



George Orr

May 14, 1934 - June 12, 2010

A memorial service for Dr. George Orr, age 76 of Tyler will be held on Wednesday, June 16, 2010 at 1:00 PM at Stewart Family Funeral Home Chapel with Reverend Pam Leach officiating. His family will return him to Scotland at a later date. Dr. George Orr passed away on June 12, 2010 at Hospice of East Texas in Tyler after a brief illness. He was born May 14, 1934 in Armadale, Scotland to Edward and Margaret Orr. He attended Watsons College and The University of Edinburgh Medical School. He served in the British Army in the Middle East before doing his residency in Baltimore, Maryland. After becoming an MD, he married his wife of 35 years in Moulin, Scotland. Shortly after their marriage, they moved to Texas and started practicing medicine and raising a family. Both of their families thought they were moving to the wild west. He practiced in Rule and Paducah before moving to Tyler in 1981, where he practiced until retiring in 2002. George was a gourmet cook and loved to travel and garden. He was a lover of history and especially knowledgeable on World War II. He loved gatherings with friends and was always the life of the party. He touched the lives of so many in his personal life and in his practice. He will be greatly missed and forever remembered. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brother, Ronald, his loving wife, Tish and son-in-law, Harold Brasfield. He is survived by his daughter, Gillian Brasfield; sons and daughters-in-law, Andrew and Lisa Orr and Keir and Heather Orr; three grandsons, Preston, Clayton and Ian Orr, and one granddaughter, Kristen Casey all of Tyler. The family will

receive friends Tuesday, June 15, 2010 from 5:30 to 7:00 PM at Stewart Family Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Salvation Army at 633 North Broadway Avenue, Tyler, Texas 75702, Hospice of East Texas Foundation at 4111 University Blvd., Tyler, Texas 75701 or the charity of your choice.

Tribute Wall

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“ To Gillian, Andrew & Keir: My heart and prayers are with you at this sad time.

You know how close I was to him and how much I cared for him as a physician, mentor, friend and patient.

He taught me everything I know and I will miss him deeply; especially his sense of humor and the way he called my name! Love to you all. Patti

Patti Ashley Boyd - June 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ From Wynell: Dr. Orr cared for my parents, Vernon and Arabella Pittman for many years until their deaths as well as my mother in law Lillie Goddard. We loved Dr. Orr, trusted him and felt he gave us great care. We grieved with him when his wife died and now grieve with his family members.

From Larry: He was a fine doctor and I liked to hear him talk--in fact our appointments went long because I found him so fascinating that I asked more questions of him as a patient than he did me as the doctor. He led a charmed life, impacted many positively, and was loved by many.

Wynell Goddard and Larry Goddard - June 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM