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# OBITUARIES

**Helen Paul Clement '30**, Feb. 8, 2008, in Weymouth, Mass., at 99. She taught high school English in Milo, Maine, for several years and was a homemaker. She was predeceased by her husband of 57 years, Stanley Clement '32, and sister Alice Paul Allen '29. She had a daughter.

**Martha Bessom Gorman '38**, July 19, 2014, in Marblehead, Mass., at 98. She earned a master's from Radcliffe College and was owner and president of Tiny Tot Nursery School from 1945 to 1966. She then taught kindergarten in Topsfield, Mass., until her retirement in 1978. Active in her community, she was a lifelong member of St. Michael's Church, a member of the Marblehead Historical Society and the Daughters of the American Revolution, and a former guide and greeter at the Lee Mansion. Predeceased by her husband, James "Chappy," and a son, she is survived by two daughters, six grandchildren, and nine great-grandchildren.

**Jeanette Drisko Rideout '39**, June 30, 2014, in Reedsburg, Wis., at 96. She earned a bachelor's in library science from Simmons College and worked in several libraries, retiring as associate director from her favorite, the School of Library Science Library at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, in 1983. She organized a library in the UW-Madison Arboretum and volunteered there for 10 years. An avid gardener, she helped found the Wisconsin Hosta Society and planted several gardens at the Olbrich Botanical Gardens. She was passionate about birding and also enjoyed dancing and traveling. Predeceased by her husband, Walter B. Rideout '38, and sisters Lena Drisko North '26 and Marion Drisko Powers '23, she is survived by a daughter, two sons, six grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

**Marjorie Cate Berke '42**, July 2, 2014, in Redding, Conn., at 93. During World War II she was

a decoder for the Office of War Information in Washington, D.C. She followed that with work in public relations and public service campaigns in New York City before moving with her husband to Westport, Conn., where they lived for more than 50 years. She was a devoted wife and mother who enjoyed volunteering, traveling, reading, and swimming. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, Arnold, two sons, a daughter, and a granddaughter.

**Esther Goldfield Shafer '42**, June 26, 2014, in New Jersey, at 96. She was executive secretary to the superintendent of schools in Bloomfield, Conn., for 25 years, and a former trustee of the public library in Bloomfield. She appreciated art and enjoyed walking and playing bridge. Predeceased by her husband, Norman, she is survived by a daughter, a son, four grandchildren, and nine great-grandchildren.

**Oren R. Shiro '42**, Aug. 25, 2014, in Southbridge, Mass., at 94. He joined the Navy during WWII and served in the South Pacific for 33 months. He was proprietor of Waterville landmark the Jefferson Hotel, where he interacted with customers and ensured the quality of food and service. An exceptional athlete, he lettered in four sports his senior year at Colby, won the Waterville Country Club championship 10 times, the Maine amateur crown in 1979, and the New England Senior Championship twice. In 1998 he was inducted into the Maine Sports Hall of Fame. Predeceased by his wife, Jeanne, and a daughter, he is survived by a daughter, a son, and brothers Burton Shiro '44 and Ted Shiro '51.

**James L. Hancock '44**, July 17, 2014, in Waterville, Maine, at 95. He worked as a mechanic and machine operator for G.E. and as a bakery route salesman. Predeceased by his wife, Frances, he is survived by three daughters, a son, and a grandson.

**Richard S. Jones '44**, July 12, 2014, in Waterville, Maine, at 91. He earned a degree in mechanical engineering from the U.S. Naval Academy and served in both the Navy and the Navy Reserve, retiring as lieutenant commander. He then returned to his hometown of Waterville and worked for Scott Paper in Winslow until 1980. A historian, he had a passion for fossils and rocks and played a key role in organizing and cataloging the fossil collection at the L.C. Bates Museum in Hinckley, Maine. A Boy Scout leader, trumpet player, and avid golfer, he loved nature and enjoyed hiking and camping with his family. Predeceased by two sons including Richard S. Jones Jr. '72, he is survived by his wife of 67 years, Thelma, a daughter, two sons, 10 grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.

