



J. Rosson Overcash

April 14, 2017

He is survived by his wife of 66 years, Mary Louise B. (Baker) Overcash; his children John R. Overcash, Jr., and his wife, Patricia, of Ayer, Martha Overcash of St. Louis, Mo., three grandchildren, Shannon K. Overcash, Branden K. Overcash and Libby Overcash and two great-grandchildren, Dominic and Madeline Valverde.

He was predeceased by his brother Whitson M. Overcash, Jr., of Paris France.

Ross was born in Springfield, Tennessee. His parents were both in the field of education and he followed in their footsteps. Ross attended Harvard University graduating in 1949 and continued on to Harvard Graduate School. While at Harvard he was a member of the marching band where he played the clarinet. Ross continued his association with band for many years as a post graduate. After graduating from Harvard University, he taught at the college level at various schools. He began his career at Mitchell College, in Connecticut, and continued at Northeastern University where he began the Earth Science Department. He finished his long teaching career at Bunker Hill Community College in Boston.

Ross was active in civic affairs in the town of Brookline where he and Mary Lou raised their family. He was a scout leader with Troop 6 and a town

selectman for many years. He was also active in his church, All Saints Episcopal in Brookline.

When he retired, he and Mary Lou sold their home in Brookline and moved to Lincolnville, Maine to begin a second career as the owners of The Red House Bed and Breakfast. He enjoyed gardening, growing vegetables and beautiful flowers. For many years, he played in the Lincolnville Town Band, gave astronomy talks at Camden Hills State Park, and was active with the local Boy Scouts as well as town affairs. Ross was a member of Rotary International.

Tribute Wall

BP

“ *Great article. Reading this was definitely helpful to me in discovering ways to be a better photographer.
bracciale cartier viti copia prezzo <http://www.bestlovegift.nl/it/aaa-cartier-love-white-gold-bracelet-fake-with-screwdriver-p2/>*

bracciale cartier viti copia prezzo - April 20, 2018 at 02:30 PM

KN

“ *Ron, can you explain what you mean by consent? If I use Facebook's paid ads and target specific people, isn't that the same as targeting any other demographic that Facebook offers?
knock off van arpels and cleef necklace <http://www.vancleef-jewelry.cn/>*

knock off van arpels and cleef necklace - April 01, 2018 at 12:57 AM

BL

“ *Ross and MaryLou have always been a part of our lives. Our hearts go out to you all. It is the passing of an era.
With Love,
Roger and Barbara*

Barbara and Roger Latham - April 17, 2017 at 01:20 PM

BR

“ *My deepest sympathies to the Overcash family. I met Mr. Overcash and his son Ross when he led a group of Boston area Boy Scouts on a trip to a jamboree in the late 1960s or early 1970s. He was well suited and had the right temperament to lead our group.*

Brahm Rockwood - April 17, 2017 at 10:46 AM

JM

“ Long and delightful memories of working with Ross at Bunker Hill College. Leah and I send our thoughts to Mary Lou and her family.

Joan McGowan - April 16, 2017 at 02:44 PM

EH

“ Ross and Mary Lou were an important part of life at St. Peter's. Prayers for Ross and the family.

Eleanor Hutchinson - April 16, 2017 at 01:34 PM

PM

“ Ross and Mary Lou were beloved members of our community and we are sorry to hear of his passing. We send our love and prayers to the family.

Pat Shannon and TJ Mack - April 16, 2017 at 11:51 AM

SL

“ Thoughts with you, He and Mary Lou were very dear friends ! Many happy memories :)

Sally Lincoln - April 15, 2017 at 08:37 PM

CM

“ We have so many wonderful memories of the many happy times we spent together. We were really kids then. The picture of Ross reminded us of our youth. Our hearts go out to you, Mary Lou, and your family. It is amazing that so many years have passed. We have been blessed to have long marriages. Our sincere condolences. Love, Helaine and Charlie

Charles and Helaine [Rothblatt] Morrill - April 15, 2017 at 08:06 PM

MR

“ We give thanks for the many contributions Ross made to the community and to his church. We remember his perfect attendance at West Bay Rotary! And his beautiful orchids! Holding you, Mary Lou, in our hearts wishing you peace as his soul flies home to God. Our deepest sympathy to all his beloved family.

Marty & Paul Rogers - April 15, 2017 at 10:38 AM

RF

“ our deepest sympathy.

Rev. Dewey and Joanne Fagerburg - April 15, 2017 at 09:06 AM

EE

“ Martha,

May you and Libby remember your Dad's smile and his love. His was a life well lived!

Eileen Eber - April 15, 2017 at 07:58 AM

JH

“ What a great picture of him. This is how I remember him - laughing and with that big grin. Now Opa will be able to watch over Libby's wedding and all the milestones in his children's and especially his grandchildren & great grandchildren's life. Opa, you are in everyones heart and will be missed.

Jill Hass - April 15, 2017 at 07:43 AM

CL

“ *What an interesting man and what an impressive life he had. So sorry for your loss. I will be think of you on Easter Sunday. Revelation 21:4 "He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or crying or pain ..."*

Lizzie, Jeffrey and I will keep him and your family in our prayers.

Christine Doyle (formerly Luhnow) - April 14, 2017 at 11:41 PM

MG

“ *May he know race and happiness as he watches over the family he loved*

Michael and Rebecca Gaines - April 14, 2017 at 11:01 PM