



## **Dr Maurice F 'Doc' Shadley, Ph D**

**1909-2007**

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BLOOMINGTON — Maurice F. "Doc" Shadley, Ph.D., age 97, of Bloomington, died Friday, January 5, 2007, at Bell Trace Health and Living Center in Bloomington. He was born October 23, 1909, in Greenwood, Indiana, the son of Tilson F. and Ollie (Wood) Shadley. A graduate of Greenwood High School, he attended DePauw University as a Rector Scholar and received Bachelor of Music (cum laude) and Bachelor of Arts degrees from Indiana Central College. He also studied at the Arthur Jordan Conservatory of Music and Indiana University, where he received his Masters and Ed.D. degrees.

A professional educator, Dr. Shadley taught Orchestra, Band and Chorus at several Indiana high schools including Smithville, Bridgeton, Greenwood and Rensselaer as well as the Indiana University Laboratory School. He joined the faculty of Indiana University School of Music as assistant professor of Music Education and manager and director of the I.U. Music Clinic for High School Students and also coordinator of the Public Music Services.

As a member of Phi Delta Kappa International, he held a professional staff position and was co-director of three Comparative Education Seminars in the former U.S.S.R. He also traveled over two million miles for Phi Delta Kappa and helped to install over 225 chapters worldwide. Locally, he served as president of the Bloomington Chapter twice.

Dr. Shadley held numerous memberships, including the First Christian Church, Greenwood Masonic Lodge (50 year Member), Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia and Phi Beta Mu International, of which he received the Hall of Fame Award in 1980. As a Navy veteran of World War II, he was a member of Burton Woolery Post #18 of the American Legion. His military service included

serving as an officer for convoy duty in the North Atlantic from 1944-1946. He also participated in various musical organizations, including the Indiana Music Educators Association and was past president, was principal trombonist with the former Keith's Theater Orchestra, the original Indianapolis Civic Orchestra and with the Bay View, Michigan, Symphony Orchestra. He further served as church organist and choir director at Hall Place M.E. Church in Indianapolis and was guest conductor of high school bands, orchestra and choral festivals throughout Indiana, Illinois and Wisconsin. He had also been honored by "School Musician Magazine" in an article titled "They Are Making America Musical," and was selected by "The School Musician Magazine" as one of the Ten Most Outstanding Music Directors in the United States of America for 1963-64 school year.

Survivors include two daughters and sons-in-law, Clarie and Jack Cruse of Greenwood, IN, and Marcia and Gene Doerr of Chicago, IL, and Palm Springs, CA; six grandchildren and six great grandchildren; and two sisters, Divetta Shadley of Shelbyville, IN, and Betty J. Greer (Edward) of St Petersburg, FL. He was preceded in death by his wife, Wyrtyis (Warring) Shadley, and one sister, Genevieve Hord.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m. Monday at Allen Funeral Home, with Rev. Mark Calvert-Rosenburger officiating. Burial will be at Smithville Cemetery, where the Veterans Honor Guard will conduct military rites. Friends may call at the funeral home on Monday prior to time of services.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Red Cross in care of Allen Funeral Home.