



Remembering our brothers who have passed from this life

CAPERTON, WILLIAM GASTON JR. '23

Died 25 May 89. Insurance pioneer who helped found the McDonough Caperton Shepherd Goldsmith Insurance Group in 1936, now called the McDonough-Caperton Group and one of the 20 largest in the nation.

Caperton graduated as valedictorian from AMA and graduated from VaTech with a degree in mining engineering. Completed one year graduate study in business at the Wharton School of U Pennsylvania.

Honored as Insurance Man of the Year, civic leader, churchman, and widely respected for his business acumen and philanthropy. Father of WV Governor W. G. Caperton, III. Brother of **Samuel Austin Caperton '18**.

At Augusta for six years: Captain, Company B; Honor Committee, Cotillion Club Officer, Literary Society Officer, Final Ball Committee; Editor of the *Recall*; Basketball and Track.