



Dr. Wayne Cadman Meech DO

June 21, 1937 - January 28, 2016

Dr. Wayne Cadman Meech, 78, passed away peacefully on January 28, 2016 at his home, surrounded by his loving family.

He was married for 53 years to his beloved wife Carol Ann (nee Schmid). Devoted father of Wayne S. (Jennifer), David, Michael, Kristyn (Glen) Brenner, and Laura (Steve) Robert. Proud grandfather of Wayne, Emma, Adrianna Meech; Charlotte, Lillian, Evan Robert; and step grandfather to Molly and Anna Brenner.

Loving brother of Erie Heermann, the late Emmerson, Lyle, Joyce, Curtis. Caring uncle of many nieces and nephews. Born and raised in Detroit, Michigan, he earned a bachelors degree from the Detroit Institute of Technology. In 1963, he received a degree as a Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine from the Chicago College of Osteopathic Medicine. He was passionate about helping others and caring for his family and community. He inspired many lives with his love, compassion, and sense of humor. Dr. Meech served in many leadership positions within the Osteopathic community. He served as President of the Department of Family Practice, was elected Chief of Staff of Mt. Clemens General Hospital, and sat on the Board of Trustees. Dr. Meech was President of the Michigan Osteopathic Association where his leadership contributed to many advancements within the association. Dr. Meech enjoyed precepting medical students within his clinical practice. He was an Associate Professor of Medicine at Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine. Dr. Meech was also honored as a Fellow of the

ACOFP and served as President of the American College of General Practitioners. He served on the advisory council for the Salvation Army and was a founding member of Cross Lutheran Church. Dr. Meech practiced family medicine in Roseville and was devoted to the community for 43 years before retiring in 2006.

Visitation at Wujek-Calcaterra and Sons, Inc. (Shelby Township) 54880 Van Dyke at 25 Mile Road on Monday, February 1st from 3-9pm. Instate Tuesday, February 2nd at 10:00am at St. John Lutheran Church, 1011 West University Drive, Rochester, until the time of service at 11:00am. Interment at Guardian Angel Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to the MOA Past Presidents Endowed Scholarship at Michigan State University, Allocation Code AS000161: College of Osteopathic Medicine, East Free Hall, 965 Free Hall Road, Room A310 East Lansing, MI 48824 or the McLaren Macomb Health Care Foundation for the Ted B. Wahby Cancer Center, 1000 Harrington Blvd., Mt. Clemens, MI 48043. Share memories at wujekcalcaterra.com

Tribute Wall

JH

“ *Its been a year already?????It seems only yesterday.....Thank you Lord,for bringing him to us, even if it only seems like only a handsbreath. Yes, he was the best....A truly a GREAT MAN!!!!*”

Jo Harder - March 21, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MK

“ *Carol, I just saw the notice about Wayne's passing, and my old heart skipped a beat. Many fun and happy memories came to mind, and particularly our last encounter at the convention when you both described his retirement activities! And, I immediately remembered this when I retired three years ago! I have missed seeing you both, and treasure the memories. And now, my heart goes out to you and your family,Carol, as well as many thoughts and prayers. Love, Marie Kowalsky*”

Marie Kowalsky - March 16, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ *Very sorry to learn of Dr.Meech's passing. He was very kind to me when I was getting started with my activity with MOA.My prayers go out to Carol and family.*”

Lewin Wyatt - February 27, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ *I met Dr. Meech when I was 12 years old (1968). He was not only my doctor, but the doctor of my father (Ceasar Mickens), my mother (Ella Mae Mickens), and all of my sisters and brothers. He would also tell me "Sarah, I'm going to heal you" and he would, no matter what the issue. He will be greatly missed.*”

Sarah - February 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AK

“My thoughts are with Dr. Meech family today he was our family physician for over three decades. He was there for me all through childhood sickness to teenage issues all the way well into adulthood. Until the time he retired and I not had another physician and always felt better after seeing him. He would always sit down during my visits and talk to me about what was happening in my life always left me feeling like he cared and you were important to him. Dr. Meech also took excellent care of my parents and kept them on track healthwise for a number of years and they are still in good health and I contribute a lot of that to Dr. Meech and the wonderful way he took care of them. He saw me all the way from childhood and even saw me through my husbands passing and helped me work through that. He will always be the best and had a way about him that when you left his office he left you feeling like everything would be ok. He will be deeply missed and my family and I will never forget him.

The Koutsopoulos Family"

Anastasia Koutsopoulos - February 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM

CG

“Dorothy and I and the entire Grove family send our most sincere condolences. I am enclosing one of the many photos of our times together.”

Charles grove - February 03, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SL

“I couldn't help but shed some tears this morning as I read the news about Dr. Meech. What a sweet, caring and funny man. He was our family doctor for a couple of generations and delivered my first born, Rachel. He saved all of our lives many times over, and in my opinion was one of the greats in his field. His classic question upon entering the room was, "so what brings you in today?". He once elaborated on that and said, "You just thought you'd come in and see old Peechy Meechy today?" From that day forward we lovingly referred to him as Peachy Meechy. He always had wonderful comments about his wife and children. He loved you all so much. So glad to know he is with his King today. What blessed hope we have in Jesus! My precious Mom, Lovie Jean Monterusso, whom he treated until he retired in '06, went to be with the Lord last July. She never quit raving about him as a doctor and no one ever quite met those standards for her. My thoughts and prayers will be with you during this time of loss for your family. Well done Dr. Meech. Until we meet again..."

Susie Lee - February 03, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PD

“I remember Wayne as loving my friend Carol with the love that God intended. I remember when I first saw Wayne; he was in medical school and Carol told me she was going to marry him. I was so worried for her, but as the years passed, I realized how good he was to her. Wayne always welcomed my husband and I as long lost friends. I will remember his wit and smile. Well done, good and faithful servant.”

Priscilla and LeRoy Delventhal - February 02, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MH

“As Thomas Jefferson was once described, Wayne Meech was "A straight-Up Kind of Guy". I thought the world of him and his wife, Carol, and I will always be there for her as we miss him from our lives. Love to his family!"

Marsha Harrison - February 02, 2016 at 12:00 AM

BC

“Dr meech was our family Dr in the 60 s and 70 s, unyill me moved up north...he was the best Dr wee ever had. Him and my husband were the same age. They told jokes on each other a lot...he was a very caring man,,,,there will never be another...our thoughts and prayers go out to the family..Bill and Della Caudill. Melvin mi”

Bill and Della Caudill - February 02, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MA

“He was one of the best Doctors that I have had, very honest and through. He delivered me many years ago on Christmas eve and saved my mothers life that same day. He will be missed, my thoughts and prayers are with his family.”

Maryann - February 02, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DG

“Thanks for saving my life....many times.
Loved your sense of humor and your honesty.
The doctor I have now couldn't even wear your socks.
See you on the flipside.
RIP my friend.
Dave Greschak
9170 W. Grasslake Road
Lake, MI 48632”

Dave Greschak - February 01, 2016 at 12:00 AM