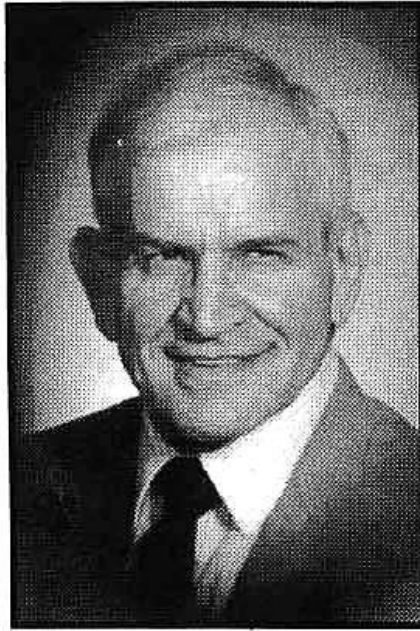


Thomas R. Hartley, Sr.

September 23, 1926 – June 28, 2013

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THOMAS R. HARTLEY

Thomas R. (Tom) Hartley Sr. passed away on July 28, 2013 in Gloucester, Virginia after a long battle with dementia. A native of Hinton, West Virginia, Tom was one of seven children born to the late Samuel Frederick and Zetta Hartley. He was preceded in death by all of his siblings and his first wife Hazel R. Hartley.

Tom grew up in Hinton where he starred as a tackle on the football team. He was named second team all-state and the best Hinton player during the four year period that he played. He was a member of the Hinton High School Hall of Fame.

Tom served in the U.S Army during World War II in the Philippines and as part of the

occupying force in Japan. After the war he moved to Richmond, Virginia where he worked as the Executive Director of the Homebuilders Association of Southside Virginia before finishing his working life as the Executive Director of the Virginia Building Material Dealers Association. He met the love of his life and future wife Cindy when he took the VBMA position. They worked together daily until Tom retired to spend more time at the home they both loved at "the Rivah" in Jamaica, Virginia.

Tom will be remembered by his family as a loving husband and a devoted father, stepfather, and grandfather. His friends will fondly recall his keen sense of humor, his love of Dixieland jazz and sports of all kinds, his enthusiasm for life, and his love of a good time.

Tom is survived by his wife Cindy of Jamaica, Virginia, his son Randy and his wife Ginny, and their children Jacob and Michael, his son Reed and his wife Pat, and their children Ben, Lauren, Becca, and Nick, his stepdaughter Maria Biggers, his stepson Chris Biggers, and his stepdaughter Amy Zona and her husband David, and their children Duncan and Camille.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to United Methodist Family Services at 3900 West Broad Street Richmond Virginia 23230 or to Riverside Hospice at 7358 Main Street Gloucester Courthouse Virginia 23061.