

# *Reception*

The family would like to invite you to a reception in honor of Harmon immediately following the service.

Wednesday, November 30, 2022 2:30 pm

Cohen Community Center  
22 Town Farm Rd, Hallowell, ME 04347

# *Thank You*

The family sincerely appreciates all the prayers, phone calls, visits and many other acts of kindness shown during this trying time.

To honor Harmon, please consider making a donation to the Alzheimer's Association, 383 US Route One #2C, Scarborough, ME 04074, or <https://www.alz.org/>

# *Honoring* THE LIFE OF



**HARMON D. HARVEY  
1932-2022**

Old South Congregational Church  
United Church of Christ  
Hallowell ME  
November 30, 2022

# Obituary

Harmon David Harvey died November 24, 2022, in Hallowell at the age of 90, after a brief illness. He was born in Dover-Foxcroft, Maine on July 27, 1932, the son of Lewis A.W. Harvey and Ruth Helen (Sands) Harvey. His greatest loves were his family, public service, and his beloved community of Hallowell.

He graduated in 1954 from the University of Maine at Orono, where he was a member of Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity. He earned the alumni association's prestigious "Block M" Award in 1994. He contributed to the construction of Buchanan Alumni House on campus and also established a legacy gift.

Mr. Harvey served in the U.S. Army from 1954 to 1957 and earned a graduate degree in social work from Boston College in 1961.

His extensive career in state social work began in 1958 as a caseworker, and before he retired in 1992, he served as Deputy Director of the Bureau of Social Services for Maine's Department of Human Services.

His other public service offices included Mayor of Hallowell for three terms, followed with service as president of the city council. He was a long-time board member of the Maine Coalition for Safe Kids and a trustee of the Old South Congregational Church.

Finally, two Maine governors appointed him to important statewide organizations: Governor Kenneth Curtis to the Maine Social Worker Registration Board and Governor Angus King to the Elder Advisory and Long-term Care Steering Committees.

Awards for a lifetime of service included the Row House Eliza Clark Lowell Award for Service in 2012 and Hallowell's Outstanding Citizen of the Year in 2003.

Mr. Harvey married Jane Stevens on March 7, 1959. They were lovingly married for 63 years and raised six children. He is survived by his wife, as well as his brother and sister-in law Ralph G. Harvey and Joyce Harvey. His children and their partners are: Martha and Robert Harveywebster; Steven Harvey and Valerie Andreasen; Michael and Mary Ellen Harvey; Merry-Jane and Stephen Wolborsky; Rebecca Harvey and Catherine Palmer; and Kathryn and Dana Crocker. He also leaves behind six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

# Order of Service

Prelude - Edward Larson, Organist

Welcome/Opening Prayer/Lord's Prayer (Debts) - The Rev. Susan Reisert

\*Opening Hymn - "How Great Thou Art" (Pew Book 43, vv. 1, 3, 4)

Memories of Harmon - Merry-Jane Wolborsky, Rebecca Harvey, Kathryn Crocker (Daughters)

\*Hymn - "Christ the Lord is Risen Today" (Pilgrim 182, vv. 1, 2, 3, 5)

Scripture Reading - Philippians 2:1-11, "Imitating Christ's Humility," Stephen Wolborsky (Son-in-law)

Message - The Rev. Susan Reisert

Solo - "Amazing Grace," Torrey Gimpel

Eulogy - Steven Harvey (Son)

Response Song - "Fall on Me," Andrea and Matteo Bocelli

Closing Prayer/Benediction - The Rev. Susan Reisert

\*\*Postlude - Edward Larson, Organist

\*Congregational singing, please stand if possible

\*\*Please allow the family to leave the sanctuary first

## Philippians 2:1-11

[1] So if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, [2] complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. [3] Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. [4] Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others. [5] Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, [6] who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, [7] but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. [8] And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. [9] Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, [10] so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, [11] and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. (ESV)