**John M. Wood '44**, May 11, 2014, in Lancaster, Pa., at 92. He earned his medical degree at the University of Vermont College of Medicine and served in the U.S. Air Force as a captain and chief of medicine in Saudi Arabia. He lived for 34 years in Mt. Pleasant, Mich., where he was an internist at the Davis Clinic and chief of staff and chief of medicine at Central Michigan Community Hospital. He started a cardiac rehabilitation program at Central Michigan University and served as its director. Although he retired in 1987, he continued to work as a health center medical director until 1998, when he and his wife moved to South Carolina. Later they moved to Lancaster, Pa., to be closer to their family. He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Norma, two daughters, a son, and four grandchildren.

**Owen W. "Chick" Bailey '48**, May 31, 2014, in Scarborough, Maine, at 90. He served in World War II as a Navy musician and in Korea as a gunnery officer. He earned a master's from George Washington

University and taught there for several years before joining the CIA, where he was an intelligence officer for 20 years. A longtime resident of Camden, Maine, he served on the board of Camden Health Care Center, volunteered at Pen Bay Hospital, and was a member of the Lincolnville Band and the Stan Catell Jazz Band. Predeceased by his first wife, Ramona, he is survived by three children and seven grandchildren. His second wife, Grete, passed away June 6, 2014.

**Virginia Ashley Porter '48**, Nov. 20, 2013, in New Sharon, Maine, at 86. She taught elementary school for many years in Dryden, Starks, and Madison, Maine. She is survived by her husband of 65 years, Arthur, five sons, a daughter, eight grandchildren, and 12 great-grandchildren.

**Priscilla Pomerleau Fehm '49**, Aug. 20, 2014, in Hamden, Conn., at 87. She earned a master's in nursing from Boston University and worked as a staff nurse and nursing instructor before becoming associate director for nursing education at the V.A. medical center in West Haven, Conn., where she served until her retirement in 1987. Active with the Connecticut League of Nursing, she also held faculty appointments at University of Bridgeport and Yale, served on health-related committees, and supported environmental causes. In retirement she volunteered with the Red Cross and Hospice. Predeceased by her husband, Sherwood, and a stepdaughter, she is survived by two step-granddaughters, three step-great-granddaughters, and special friend Gabe Gognata.

**John V. Mahoney '49**, July 21, 2014, in Wayne, Maine, at 90. He joined the Marines at age 18 and served in the First War Dog Platoon in the Pacific during WWII, receiving the Purple Heart. He spent his career with the Fish and Wildlife

Service, conducting studies on the fishing industry in various parts of the United States. After retiring in 1979 he moved back to Maine. Charismatic, humorous, and generous, he was an avid fisherman who regularly tested Androscoggin Lake's water quality and advocated improving the water quality in all Maine's lakes and rivers. Predeceased by his longtime companion, Avis Stanford, he is survived by a son, two daughters, and six grandchildren.

**Grace Rutherford Hammond '50**, March 4, 2014, in Needham, Mass., at 85. A prolific reader, she worked at the Wellesley (Mass.) Free Library for more than 30 years and was active in the Wellesley Village Congregational Church. Predeceased by a son, she is survived by her husband of 61 years, Fred H. Hammond '49, a daughter, and two granddaughters.

**Janet Haynes Lord '50**, Sept. 11, 2014, in Carmel, Calif., at 86. She earned R.N. and master's degrees from Yale School of Nursing. A California resident for six decades, she worked in extended care at Beverly Manor and then as director of nursing at Natividad Medical Center until her retirement. She was a golfer, a member of the Carmel Valley Racquet Club, and an avid gardener who especially loved lilacs and roses. Predeceased by brothers Lowell B. Haynes '48 and Irving B. Haynes '50, she is survived by four daughters, one son, and four grandchildren.

