A MAN OF PRINCIPLES

William A. Riddlesworth (FCAS 1963)

1936-2013

William A. "Bill" Riddlesworth, an architect of one of the CAS Statements of Principles, died January 1, 2013, at his home in Ellington, Connecticut, with his family by his side.

He was born and raised in Auburn, New York, the son of Willie and Violet (Cantrell) Riddlesworth. He attended Cayuga Community College in Auburn and went on to graduate from Colgate University in 1958. He retired from Aetna Life Insurance Company in Hartford, Connecticut.

Riddlesworth was part of the CAS Committee on Loss Reserves (1975-1977), working alongside such CAS luminaries Charles Hachemeister and Jim Berquist to develop the "Statement of Principles Regarding Property and Casualty Loss and Loss Adjustment Expense Liabilities," published in May 1978. He also was a panelist for the workshop, "Discussion of IBNR and Other Formula Reserves," which was presented at the CAS Annual Meeting in 1972.

He was an active member of St. Peter's Episcopal Church in South Windsor, Connecticut, where he was a longtime treasurer, a member of choir and the vestry. He was a Scout leader, a longtime bowler and a fan of all sports, especially hockey.

Survivors include his wife, Julie (Moore) Riddlesworth; children, William (Robin) Riddlesworth, Susan Lovejoy, Thomas (Linda) Riddlesworth and Robert (Pamela) Riddlesworth; a brother, Arthur Riddlesworth; five grandchildren; a great grandson; and several nieces and nephews.