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Joseph R. Boyle, of Columbus, OH, died January 2. Dr. Boyle was a general practitioner for 30 years. He served in the U.S. Army Medical Corps as a captain during World War II. He is survived by several children and their spouses.

1950

David Waxman, of Leawood, KS, died May 19, 2007. Dr. Waxman served in the U.S. Army Air Corps in the Pacific Theater. After completing an internship in Detroit, he moved with his family to Kansas City, MO. There he completed his training in internal medicine and cardiology at the University of Kansas Medical Center. Dr. Waxman continued his military career in the USAF Reserves, ultimately serving as National Consultant to the Surgeon General, USAF, retiring in 1978 with the Distinguished Service Medal, the Legion of Merit with one oak leaf cluster and the rank Major General, the highest rank attainable by a physician reservist. Waxman served as dean of students at Kansas University Medical Center and ultimately became executive vice chancellor from 1978-1983. He retired from medicine in 1994 after serving as a special consultant to the chancellor for health affairs. He is survived by his wife, Jane Zabel Waxman, MD; his daughters, Gail Prestigiacomo, PHR, Annie Lopez, JD, and Abby Moore, CPA; his sons, Michael Waxman, MD, Dan Waxman, MD, and Steve Waxman, MD; and several grandchildren.

1951

Frank L. Babbott, Jr., of Shelburne, VT, died March 6. Dr. Babbott served in the U.S. Army during World War II, where he was a laboratory technician with the 79th General Hospital in Great Britain and France. Post-doctoral training included an internship at Rochester General Hospital and a master's degree program at the Harvard School of Public Health. While there, he directed a three-year field study in arctic Alaska, Finland, and Greenland. Subsequently, he was an assistant professor in the Department of Community Medicine

at the University of Pennsylvania. In 1963, he joined the faculty of the University of Vermont College of Medicine as an associate professor, after working for a year in London with the British Ministry of Health. Besides training medical students in Vermont, Babbott was involved with several studies of respiratory illness in industrial and agricultural populations. For several years, he was vice chairman of the American College of Preventive Medicine as well as the secretary-treasurer of the Association of Teachers of Preventive Medicine. He is survived by his wife, Cynthia; three children; six grandchildren; two brothers; and his sister.

Harold C. Heintz, of Clinton, NY, died September 1, 2007. Dr. Heintz served as a commissioned Ensign on the USS Randolph during World War II, and upon his return, graduated from Hamilton College and then earned his medical degree at Upstate. In 1955, Dr. Heintz became a partner in a private radiology practice in Utica, serving as both a radiologist and radiation oncologist. He traveled to many of the small town hospitals across western New York where he brought state of the art medicine to the region with the establishment of Four County Radiation Medicine. He created the region's first facility dedicated exclusively to the diagnosis and treatment of breast cancer, The Community Mammography Center. Heintz conceived of and formed the first local Cooperative Magnetic Imaging group. His approach to medicine was to deliver the most advanced and accurate diagnosis and treatment. His indelible signature endures on the landscape of healthcare in his community. His efforts in the field of medicine were recognized with his induction as a fellow of the American College of Radiology and by the humanitarian award which he received from The World Mercy Fund for his contributions to the advancement of Radiology in economically deprived South American countries. He is survived by his wife, Suzanne, and his daughters, Deborah, Kristy, Matsie, Judy, Elizabeth, Suzie; his sons, Andrew and Harold Jr.; and twelve grandchildren.

1952

Louis E. Griffey, of Norwood, MA, died February 19. Dr. Griffey served in the Army in the late 1940's and early 1950's in Germany, Denver, and Texas, achieving the rank of Captain before his honorable discharge. Dr. Griffey relocated to Natick, MA, in 1954, where he completed his specialty in otolaryngology (ENT) at the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary. He established a private ENT practice, which brought ENT services to the Natick-Framingham suburban area. In the 1970's, Griffey and his wife and children spent a month each year providing care at a missionary hospital in St Lucia. They also helped staff the Boston Marathon emergency-care tents for several years in the 1980's. He retired from his ENT practice in 1991. He is survived by his daughters, Susan, Karen, Katharine, Robin and Beth; and his son, David.