**William T. Doyle '51**, Aug. 3, 2014, in Hanover, N.H., at 88. He enlisted in the Navy at age 17 and entered radio school, working as a radio operator in the Mediterranean during World War II. He met his wife, Barbara Grant Doyle '49, at Colby and followed her to Brown in 1949, earning a B.S. while she earned her M.S. He earned a Ph.D. at Yale and spent his career

teaching physics at Dartmouth. He loved German, poetry, the writings of Henry David Thoreau, his camp in Maine, and family and friends. He is survived by his wife of more than 60 years, two sons, and five granddaughters.

**Alan B. Mirken '51**, June 12, 2014, in New York, N.Y., at 84. His publishing career began in 1943 when he started working for his uncle, who was chair of Crown Publishing. He served as president of Crown from 1951 to 1990 and held executive positions at Abbeville Press, Random House, Affinity Communications, and Aaron Publishing. A devoted philanthropist, he donated to such causes as Beth Israel Medical Center, the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and the Holocaust Memorial Museum. He was also on a number of boards and was a generous supporter of Colby, serving as an overseer from 1992 to 2000, naming the art museum's Mirken Gallery, and endowing the Mirken Curator of Education Fund and the Mirken Coordinator of Education and Public Programs. Predeceased by his first wife, Barbara "Bobby," he is survived by his wife, Joan, two daughters, and three grandchildren.

**Barbara Jefferson Walker '51**, Aug. 22, 2014, in Harrisonburg, Va., at 86. She completed postgraduate work as a Danforth Foundation fellow. An adventurer, historian, reader, journalist, and wildlife photographer, she traveled around the world, including to every continent. Predeceased by her husband, Willard, she is survived by three sons and six grandchildren.

**Ruth Stanley Holmes '53**, Aug. 6, 2014, in Deer Isle, Maine, at 83. She earned a B.S. in secondary education at Farmington State College and taught biology at Kingfield and Mt. Abram high schools, both in Maine. In addition to being a founding member of the Franklin County

Animal Shelter in Farmington, Maine, she was a member of many organizations including the Maine State Biologists Association, Maine Genealogical Society, American Association of University Women, and Literacy Volunteers of America. She delighted in studying plants, birds, and insects and in singing. She is survived by her husband of 62 years, David, a daughter, two grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

**Ross S. Holt Jr. '53**, July 1, 2014, in Camden, Maine, at 82. He earned a master's from the University of Maine and was principal of Camden-Rockport High School from 1967 until his retirement in 1985. He then worked at Coastal Workshop. Patient, kind, and jovial, he enjoyed spending summers at camp with his family, being involved with his grandkids, and following the Red Sox. He was predeceased by his wife, Mary, a daughter, parents Ross Holt Sr. '18 and Maude Herron Holt '24, and sister Addie Roberta "Bobbe" Holt Sachs '45. He is survived by two sons, five grandchildren, and sister Beverly Holt Wiegand '50.

**Alan Douglas Rubenstein '53**, June 12, 2014, in Paris, France, at 82. Known professionally as Alan Douglas, he was an international music and film producer notable for his work with such artists as the Last Poets, Duke Ellington, and Muddy Waters. He was most famous for the prodigious success of the Jimi Hendrix albums he produced following the musician's death. In 2012 he and two collaborators compiled Hendrix's diaries and notes to create an account of his life called *Starting At Zero*. He is survived by his wife, Lucia, two daughters, and three grandsons.

**Gail "Penny" Pendleton Schultz '53**, Aug. 11, 2014, in Portland, Ore., at 82. She had several occupations, including working on Wall Street and in executive recruitment, and

she volunteered with the Girl Scouts, Oregon Library Association, and area schools. She always maintained her curiosity and zest for life. She is survived by her husband of 57 years, Lyle, two sons, and two grandchildren.

**Eleanor Johnson Palmer '54**, July 2014, in Teaneck, N.J., at 82. She married, had a son and daughter, and volunteered at the Community Hospital at Glen Cove (N.Y.). She worked for IBM for seven years before having her children.

