

Alumni Award

Ronald J. Stephany

Class of 1966

Through presentation of this 1991 Alumni Award, we recognize the sustained contribution to Ohio Wesleyan of Ronald J. Stephany, Class of 1966.

Joining the University Relations staff in 1969 as Director of Corporations and Foundations, Ron filled several positions in the Development Office over the following 21 years, including that of Director of Development at the time of his resignation in 1990.

During this tenure, he was witness to and played a role in the gratifying escalation of the Annual Fund from a mere \$228,000 to nearly \$2 million, assisted in successful completion of the XIVth decade capital campaign and was in on the vigorous beginning of the current Campaign for Ohio Wesleyan.

He enhanced the stature of this institution in the Delaware community by active involvement in many worthy charitable and church activities and of his profession through regular participation in the Council for the Advancement and Support of Education.

A "Ron Stephany Award," established by WCSA, memorializes yeoman service to the greater Ohio Wesleyan family. During several years as an administrative representative to this student government body, Ron faithfully attended its weekly meetings, participating actively in its deliberations.

Whatever the duties, his performance was injected with an enjoyment of the absurdities of day-to-day life, expressed in a hearty laugh which rang through the halls of Mowry to the delight of his colleagues.

We join the applause of his family and his Silver Key classmates, in saluting loyal alumnus Ronald Stephany.

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