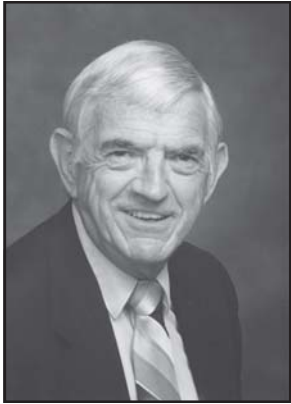




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## John L. Gray (1920-2007)

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## Roger A. Sedjo

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