



Dean Emeritus Robert Clark Weyrick passed from this life to life eternal on January 25 at age 85.

He was born to Clark and Miriam (Hassler) Weyrick on October 25, 1924 and was a life-long resident of Akron, graduating from Ellet High School in 1942. Robert was a veteran of World War II having served with the Army Air Corps in the Pacific Theater as a communication and radar specialist.

He held engineering degrees from The University of Akron and Case Institute of Technology and was a registered Professional Engineer. Following employment with the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co., Babcock and Wilcox Co. and Goodyear Aerospace Corporation, Robert joined the faculty of the newly established Community and Technical College (now Summit College) at The University of Akron in 1964. He served as Dean of the College for many years, became Associate Provost of the University, and retired as Professor Emeritus and Dean Emeritus in 1989.

Robert was a Senior Life Member of the American Institute of

Electrical and Electronic Engineers serving as the first Akron Section Chairman. He was awarded three U.S. patents and authored two engineering textbooks. He served three terms as a member of the City of Akron Planning Commission.

As a 61-year member of North Springfield Presbyterian Church, Robert was a long-time elder and served the church in numerous ways including treasurer.

Robert is survived by his loving wife of 60 years, Helen; by sons, James (Patricia) of Schaumburg, Ill., Gary (Leslie) of Chagrin Falls, and David (Beth) of Akron; by six grandchildren, Adam, Kyle, Elaine, Amy, Dana, and Joshua Weyrick; and by his beloved sister, Helen Parish of Plantation, Fla.

There will be no calling hours. Burial will be at the Ohio Western Reserve National Cemetery at the convenience of the family. A memorial service will be held at the North Springfield Presbyterian Church on Sunday, January 31 at 2:30 p.m., Pastor Janet Lowery officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to North Springfield Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 6347, Akron 44312 or to the Dean Robert C. Weyrick Scholarship Fund at The University of Akron. (REDMON, STOW, 330-688-6631)

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