

MOODY



Funeral Service

*"We Strive For A Quality Of Service
That Will Give You Service Of Quality"*

IN MEMORY OF

HOWARD OSLER WOLTZ, JR.

April 2, 1925

January 2, 2011

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Wednesday

January 5, 2011

11:00 AM

Central United Methodist Church

CLERGY

The Rev. John Ferree

Memorial contributions may be made to
Mountain Valley Hospice and Palliative Care
401 Technology Lane, Suite 200
Mount Airy, NC 27030; or
Central United Methodist Church, 1909 North Main Street
Mount Airy, NC 27030; or
The Mount Airy Museum of Regional History
301 North Main Street, Mt. Airy, NC 27030

SURVIVORS

DAUGHTERS AND SON-IN-LAW

Louise Woltz

Wilmington, NC

Joanie and Randy Robins

Richmond, VA

SONS AND DAUGHTERS-IN-LAW

H and Agnes Woltz

Mount Airy, NC

Ed and Ellen Woltz

Mount Airy, NC

GRANDCHILDREN

Rand Robins

Washington, DC

Spotty Robins

Richmond, VA

Berkeley Robins

Richmond, VA

Louise Woltz Smith

Richmond, VA

Parker Woltz

Atlanta, GA

Charlotte Woltz

New York, NY

Reddin Woltz

Mount Airy, NC

Moore Woltz

Mount Airy, NC

Osler Woltz

Mount Airy, NC

Bessie Rose Woltz

Mount Airy, NC

Jay Hull

Beijing, China

Will Hull

Charleston, SC

Teddy Hull

Mount Airy, NC

SISTER-IN-LAW

Pat Woltz

Mount Airy, NC

BROTHER-IN-LAW AND HIS WIFE

Jack and Julie Moore

Mount Airy, NC

Mr. Woltz was preceded in death by his wife, Joan Moore Woltz; his parents, Howard Osler Woltz, Sr. and Louise Elliott Woltz; and a brother, John Elliott Woltz, Sr.

I am standing upon the seashore. A ship at my side spreads her white sails to the morning breeze and starts for the blue ocean. She is an object of beauty and strength. I stand and watch her until at length she hangs like a speck of white cloud just where the sea and sky come to mingle with each other.

Then someone at my side says: "There, she is gone!"

"Gone where?"

Gone from my sight. That is all. She is just as large in mast and hull and spar as she was when she left my side and she is just as able to bear the load of living freight to her destined port.

Her diminished size is in me, not in her. And just at the moment when someone at my sides says: "There, she is gone!" There are other eyes watching her coming, and other voices ready to take up the glad shout: "Here she comes!"

And that is dying.

—Henry Van Dyke

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MOUNT AIRY, NORTH CAROLINA

DOBSON, NORTH CAROLINA

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OBITUARIES

WOLTZ

MOUNT AIRY — Mr. Howard Osler Woltz Jr. died on Jan. 2, 2011. He was born on April 2, 1925, in Mount Airy, North Carolina to Louise Elliott and Howard Osler Woltz Sr. He graduated from Mount Airy High School in 1942 and received his degree from the University of Virginia School of Law in 1948. While at the University of Virginia, he was a member of Alpha Tau Omega, Omicron Delta Kappa and Phi Delta Phi. He served as President of the Interfraternity Council, President of the Student Council and was a Member of the Honor Committee. He practiced law in Mount Airy from 1948 until 1954. In 1953, Mr. Woltz entered the concrete block business which was the predecessor of Insteel Industries, Inc. Under his stewardship Insteel achieved national prominence as a supplier of reinforcing materials for the construction industry. He held numerous industry leadership positions and his accomplishments were recognized by his peers on a national level. In

Woltz's words, he believed "in making a better world, in addition to making a living." Over the course of his life he consistently contributed to his community and took genuine interest in the welfare of other people. Mr. Woltz was an organizer and former Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Surry Community College, former Chairman of the Mount Airy/Surry County Airport Authority, and a founder and former President of the Greater Mount Airy United Fund. In addition, he was instrumental in the development of Raven Knob Boy Scout Reservation, an organizer of hospice services in Surry County and a founder of the Mount Airy Museum of Regional History. Mr. Woltz was a long time member of Central United Methodist Church, having served in numerous leadership capacities over the last sixty years. His contribution to the community was acknowledged in 1991 when he was named Citizen of the Year by the Chamber of Commerce of Greater Mount Airy. When asked recently by his granddaughter, Bessie Rose, to name his greatest accomplishment, Woltz stated he was especially proud of the loving relationship shared by his children and their children. Woltz was preceded in death by his wife, Joan Moore Woltz and his brother, John Elliott Woltz Sr. He is survived by four children, Louise Woltz of Wilmington, Joanie Robins and her husband Randy of Richmond, Va., H. and Agnes Woltz of Mount Airy and Ed and Ellen

Woltz of Mount Airy. He is also survived by 13 grandchildren, Rand Robins of Washington, D.C., Spotty and Berkeley Robins of Richmond, Va., Louise Woltz Smith of Richmond, Va, Parker Woltz of Atlanta, Ga., Charlotte Woltz of New York City, and Reddin Woltz of Mount Airy, Moore, Osler and Bessie Rose Woltz, of Mount Airy, Jay Hull of Beijing, China, Will Hull of Charleston, S.C. and Teddy Hull of Mount Airy. He is also survived by a sister-in-law, Pat Woltz of Mount Airy and a brother-in-law Jack Moore and his wife Julie of Mount Airy. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, Jan. 5, 2011, at Central United Methodist Church in Mount Airy, with family visitation at 10 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The family would like to thank his caregivers, Jackie Page and Glenda Kolbe and the staff of Lower Cape Fear Hospice for their compassion and loyalty. In lieu of flowers the family asks for memorial contributions to be made to Mountain Valley Hospice and Palliative Care, Central United Methodist Church or the Mount Airy Museum of Regional History.