OBITUARY HOWARD W. PHILLIPS

Howard W. Phillips, a former class president and head agent with a varied career in the law, business, and corporate finance, died on January 25, 2013. He is survived by his wife Carol, two children, a step-son, four grandchildren, and a brother, Gerald Phillips (Dartmouth '47).

Howard graduated from Dartmouth magna cum laude in economics and english and from the Tuck School. He was a member of Tau Epsilon Phi fraternity and on the staff of Jack-O-Lantern.

Following service as a U.S. Naval officer he attended Harvard Law School, again graduating with honors. He was active as an alumnus of both schools, heading the Class of 1951's alumni fund campaign from 1965-1972 and serving as class president between the 20th and 25th reunions.

Howard spent five years as a Wall Street lawyer, five years as senior vice president and chief operating officer of McCall Corporation (publishing), and 25 years as an investment banker with Oppenheimer and Co. and D. H. Blair and Co. His diverse experience made him especially effective in assisting small- and medium-sized clients with financial and operating concerns. His friends, colleagues and clients describe him as first and foremost a practical businessman and business problem solver.

Howard and Carol maintained homes in East Hampton, New York and Sarasota, Florida where he was until recently an active golfer, tennis player and skier. His great love was the theatre, especially the Asolo Repertory Theatre in Sarasota which he served as president and long-time board member.