

Richard D, Jordan, III

During the summer of 2006 we were saddened to learn of the passing of Dick Jordan, President General from 2004-2005. Dick died peacefully at home on July 27, 2006 in Cape Coral, Florida with his family by his side.

Dick was born September 30, 1931. After graduating from Virginia Tech he began a successful business career. During his retirement Dick and his wife, Jo, split their time between Ohio and Florida. He found many activities to keep himself busy.

In addition, to serving this organization and the Kiwanis Club of Iona McGregor faithfully and in many capacities, Dick loved working with teenagers. For over twenty years, he worked faithfully with the junior high students who were members of the Cypress Lake Builder's Club in Fort Myers, Florida. As one friend noted, he made a lasting imprint on the young people whose lives he touched. He inspired them to reach for the stars.

Dick was known as a great organizer and a no nonsense individual who could be counted on to get a project finished. He will be sorely missed by all in the family.

James Roger Westlake, Sr.

We were deeply saddened to learn of the death of Jim Westlake on March 25, 2008. Jim served this organization faithfully for many years and will be sorely missed.

Jim was born in Kansas City on February 11, 1928. He attended the University of Missouri, and served in the Navy in the Pacific Theater. He received his BBA and MBA from Georgia State College and MBA in Public Administration from the University of Georgia. Jim served in the Georgia State Legislature representing DeKalb County. In addition, he held Federal posts in the EPA and the Department of Commerce.

Jim served the Society as President General for two terms, but most of us fondly remember his creative efforts to raise funds for our treasury. With Joyce at his side, he always brought us wonderful items to purchase as well as raffle tickets for the most prized of his offerings.

Jim and Joyce have raised four wonderful children and have enjoyed their grandchildren and great-grandchildren. We are all richer for knowing him.