Alumni Award

A. Robert Davies
Class of 1955

Today we applaud A. Robert Davies for stellar efforts on behalf of her Alma Mater, and in appreciation recognize him with this Alumni Award. Throughout the years since graduating with the enthusiastic class of 1955, Bob has added loyalty and devotion to Ohio Wesleyan through his affection, pride and enjoyment of family, the medical profession and aviation.

Elected by a perceptive electorate to the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association in 1986, Bob served as a vocal and sagacious member of the Campus Activities and Communications Committees, and as chair person of the Organization Committee. He moved into the Vice President’s position in 1988, fitting frequent trips to Delaware into a Troy-Columbus commuting routine.

In 1990, he cheerfully relinquished his preferred place on the Monnett Room sofa to pilot the Board as its President- a position he held until 1992.

During a two-year tenure, he presided with good humored decorum, and represented his constituents at Board of trustee meetings, where he reported lucidly on alumni concerns and activities.

In 1994, the University’s National Colloquium program on medical issues was beneficiary of Bob’s medical experience, as he presented a talk on “Health Care Reform: What Has to Change” and participated in a round-table discussion with Ralph Nadar.

Today we join Bob’s reunioning classmates, which include his spouse Shirley Culp Davies, in saluting and thanking him for four decades of devoted service to Ohio Wesleyan University.

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