**Barbara Burg King '55**, July 12, 2014, in Roanoke, Va., at 81. A 58-year member of Edwards Church in Northampton, Mass., she sang in the choir, served on several committees, taught Sunday school, and volunteered at the church shop and fairs. She also volunteered at Northampton's Cooley Dickinson Hospital as gift shop treasurer and photographer of newborns. She loved spending time outdoors, especially at Fort Myers Beach, Fla., on the golf course and ski slopes, and in her garden. A staunch Red Sox fan, she enjoyed music, travel, and bridge. Predeceased by her husband of 50 years, Franklin King III '53, she is survived by two sons, two daughters, 13 grandchildren, and four great-granddaughters.

**David L. Morin '55**, June 3, 2014, in Concord, N.H., at 84. He joined the Marines at age 17 and was stationed in the Aleutian Islands. He taught high school history in New Hampshire and worked in the human services department of the New Hampshire Technical Institute. After retiring he tried skydiving and oil painting, purchased a motorcycle, and took a multi-month road trip around the United States with his wife. He was also an avid reader. Predeceased by a son, he is survived by his wife of nearly 65 years, Jacqueline "Jackie," a daughter, a son, eight grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.

**David Leigh "L.D." Burke '56**, July 30, 2014, in Santa Fe, N.M., at 80. A successful graphic designer and architect, he worked in graphic design in Chicago and San Francisco and in suburban development in Houston before moving to Santa Fe in the 1980s. There, he designed distinctive buildings such as the Pink Church, which housed his L.D. Burke Cowboy Furniture business, and the dragon-topped Fortaleza Coyote building. He also created wood sculptures and collage-on-wood artworks, composed songs including "Sopaipilla Song" recorded by Randy Travis, and enjoyed traveling and windsurfing. Known for his colorful work, he sought beauty in both urban and natural landscapes, and in recent years he loved retreating to his Heron Lake cabin. He is survived by his wife, Janine, two daughters, and four grandchildren.

**John A. Delaney '56**, March 29, 2014, in Ontario, N.Y., at 79. At Colby he was a member of Lambda Chi Alpha, the Newman Council, and the Outing Club, and he played baseball. He worked as a manager at General Electric and Xerox. He is survived by his wife, Lorraine, a daughter, a son, and three grandchildren.

**Richard Elliott '56**, May 1, 2014, in Huntsville, Ala., at 82. He served in U.S. Army Military Intelligence from 1954 to 1956 and worked for Arnold Greene Testing Laboratories as a testing specialist. Predeceased by a son, he is survived by his wife of 60 years, Shirley Ann, a daughter, a son, and three grandchildren.

**Andrew T.G. Johnson Jr. '56**, July 24, 2014, in Palm Springs, Calif., at 79. At Colby he played football and was a member of Lambda Chi Alpha. He earned an LL.B. at Boston University, served as a deputy district attorney and had a private practice in Hawaii, and was a senior trust officer for an international bank in California. He is survived by two sons, four daughters, and eight grandchildren.

**Eleanor Conover "Connie" Cook Reissig '56**, Aug. 3, 2014, in Teaneck, N.J., at 80. She earned

her teaching certificate from Kean College and was director of the Bogart Memorial Nursery School in Bogota, N.J., from the late 1960s until the early 1980s. She is survived by her husband, Richard, and two sons.

**Rita Reilly McCauley '59**, July 22, 2014, in Cincinnati, Ohio, at 76. She finished her bachelor's at Barat College and earned a master's in counseling at the University of Cincinnati. After working for the Cincinnati Health Department and MetLife, she achieved her goal of owning her own business, running Bench Advertising for 10 years until her retirement. Vibrant and joyful, she loved golf, tennis, ballroom dancing, and traveling. She is survived by her husband, Nash, a daughter, four sons, three stepsons, and 13 grandchildren.

