jaquiere**

**M.A. 1964 William P. Murray**

**M.A. 1967 Joyce C. "Mimi" Garofalo**

**M.S. 1971 Thomas J. Lepore**

**M.A. 1974 Edward J. Clarke**

**M.A. 1975 Helena J. Lawson**

**M.A. 1975 Jeanne Lindsay**

**M.A. 1986 Donald J. Cameron**

**M.A. 1995 William Marr**

### IN MEMORY GUIDELINES

We will not announce the death of a community member without first confirming with a previously published obituary or direct notification from a relative. Also, those who passed away more than two years prior to the date of publication will be listed in Death Notices, along with those for whom we do not have enough information for a longer obituary.

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- Share news about what you're doing in life, including your career, your family, your achievements, and your hobbies.
- Avoid sharing hearsay, that is, news that one alum might tell you about another alum or news that you've learned from social media.
- Avoid political opinions; Trinity's alumni magazine is not the place for those.
- Avoid sharing health information about others, and only share health information about yourself if you're OK with it being published.
- Avoid including information about engagements or pregnancies; it's better to report marriages and births.
- For weddings, please include who, when, and where information.

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