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Orland J. Malphrus, 75, Hilton Head businessman

RIDGELAND

Orland J. Malphrus, 75, died Wednesday.

Born in Jasper County, he was a son of the late Seabrook and Evelyn Long Malphrus. He was founder of Malphrus Construction Co. of Hilton Head Island and was selected as Hilton Head Island Chamber of Commerce Man of the Year in 1974 and 1975. He was listed in *Who's Who Among South Carolina Businessmen*.

Mr. Malphrus was a member of American Masonic Lodge No. 98, the Mary Heyward Chapter No. 24, Order of the Eastern Star and Ridgeland Baptist Church.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Hannah Lee Boyles Malphrus; sons,

Dale D. and Larry Malphrus of Ridgeland; daughters, Mrs. Glondell Walters, Mrs. Annie Long and Mrs. Jeanette Crosby of Ridgeland, Mrs. Varner Cleland of Gillisonville and Mrs. Joyce Lightfoot of Savannah; brothers, Maxwell Malphrus of Estill and Kirk Malphrus of Ridgeland; sisters, Mrs. Madge Lewis of Savannah and Mrs. Joanna Daring of Ridgeland; grandchildren; and great-grandchildren.

Services will be held at 3 p.m. Saturday at Ridgeland Baptist Church. Burial, with Masonic rites, will be in Great Swamp Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Ridgeland Baptist Church building fund.

The family will receive friends from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. today at Sauls Funeral Home.

Greenville.

Arnold B. Garbade

RIDGELAND, S.C. - Arnold Berg Garbade, 74, died Sunday at home after a long illness.

He was born in Ridgeland and was a salesman and a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. He was a Baptist and a member of American Masonic Lodge No. 98 in Ridgeland.

Surviving are his wife, Emily Perry Garbade of Ridgeland; five sons, Jennings B. Garbade of Douglasville, Arnold B. Garbade Jr. of Gaithersburg, Md., David M. Garbade of Ridgeland, Phillip M. Garbade of Bluffton, S.C., and Edward P. Garbade of Charleston, S.C.; seven grandchildren; and a great-aunt, Pauline Davis of Ridgeland.

Funeral: 3 p.m. Tuesday at Sauls Funeral Home chapel, burial in Ridgeland Cemetery.

Sauls Funeral Home of Ridgeland.

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The Rev. Arthur Martin, Presbyterian Minister

The Rev. Arthur Morrison Martin, of 4002 Kilbourne Road, died Friday at Richland Memorial Hospital.

Born in Savannah, Ga., he was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Martin Jr.

The Rev. Mr. Martin served as executive secretary of the Presbyterian Synod of South

Carolina from 1953 until 1973. He helped organize the state's first bi-racial ministerial association and was the founding chairman of the state's first ecumenical council of churches.

The Rev. Mr. Martin was ordained in the old Independent Presbyterian Church of Savannah and was ordained to the ministry there in 1928. He studied at Davidson College, Louisville Seminary, the University of Edinburg and the Protestant Faculty in Paris.

As assistant minister of the Independent Church, he organized and served several churches in the Savannah area.

He served as pastor of Sion Presbyterian Church in Winnsboro from 1938 to 1953. He also organized and served three rural churches in the area — Mount Olivet, Simpson Chapel and Union Memorial.

In 1953, he was elected executive secretary of the Presbyterian Synod of South Carolina. After his retirement in 1973, he served a number of churches throughout the state as interim pastor, including First Presbyterian Church in Greenville, First Presbyterian Church in Florence, First Presbyterian Church in Rock Hill and Bethesda Church at McConells.



Rev. Martin

The Rev. Mr. Martin was a founding trustee of Presbyterian Home in South Carolina and served on the board of visitors of Davidson College, Queens College and Presbyterian College.

He was moderator of the Synod of South Carolina in 1961. He was active in young people's work, especially in scouting and in summer youth conferences. He received an honorary Doctor of Divinity degree from Davidson College.

Mr. Martin was married in 1932 to Mary Grubbs of Savannah, and now of Columbia. Their four sons are all graduates of Davidson College: Arthur M. Martin Jr., a pathologist in Meridian, Mass.; James G. Martin, U.S. Congressman from North Carolina's 9th District; Joseph B. Martin III, senior vice president of NCNB Corp.,

Charlotte; and Neal A. Martin, reference librarian at Francis Marion College in Florence.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mary Grubbs Martin; his four sons; and 12 grandchildren.

Services will be held at 3 p.m. Sunday at Eastminster Presbyterian Church, conducted by the Rev. Dr. Ernest Thompson.

Dunbar Funeral Home, Devine Street Chapel, is in charge.

Services also will be held at 2 p.m. Monday at the Independent Presbyterian Church, Savannah, Ga., conducted by the Rev. J. Byron Spencer. Burial will be in Laurel Grove Cemetery, Savannah.

The family suggests that those who wish may make memorials to the Arthur Martin Scholarship Fund, Davidson College, Davidson, N.C., or to Eastminster Presbyterian Church in Columbia.