

Warren Sturtevent Quimby died June 21 at St. Peter's Hospital in Slingerlands, New York. Warren finished Thayer School as a Marine under the V-12 program. Discharged in 1946, he went to Purdue University, got his master's in civil engineering and joined a consulting firm in N.Y.C. before attending Yale Bureau of Traffic Engineering. Following his 1951-52 recall in the Marines, Warren resumed his job with the New York Port Authority, a 37-year career that included participation in the design team on the George Washington Bridge. Warren's first wife, Elizabeth, with whom he had five children, died in 1992, the same year he lost his oldest daughter. Remarried in 1994 to Barbara Rollhaus Quimby, who survives him, he gained three stepchildren, who survive along with sons Robert '75, Roger and Gordon; daughter Mary; and 17 grandchildren.

1947

Arthur Garnsey Carr, M.D., of Hurley, New York, died on September 4, 2001. He joined the class in the Navy and as an undergraduate was active in Foley House. No further information is available.

Ralph Russell Defonce of Trumbull, Connecticut, died of cancer on April 9. He entered the class from Poughkeepsie (New York) High School. After service in the Army in the Pacific, he returned to graduate and continued to Tuck School, where he graduated in 1949. He joined Isaacson's, a clothing store in Seymour, Connecticut, in 1963 and rose to become president and CEO of the organization. In 1979 he was elected to the Ansonia Savings Bank board of directors. He also served as a director of the Lower Naugatuck Valley Chamber of Commerce, a Griffin Hospital corporator and as a volunteer for the Valley United Way. He is survived by his wife and three children.

Gerard Majella J. Mauer of Saint David's, Pennsylvania, died April 14, 2000. He came to the College in the Navy and completed an engineering degree at Villanova University in 1949. He continued with service in the Navy from 1943 to 1946 and again from 1951 to 1952. In his professional life he was an associate with Kramer-Warner Associates in Newtown Square, Pennsylvania. He was active in the Philadelphia Council of the Navy League. He is survived by his wife, Patricia, and six children.

Harold Anthony Redner of Okemos, Michigan, died on May 10, 2001. As an undergraduate he completed a degree in naval science in the R.O.T.C. program. He went on to graduate school in business administration at Syracuse University and worked variously for Montgomery Ward, Book-of-the-Month Club, Continental Can, Random House and

Wyer, Dick Inc. He is survived by his wife, Cara, and two children.

H. Richard Wilking of Williamsburg, Virginia, died on May 5. He attended college in the Navy and served in the Pacific on an aircraft carrier. He returned to Indiana University and completed a B.S. in 1947 and an M.S. in business administration in 1948. He worked at the First National Bank of Chicago for 30 years, rising to the position of senior vice president. In 1977 he moved to Hanover and was employed in the trust department of the Dartmouth National Bank for 10 years. In 1995 he retired to Williamsburg, when he developed Parkinson's disease. He is survived by his wife, Almeda, two children and five grandchildren.

1950

James Vail III died on August 3 in Chicago. He and wife Peggy had been living in a retirement community in Lake Forest since just before his class's 50th reunion. Jim came to Dartmouth from Woodrow Wilson High in Chevy Chase, Maryland, having grown up in the Evanston and D.C. areas. He attended Naval Flight School during the Korean War, then he went to work for American Hospital Supply, where he spent a highly successful career in sales, public relations and management. He and Peggy and their four sons, one of them a Dartmouth man, lived in Columbus, Charlotte and the Chicago area. Jim was a generous supporter and a trustee of several church, charitable and educational institutions, including the Dartmouth Medical School. In addition to his wife, he is survived by two of his sons and five grandchildren.

Daniel C. Wing died at his home in Nashua, New Hampshire, on May 6. He was born in Honduras; raised in Lowell, Massachusetts; graduated from Lowell High School; and served in the Army Air Corps. Dan was an economics major and a member of Kappa Kappa Kappa. Before retiring in 1992 Dan had been a sales engineer with several electronic companies. Dan's father was Dartmouth '15 and his brother Howard was '49. Dan was divorced and is survived by two daughters, two grandchildren, three nieces and his brother.

1951

George Safford Jr. died August 17, 2001, on his farm in Richmond, Vermont, of heart disease. Born in Boston and raised in Wellesley Hills, he prepared for Dartmouth at Wellesley High School plus a postgraduate year at Phillips Andover Academy. After graduation with a major in psychology, George served in the Navy on a destroyer. He followed that with courses in dairy management at University of New Hampshire and a veterinary course in Kansas. All this prepared him in 1956 to go

to Richmond as a helper on a dairy farm, which he eventually purchased. Never really retiring, George managed his extensive gardens, chickens, apple orchards and Christmas trees. He was well-known and loved in Richmond for his generous gifts of Christmas trees, apples, vegetables, berries, eggs and flowers of many kinds. He is survived by a brother and sister-in-law, Nick and Martha, two nephews and a niece.

1956

Kenneth Eastman Thomas died in Atlanta, Georgia, March 29 after a long battle with a brain tumor. Following graduation from Dartmouth's Medical School and the Stanford University School of Medicine, he did an internship and residency at the University of Minnesota Medical School and a surgical residency at the West Virginia University School of Medicine. Dr. Thomas served in the Air Force from 1966 through 1969 in Libya and Vietnam, earning the Bronze Star for meritorious service. Upon returning to the states Ken established the first cardiac care unit at Atlanta's Saint Joseph's Hospital, now considered a premier facility. He helped organize and lead efforts to bring Ethiopian children to Atlanta for cardiac treatment and led a team of cardiac surgeons, nurses and others to El Salvador each year to perform cardiac procedures that were otherwise unavailable. Ken is survived by his wife, Sara, and three children.

1957

Robert William Ramsdell Jr. of Charlotte, Vermont, died of cancer on May 5, 1999. He came to Dartmouth from Shaker Heights, Ohio, thinking that he would find rural life attractive. After leaving Dartmouth he directed a riding camp and worked with the Sterling Institute of Craftsbury Common, Vermont. Bob met Debbie, his second wife, in 1990. Besides tandem bicycling from Los Angeles to Boston in 1993, they hiked and traveled here and abroad when Bob was not on duty at the Trapp Family Lodge. Soon after retiring in 1996 he was diagnosed with cancer that had spread rapidly, but he fought it successfully for 30 months. Besides Debbie and her children, Bob left his first wife, Margie, their children Linda and Bob and granddaughter Emma.

Cecil Freeman Simpson died in Palm Springs, California, on February 16, 2001. He came to Dartmouth from the Mirabeau Lamar School in Houston, Texas, and majored in romance languages. He was active in the Dartmouth Christian Union. After earning an M.A. at Middlebury College "Ceece" taught at Kent School, Bradford Junior College, in Mexico and in the California state university system. For 30 years Ceece had been a private financial investor and served on the