**Margaret Clark Preston '59**, July 7, 2014, in Dover, N.H., at 77. For more than 40 years she resided in Epping, N.H., where she owned and operated Rum Brook Farm and bred Morgan horses. She earned accolades with her stallion Immortal Command and had a love of all animals. She also enjoyed sewing, knitting, gardening, reading, and having long talks with her grandson. Predeceased by her husband, Richard, she is survived by a son and grandson.

**M. Tieche Shelton '59**, June 21, 2014, in Farmingdale, Maine, at 77. He was a car sales manager and belonged to the Kora Shrine in Lewiston, Maine, serving as potentate in 1982. An avid hunter and fisherman, he helped found the Sportsman's Alliance of Maine and was its first executive director. He made friends wherever he went. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Marlene, a son, a daughter, four grandchildren, and a great-granddaughter.

**Donna M. Tasker '59**, July 22, 2014, in North Newport, Maine, at 77. At Colby she received the Condon Medal for constructive citizenship. She went on to earn a degree in music education at the Northern Conservatory of Music in Bangor, Maine, and she was

an accomplished violinist who played with the Bangor Symphony Orchestra and taught string classes at the Northern Conservatory. A public school music teacher for more than 30 years, she was involved in North Newport's church and cemetery associations, the Newport Historical Society, and the Old Maine Cemeteries Association. She was president of Norwegian Elk Hound Rescue and Recovery and showed several of her elk hounds at dog shows. Predeceased by her parents, she is survived by an aunt, an uncle, cousins, many friends, and her beloved elk hound and cats.

**Lawrence H. Bois '61**, June 13, 2014, in Bangor, Maine, at 75. He earned master's degrees in social work and hospital administration and a certificate in social service administration. He served as director of social service at Pineland Hospital, assistant superintendent of the Bangor Mental Health Institute, and executive secretary of the Maine Council of Community Mental Health Centers prior to entering the real estate industry with his wife. He is survived by his wife, Joan, two sons, a stepdaughter, two step-grandchildren, and a brother, William J. Bois '57.

**Elmer C. Bartels '62**, July 5, 2014, in Bedford, Mass., at 76. Despite suffering a hockey accident at age 22 that left him a quadriplegic, he led a robust, meaningful life that included a family, a graduate degree in physics from Tufts, a career as a computer programmer and analyst, and volunteer work with organizations including the Massachusetts Association of Paraplegics, which he helped found. In 1977 he was appointed commissioner of the Massachusetts Rehabilitation Commission, and he continued in that role and as state director of rehabilitation for a combined 30 years, during which he helped establish a personal-care-attendant program and ensure the development and availability of assistive technology. Exuberant and optimistic, he was a life board member of Camp Agawam in Raymond, Maine, where he spent 10 summers as a child. He received four honorary doctorates, including

one from Colby. Predeceased by his wife of 46 years, Mary, he is survived by a daughter, a son, and a granddaughter.

**Betty Dean Johnston Rayle '63**, May 29, 2014, in Solana Beach, Calif., at 72. She loved cooking, entertaining, traveling, creating art, and volunteering. She and her family operated an old-fashioned ice cream shop in Del Mar, Calif., before moving to Whidbey Island, Wash., where she focused on her art, learning to make monotypes and etchings on a press in a studio her husband built for her. She created several lines of greeting cards and won accolades for her artwork. Predeceased by her husband of more than 40 years, Frank, she is survived by two daughters and a son.

**Christopher M. Dakin '65**, June 11, 2014, in Salisbury, Conn., at 75. He served in the U.S. Navy for four years and earned a law degree at UConn. He opened his own law firm in 1973 and ran it until his wife's retirement. Predeceased by his wife, Suzette, he is survived by a son, two daughters, and two brothers including Timothy Dakin '63.

