Edward C. Hissett

Orthodontics, especially orthodontic education, lost one of its most esteemed personalities on November 28, 1983 when Edward C: Hissett succumbed to a year-long struggle with cancer.

Ed attended The Ohio State University, graduated from the Marquette University School of Dentistry in 1948, and received his Master's degree in orthodontics in 1951 from the University of Illinois.

After service in the United States Army Dental Corps, he started his orthodontic practice in Cincinnati, Ohio. While practicing there, he also served on the orthodontic staff at Ohio State. In the early seventies, Ed moved to Cary, North Carolina, and soon affiliated with the University of North Carolina where he achieved full professorial status.

An accomplished fly fisherman, Ed dearly loved trout fishing and the trips to his Michigan fishing club. His return of an unharmed big fish to the water sparked a beaming smile for hours. He gained equal enjoyment actually working on stream improvement for the benefit and pleasure of other club members. After his move to Cary he moved onto broader waters and added sailing to his hobbies.

He was a member of the Midwestern Component of the E. H. Angle Society, the University of Illinois Orthodontic Alumni Association, the Southern Society of Orthodontists and the First Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife Marjorie, four sons, three daughters and two stepdaughters.

Ed was a gentle man — kind, thoughtful and deeply caring of his family, patients and friends. His was a friendship to be deeply treasured.

Arthur B. Lewis



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