1964

Edward V. Ferrara, of Cincinnati, OH, died February 20. Dr. Ferrara began his internship at General Hospital of the University of Cincinnati, with residency training in internal medicine and a fellowship in nephrology. He served as general medical officer with the U.S. Navy, attached to the Marines in Vietnam from 1966 to 1968. He was awarded the National Defense Service Medal, Vietnamese Gallantry Cross, and the Presidential Unit Commendation for his service. In 1970, Dr. Ferrara began his private practice of internal medicine in Cincinnati. Before retiring, he joined the Wooster Clinic in Wooster, OH, which was affiliated with the Cleveland Clinic. He believed strongly in preventive medicine and wanted to be involved in his patients' lives before they became sick. He is survived by his wife, Linda; his children, brothers and sisters, and several grandchildren.

1968

Edwin T. Dailey, of Auburn, NY, died January 29. Dr. Dailey completed his residency at Upstate and was a diplomat and fellow of the American College of Radiology. In honor of his friend and mentor, E. Robert Heitzman, MD, '51, Dr. Dailey co-chaired the establishment of the E. Robert Heitzman Endowed Professorship in Radiology Research at Upstate. Dailey served in the U.S. Navy as lieutenant commander at the Boston Naval Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Flora; his daughter, Elizabeth; his son William; his stepdaughter, Heather; his stepson, Todd; his sister, Eileen; three granddaughters and two step grandsons.

1971

Leslie D. Woodcock, of Cazenovia, NY, died in a private plane crash on April 18. Dr. Woodcock served as a lieutenant colonel in the Armed Forces and completed his residency in ophthalmology at Walter Reed Medical Center, Washington, DC. He was chief of ophthalmology at Fort Devens, MA. He returned to Syracuse, where he practiced medicine, specializing in cataract and laser surgery, serving the Syracuse and Watertown communities for 38 years until his retirement in 2007. He was a diplomat of the American Board of Ophthalmology, a fellow of the American Academy of Ophthalmology, the American College of Surgeons, the International College of Surgeons and the American College of Eye Surgeons. Woodcock was an avid pilot for more than 40 years and logged more than 2,000 hours in the air. He obtained further ratings of instrument, single engine sea and was currently working toward his commercial pilot certification. He is survived by his wife, Patricia Delmonico Woodcock; five children, Christine (Louis) Dettor of Fayetteville, Dr. Leslie Jr. (Kristen) of Fayetteville, Jonathan (Lori) of Matawan, NJ, Anne (Dr. Elan) Salzhauer of Skaneateles and Dr. Catherine (Chad) Bailey of Syracuse; six grandchildren; a brother, Stewart (Mary Jane) Woodcock of Fayetteville; and 16 nieces and nephews.

1973

Newton C. Galusha, of Colleyville, TX, died May 6, 2007. Dr. Galusha was raised on the family farm in Groton, NY. After completing his education, he did his internship and residency in internal medicine at Virginia Commonwealth in Richmond, VA. He fulfilled his Air Force commitment as the chief intern at Carswell Air Force Base in Fort Worth from 1976 to 1980. In 1981, he started the addiction treatment center in Euless, TX, now known as Harris Methodist Springwood, where he was medical director for 26 years. Starting in 1985, he began to build his practice and was joined by many partners, who later became known as Northeast Tarrant Internal Medicine Associates. He is survived by his wife, Vivian; his daughters, Andrea Galusha Duba, MD, and Sara; his sons, Michael and Keith; his sisters, Bonnie and Cindie; his brother Dan, and his granddaughter, Rheanna.

Friends

John J. Fischer of Rockville Centre, NY, died on April 20. The father of the late Joseph Fischer, MD '79, Mr. Fischer was a U.S. Air Force veteran of WW II and Korea, and former WWII POW. He was an attorney with Fischer Brother's law firm in New York City. He is survived by daughters Eleanor Quigley, Kathy Davis, and Mary Fischer; and sons John J. Jr., Dr. William, and Dr. Thomas; and 15 grandchildren.



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