**David K. Katz '69**, Aug. 7, 2014, in Palm Springs, Calif., at 66. He earned an M.B.A. from Cornell and held a variety of positions with the U.S. Department of Commerce, both in Washington, D.C., and in overseas assignments. In 1986 he joined the department's U.S. and Foreign Commercial Service, serving in several roles including commercial counselor at the U.S. Embassy in Ankara, Turkey, head of the Commercial Service staff at the U.S. Consulate General in Hong Kong, and minister-counselor for commercial affairs at the U.S. Embassy in London.

**Laura Schmidt Irvine '70**, Oct. 17, 2013, in Cobourg, Ont., Canada, at 64. She is survived by her husband, J. Richard Irvine '70, daughter Amanda Irvine '00, and son Michael Irvine.

**A. Blair Janes '73**, July 6, 2014, in Newfoundland, Canada, at 63. He earned a master's in chemistry at

UMass-Amherst and worked at SI Group for 28 years before joining Fortitech Premixes, from which he retired in March 2014. He was a family man and a lifelong Red Sox fan who liked geocaching, bicycling, and playing hockey. A 34-year resident of Burnt Hills, N.Y., he was enjoying a long-anticipated personal journey—a summer-long bicycle trip to Newfoundland, where he was born—when he passed away in his sleep. He is survived by his wife of 39 years, Susan Cook Janes '73, two daughters, and a granddaughter.

**Michael G. Bolduc '77**, May 29, 2014, in Sandy River Plantation, Maine, at 58. A member of Lambda Chi Alpha at Colby, he enjoyed a 33-year career teaching high school math and coaching. From 1982 to 2009 he worked at Nashua (N.H.) High School, where he cofounded the School-Next-to-a-School alternative education program and created a lacrosse club team. He completed his career in his hometown of Fairfield, Maine, retiring from Lawrence High School in 2010. He was a member of the Rangeley Region Guides' and Sportsmen's Association, and he loved hunting, fishing, fly-tying, reading, cooking, and following New England sports. He is survived by two daughters, four granddaughters, and special friend Nancy Hilliard.

**Richard D. Abrams '78**, June 15, 2014, in Lexington, Mass., at 57. As cofounder of educational software company Tom Snyder Productions (TSP), he was at the forefront of bringing technology into the classroom. He was a member of Temple Isaiah and served on several boards including those of Educators for Social Responsibility and Woods Hole Oceanographic Institute. Enthusiastic and steadfast, he had a proclivity for connecting and motivating people. His legacy in Lexington, Mass., is ACROSS Lexington, a network of trails designed to connect residents with each other and with their town. He enjoyed walking, and despite fighting terminal thyroid cancer for nine years, he walked almost until

the end of his life. He is survived by his wife, Susan Kenyon '78, sons Archie Abrams and Stanley Abrams '12, and daughter Sydney Abrams '17.

**Samuel C. Koch '79**, July 20, 2014, in Hadley, Mass., at 59. He coached UMass men's soccer for 23 years, leading the team to 12 conference tournament berths, three NCAA tournaments, and the 2007 College Cup semifinals. Originally hired for what was to be the final year of men's soccer at UMass, he is credited with saving the program. He was named Atlantic 10 Coach of the Year four times, and the Colby men's soccer program annually awards the Sam Koch Award for spirit and dedication. A proud mentor to his players, he had a wonderful sense of humor and loved spending time with his family. He is survived by his wife, Suzanne, three sons, and a daughter.

**Alice Seney Lumpkin '84**, July 5, 2014, in Maryland, at 52. At Colby she spent a semester in Kenya, which deepened her lifelong passion for nature and animals. She earned a law degree at Widener University and a master's in environmental law at Vermont Law School and worked for the Wilderness Society in Washington, D.C., and the Brandywine Conservancy in Pennsylvania. Always eager to encounter wildlife, she went on two African safaris, honeymooned in the Galapagos, and traveled to parks and zoos throughout the United States. She also enjoyed horseback riding, whitewater rafting, and vintage aviation. For the last 11 years she lived with her husband at a family farm in Worthington Valley, Md., where they grew Christmas trees and tended sheep and horses. She is survived by her husband, James Murray, and three beloved yellow labs.

