



Joseph L. Woods Jr.

September 26, 1914 - January 11, 2010

On January 11, 2010, Joseph L. Woods, Jr. passed away at the age of 95 in Easton, MD.

Joe's educational and professional background is diverse. He attended Johns Hopkins University for mechanical engineering and Maryland Institute / Rinehart School of Sculpture for art. Joe worked at and eventually inherited the family business, Winchester & Woods; a Baltimore toy watch manufacturing company. Additionally, Joe pursued his passion for art all through his life, crafting statues and bas reliefs from Baltimore to Miami, sometimes professionally but often as contribution to the community.

During World War II, Joe was not a combatant. He and his father used the family business engineering resources to work with the government to research and develop products critical to the war effort.

Joe was engaged to varying degrees with many organizations and activities, including the Episcopal Church (Church of the Redeemer and Old Saint Paul's), neighborhood associations (Federal Hill Neighborhood Assn.), club memberships (The Beaver Club, MENSA, Martini Club, etc.), and contributing to organizations like the Maryland Institute.

Joe is survived by his wife Betty Porter; his daughters, Elizabeth Pirie (David) and Janney, and his son, Joseph (Margaret). A second son, David Porter, passed away August 3, 1995. Joe had nine grandchildren; Jessica, Joseph, William & Sean, Sarah & David, Joe, John & Cameron. Joe had a brother, William Harvey, who passed away November 12, 2007. Betty and Joe celebrated their 68th wedding anniversary on June 14, 2009.

A memorial service will be held on March 11, 2010 at 2:00 P.M. at the Old Saint Paul's Church on Charles and Saratogo Street, Baltimore, MD.

A reception will follow at the Historic Rectory on 24 West Saratogo Street, Baltimore, MD

In lieu of flowers, it is the family's wish that contributions be made to Talbot Hospice Foundation, 586 Cynwood Drive, Easton, MD 21601.

Tribute Wall



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“ *I remember his kindness and intellect. I always respected his craftsmanship. He was very understanding.*

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