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[Prentice Hapgood](#)

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EDMOND — Prentice Hapgood, 87, died May 6, 2011. He was born in Hartford Conn. December 17, 1923 and moved with his family to Santa Fe, N.M. in 1939.

Prentice Hapgood was Claims Attorney for Conoco's insurance carrier in Ponca City from 1968 to 1987 and Claims Counsel in Conoco's Legal Department in Houston from 1987 to 1990. He was a Navy veteran of World War II and completed his undergraduate work at the University of New Mexico in 1949. In the late 1940's he acquired and consolidated a tract of land that became the Glorieta Baptist Assembly. Hapgood graduated from the University of Houston Law School in 1959, and was admitted to the Texas Bar in 1960.



The Hapgoods retired in Edmond, Okla. in 1990. Prentice was an active Episcopalian in Oklahoma, having served on the Diocesan Council and on a Bishop's Search Committee, as well as attending many Diocesan conventions. Early in his retirement, Hapgood volunteered in the job placement section of REST, a day shelter for the homeless, and for two years served as a board member of Common Cause Oklahoma.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Strueber Hapgood; two sons, Joe Hapgood of Edmond, and Vince Hapgood of Grapevine, Texas, and their respective spouses Kris Hennessey Hapgood and Toni Deese Hapgood; along with four grandchildren, Alyssa Hapgood Collins, David Hapgood, Alexa Hapgood, and Jay Hapgood; and one great-grandson Jack Collins. Also surviving is one sister and three nephews.

Funeral services will be 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 10, 2011 at St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Edmond. Interment will be at Grace Episcopal Church in Ponca City, Okla.

- See more at: <http://www.edmondsun.com/obituaries/x364970362/Prentice-Hapgood#sthash.m3LKTyRM.dpuf>