



Broughton, Elliott Pou
Montgomery
Admitted: 1941
Died: September 1, 2007

Carpenter, Andrew Elliott
Tuscumbia
Admitted: 2005
Died: July 3, 2007

Flowers, Richmond McDavid
Dothan
Admitted: 1949
Died: August 9, 2007

Gallion, George MacDonald
Montgomery
Admitted: 1937
Died: August 11, 2007

Gonas, John Samuel, Jr.
Daphne
Admitted: 1968
Died: July 2, 2007

Johnsey, Walter Frank
Birmingham
Admitted: 1965
Died: July 29, 2007

Morrow, William Howell, Jr.
Montgomery
Admitted: 1952
Died: August 27, 2007

Puryear, John M.
Tuscaloosa
Admitted: 1948
Died: July 11, 2007

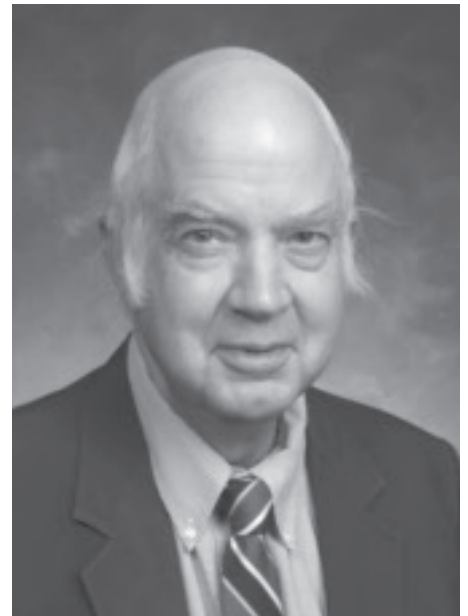
WILLIAM FENWICK GARDNER

William (“Bill”) Fenwick Gardner passed away May 15, 2007 after 48 years as a member of the Alabama State Bar. He was universally admired by his peers for his friendliness, sense of humor and legal achievements.

He was the fifth lawyer of six straight generations of Gardner lawyers in Alabama. He practiced his entire career with the firm of Cabaniss, Johnston, Gardner, Dumas & O’Neal, where his late father, Lucien D. Gardner, Jr., also practiced law. Bill’s grandfather, Lucien D. Gardner, served as a justice on the Supreme Court of Alabama from 1914 to 1951 and as chief justice from 1940 to 1951.

Bill’s work ethic was evident beginning with his academic achievements. He graduated *cum honore* from the Baylor School in Chattanooga, was a Phi Beta Kappa at the University of Alabama and graduated as a member of the Order of the Coif from the University of Virginia Law School. Bill was elected as a Fellow of both the American College of Trial Lawyers and the College Labor & Employment Lawyers. He was listed in *The Best Lawyers in America* in the Labor & Employment Law section since the first edition in 1983. Bill was named “Among the Nation’s Best Litigators in Employment Law” by the *National Law Journal* in 1992, and in *America’s Leading Business Lawyers*, *The International Who’s Who of Business Lawyers* and *The International Who’s Who of Labor & Employment Lawyers*. He was the principal attorney for over 140 published decisions and was appointed special deputy attorney general for representation of the State of Alabama in employment cases. His advocacy was provided to clients without qualification, even if the client’s cause might be unpopular. See *Falkowski v. Perry*, 464 F.Supp. 1016 (D.C. Ala. 1978); *Perry v. Thomas*, 691 F.Supp. 1323 (N.D. Ala. 1988).

He contributed to several treatises—Schlei and Grossman, *Employment Discrimination*



Law (2nd ed. 1983) and Lindeman and Grossman *Employment Discrimination Law* (3rd ed. 1996)—and was the principal author of *Defending Fair Employment Cases* (Defense Research Institute 1976). He published articles with the Defense Research Institute, *The Alabama Lawyer* and the *Alabama Law Review*, and spoke on labor and employment law at seminars presented by the National Employment Law Institute, the Defense Research and Trial Lawyers Association, the American Bar Association, the Labor Law Section of the Alabama State Bar, Cumberland Continuing Legal Education, and the Alabama Bar Institute for Continuing Legal Education.

Bill assiduously represented his clients and scrupulously handled every case through exhaustive research of the facts and law. He actively practiced up until to just a few weeks prior to his passing. He was also dedicated to his family. He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Melanie Terrell Gardner, sons John Gardner and Robert Gardner, and a host of grandchildren. ■

—Robert Gardner, Birmingham

ANDREW E. CARPENTER
MEMORIAL
SCHOLARSHIP



A scholarship has been established by members of the Colbert County University of Alabama Alumni Association, in memory of fellow attorney Andrew E. Carpenter. Carpenter was admitted to the Alabama State Bar in 2005 and was killed July 3, 2007 in an automobile accident. This effort is being spearheaded by attorneys from Colbert, Franklin, Lawrence and Lauderdale counties. The scholarship will benefit graduating seniors or transfer students attending the University of Alabama from those respective counties.

Checks should be made payable to "The Alumni Fund" and indicate that they are for the Andrew E. Carpenter Scholarship. Contributions are tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law and each donor will receive a gift receipt from UA verifying the contribution.

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