



Rowland Adams "Hutch" Hutchinson

October 30, 1934 - November 13, 2016

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Rowland Adams "Hutch", 82, of Louisville passed away Sunday November 13th, 2016 at his home with his family by his side.

Dr. Rowland Adams Hutchinson was born in Pennsylvania. He attended Ursinus and received a D.D.S. degree from the University of Pennsylvania in 1958. He received an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree from the University of Detroit Mercy in 2001. After spending 20 years in the United States Army Dental Corps, he retired as Colonel in 1978. During his military career, he served as an intern, an oral biology fellow, a research officer, and a resident in periodontics at Walter Reed Army Medical Center. He received an M.S. in Microbiology from Georgetown University in 1965. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Periodontology. He directed two military residency programs in periodontics and served as a part time faculty member at six dental schools.

Following completion of his military career, he became Director of Graduate Periodontics at the Medical University of South Carolina. He subsequently became a clinical Professor at the University of North Carolina and the Bowman Gray School of Medicine of Wake Forest University. In 1984, Dr. Hutchinson became Chairman of Oral Medicine/Periodontics at the University of Detroit. He was named Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, Executive Associate Dean and in 1989, Dean of the University Detroit Mercy School of Dentistry. In 1991 he was named Professor and Dean of the School of Dentistry at the University Of Louisville a position that he held until his retirement in 1999. In 2004, he was named Professor and Dean Emeritus of the school of Dentistry at the University Of Louisville. He served as Interim Dean of the school from 2005 to 2006.

Dr. Hutchinson is a member of Omicron Kappa Upsilon Honorary Dental Society, the Pierre Fauchard Academy and both the American and International Colleges of Dentistry. He was awarded an Honorary Fellowship in the Academy of General Dentistry in 2002 and a Fellowship in the American Academy of Periodontology in 2004. He had been active in the American Dental Association having served on the Commission of Dental Accreditation and the Council of Dental Education. From 2001 until 2004 he served on the Board of Directors of Oral Health America. He served as Vice- President of the Council of

Deans and as a member of the Executive Committee of the American Association of Dental Schools for 3 years. He was President of the American Dental Education Association in 2000-2001 and a member of the ADEA Board of Directors from 1999 until 2002.

He was preceded in death by his parents Rowland and Ellen Hutchinson.

Rowland is survived by his loving wife; Kathleen Fretz Hutchinson, sons; Douglas Allen Hutchinson (Teresa), Mark David Hutchinson (Barbara), grandsons; John Rowland Hutchinson, Samuel Douglas Hutchinson, and Ted Robert Hutchinson.

His funeral service will be 11:00AM Saturday November 19th, 2016 at Ratterman Funeral Home 12900 Shelbyville Rd. East Louisville, KY 40243 with burial in Cave Hill Cemetery to follow.

Visitation will be 4 to 9 Friday November 18th, 2016 and 9:00 am until the service time on Saturday at the funeral home.

Expressions of sympathy may be donated to the Jimmy V Foundation 14600 Weston Parkway Cary, NC. 27513 in Rowland's honor.

Cemetery

Cave Hill

701 Baxter Ave.

Louisville, KY, 40206

Comments



“ Donna and Phillip Westermann purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Rowland Adams "Hutch" Hutchinson.



Donna and Phillip Westermann - 7 hours ago