**Eleanor A. Burns '85**, Aug. 1, 2014, in Easton, Conn., at 51. A 22-year resident of Easton, she was a prolific volunteer, serving as PTA treasurer, registrar for American Youth Soccer Organization, coordinator of a summer living-history camp, and vice president of the Historical Society of Easton. She worked at

Christ Church Nursery School and the New Academy and loved to read, quilt, knit, and spend time at the beach. Spirited and generous, she enjoyed being with her family most of all. She is survived by her husband, Kwok J. Eng, a son, and a daughter.

**Cynthia L. Fallon '86**, June 14, 2014, in Florida, at 49. She earned a law degree from Northeastern and practiced law in New Hampshire for 13 years before moving to Florida, where she realized her dream of opening her own practice. She enjoyed trips to Reynolds Plantation in Georgia and time on the golf range. She is survived by her husband, Stephen Lux, and a son.

**Andrew Ian Dodge '89**, Aug. 1, 2014, in Harpswell, Maine, at 46. He earned a postgraduate degree in British politics from Hull University in the United Kingdom. A writer whose work appeared in publications including the *Huffington Post* and *Washington Examiner*, he was also a tea party activist who ran for the U.S. Senate in 2012. He enjoyed music, especially heavy metal, and was a prolific music reviewer. He died of an incurable form of colon cancer and is survived by his wife, Kim Benson.

**Christine Murphy Abbatiello '91**, Aug. 4, 2014, in Hanover, N.H., at 45. She had a rewarding and successful career in human resources, serving as human resource manager at MBH Solutions in Teaneck, N.J., director of recruitment at Answerthink in Conshohocken, Pa., and director of talent and recruitment at Human Capital Institute in Wilder, Vt. She enjoyed literature and horseback riding and loved spending time with her children. She is survived by her husband, Thomas Abbatiello '89, a daughter, and a son.

**William L. Goodman '91**, May 31, 2014, in Cumberland Foreside, Maine, at 46. He had a career in the toy industry, working for Sega Toys and then succeeding as a consultant with his own firm for the past 15 years. In February Hasbro honored him for his career achievements at the Las Vegas Toy Fair. Despite

battling brain cancer, he continued to live with optimism and humor. He relished the wonders of fatherhood and life on the Maine coast, and he enjoyed skiing, camping, biking, sailing, and kayaking with his family. He is survived by his wife, Hilary Robbins '91, two daughters, his father, and his mother, Linda Nicholson Goodman '62.

**Madeline "Maddy" Horwitz Boccuzzi '06**, July 30, 2014, in Long Beach, Calif., at 30. She died of melanoma, and her cancer cells are being grown in a USC lab in the hope of finding a cure for the disease. She earned her master's in global health from Duke and worked as strategic affiliations manager at Keck Medical Center of USC. A joyous woman with an infectious smile, she met her husband, Ryan J. Boccuzzi '05, during her first week at Colby, and they were inseparable for the ensuing 12 years. The couple loved to travel, hiking and camping at parks worldwide. She is also survived by her parents, a brother, and many other family members.

Former baseball coach and athletics director **John W. Winkin Jr.**, July 19, 2014, in Waterville, Maine, at 94. He served in the Navy during WWII and earned a bachelor's at Duke and master's and doctoral degrees at Columbia. From 1955 to 1974 he was baseball coach and athletics director, and in 1965 he was named National Baseball Coach of the Year. He went on to coach at the University of Maine (1975-96), leading the Black Bears to six College World Series, and at Husson University. He wrote four books on baseball, cohosted the first MLB pregame show, and wrote his doctoral thesis on ways to turn a double play. He was a founding editor of *SPORT* magazine. He finished his career with more than 1,000 wins, and when he last coached at age 87, he was believed to be the oldest active college coach in the United States in any sport. Predeceased by his wife, Christine Woodbury Winkin '49, he is survived by a son, a daughter, and eight grandchildren.