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Norman Conway Pursley, age 92, passed away peacefully on March 26, 2026. A respected professional and devoted family man, Norman lived a life marked by integrity, leadership, and quiet strength.

Born to Edna Foy Cates Pursley and Clarence “Jack” Pursley, Norman was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Martha Jameson Pursley, whose partnership and companionship were central to his life. He is survived by his son, Phillip Pursley; his daughter, Staci Stephens and her husband Benton; and his cherished grandson, Slade, who brought him great pride and joy.

Norman graduated from North Texas State University with a Bachelor of Business Administration and continued his education at New York University and Rutgers University. He also served as a faculty member at Southern Methodist University, reflecting his commitment to mentoring others. He began his professional life following honorable service as a First Lieutenant and Supply Officer in the United States Air Force, later attaining the rank of Captain in the U.S. Air Force Reserve.

His distinguished career in banking and securities spanned decades and included leadership roles with the Federal Reserve System, Chemical Bank New York Trust Company, Bank of the Southwest in Houston, Underwood, Neuhaus & Company, and Rauscher, Pierce, Refsnes.

Outside of work, Norman enjoyed boating, golf, and cars. He will be

remembered for his steady presence, strong character, and enduring devotion to those he loved. His legacy lives on through his family and all who had the privilege of knowing him.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to the outstanding staff of Alanti Assisted Living and Alera Hospice.

Tribute Wall

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“ *From Your Friends & Family at Dot Foods! purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Norman Conway Pursley.*



From Your Friends & Family at Dot Foods! - March 30 at 11:48 AM

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“ *Love You Tom and Diane Jameson purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Norman Conway Pursley.*



Love You Tom and Diane Jameson - March 28 at 10:40 AM