MEMORIAL RESOLUTION OF THE ALLEN COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

CLYDE J. COVER

Mr. President, members of the Allen County Bar Association and friends.

Once again we meet to pay homage to one of our associates who has left a heritage of service for us to carry on. Clyde J. Cover died April 23, 1981 at Parkview Memorial Hospital. It is fitting that this institution had the opportunity to care for him in his hour of need. Clyde was as responsible as any one individual, if not more, for the movement of the Methodist Hospital from Lewis Street and the creation of Parkview. After its creation he served 20 years as a Member of its Board of Directors. He was one of the leaders in the successful financial drive for all three of our hospitals.

We remember Clyde for years of activity in aiding the Red Cross, the YMCA, the YWCA, the Boy Scouts and the Girl Scouts. Seldom has one more devoted so much of his time and efforts to help the best activities and institutions in the community. In addition, to those mentioned, he also devoted his abilities to the Fine Arts in the area, especially by working with the Fine Arts Foundation.

Mr. Cover was named to the Methodist Hall of Fame of Philanthropy in 1962. In the field of education, he served on the Board of Directors of Hiram College and was an active member of Plymouth Congregational Church.

Clyde was born in Ohio, educated in Law at Harvard and was for many years an attorney with the Lincoln National Life Insurance Company. Those of us who knew him, knew him because of his vital

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interest in the activities of the community, rather than because of his activities in court; for he seldom engaged in legal activity involving the local courts and practice. He was a member of our Association, as well as the State Association.

He is survived by two daughters, Sarah Roush of Indianapolis and Joan Calvin of Muncie. To them, we extend our sympathy. We all have lost a true community leader; a man who was unselfish of his time and talents in working for the best causes.

Mr. Chairman, I move the adoption of this Resolution; that it be spread of record in the courts and that a copy be sent to the survivors.

Respectfully submitted
The Allen. County Bar Association
Memorial Resolution Committee

Robert E. Meyers, Chairman

Dated: April 29, 1981