

Ann Christine Evans



Former consultant general psychiatrist Calderdale, and consultant trainer and senior clinical lecturer, University of Leeds (b 1945; q Manchester 1969; BSc Hons (Anatomy), DPM, FRCPsych), died from myocardial infarction on 25 March 2010.

Ann Christine Evans (“Kit”) was a respected, impish, chain-smoking socialist who touched many lives and professional careers, always with integrity. She was consultant psychiatrist and senior clinical lecturer during 1987-98. She had been widely sought as an expert witness since 1998, including by the GMC, Teachers’ Pensions Agency, Medical Defence Union, and the court service. From 2006 she was proud to be specialist adviser to the GMC on health, legal, and employment issues. In true fashion, she had organised a busy schedule of work and holidays before her sudden death. She leaves a husband, Sydney Roper; four sons; and two stepchildren.

Dan Cocker

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Raymond Clive Gledhill



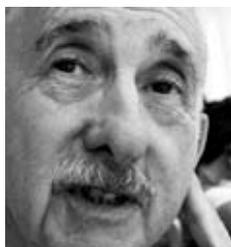
Former consultant psychiatrist and psychoanalyst Goodmayes, King George, and Barking Hospitals, Essex (b 1918; q Leeds 1943; FRCP, FRCPsych, M Inst Psychoanal), died from metastatic pancreatic cancer on 20 November 2009. Raymond Clive Gledhill was a registrar in hospital medicine before training in psychiatry at the Maudsley

and King’s College Hospital, London (1951-8), and in psychoanalysis at the Institute of Psychoanalysis. His work as a consultant (1958-83) was influenced greatly by psychoanalytic thinking, therapeutic group work, multidisciplinary working, and reflective practice being integral to his treatment of inpatients. After retirement he sat on mental health review tribunals, was visiting psychiatrist to Holloway prison, and contributed to the then new Tottenham Magistrates Court psychiatric diversion scheme. His final diagnosis came only 10 days before he died. He leaves a wife, Maureen; two children; and two grandchildren.

Julia Gledhill

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Neville Emmanuel Lipkin



Former general practitioner Childwall, Liverpool (b 1935; q Liverpool 1960), died from pancreatic cancer on 17 September 2009.

Neville Emmanuel Lipkin followed his father into general practice after house posts in Merseyside. The archetypical family doctor living and working in his community, he was also for many years medical adviser to the local blood transfusion service. He retired in 1995, his final surgery being filled with patients without medical complaints but with warm wishes for him. In retirement Neville was medical adviser to the Tribunals Service, continued working as a justice of the peace, and travelled. He was an avid competition player, winning many prizes with his wit, intelligence, and keen observational skills. He faced his last illness with typical stoicism, humility, and selflessness. He leaves a wife, Karen; two daughters; and four grandchildren.

Ashley Reece

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George Donald William McKendrick



Former consultant physician in infectious diseases St Anne’s Hospital, Tottenham, and Rush Green Hospital, Romford (b 1919; q Oxford/St Marys Hospital, London, 1943; FRCP), died from myocardial infarction and Alzheimer’s disease on 25 April 2010. After wartime experience as ship’s surgeon in troopships, George Donald William McKendrick (“Donald”) started training in infectious diseases, which then included measles, whooping cough, diphtheria, tetanus, polio, and smallpox; he was a member of the national smallpox panel. After retirement from the NHS, Donald was consultant to the Wellcome research programme for five years, setting up seminal trials of acyclovir, the first targeted antiviral. He loved sailing, worked as a Samaritan, and was the first medical columnist in *Saga Magazine*, contributing monthly for about 10 years. He leaves a wife, Evelyn; three children; and eight grandchildren.

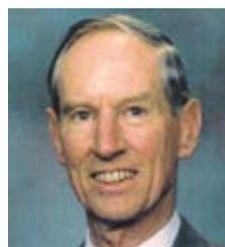
Mike McKendrick

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Christopher Wrey Savile

Former general practitioner Eastbourne (b 1927; q Cambridge/St Thomas’s Hospital, London, 1952; DTM&H), d 10 April 2009.

While in Eastbourne for a conference, Christopher Wrey Savile heard about a GP vacancy that couldn’t be advertised, and



was appointed locum with a view to replacing Dr Bodkin Adams—on trial for murdering three patients. In 1974 he was the first (joint) course organiser of Eastbourne’s vocational training scheme; he became regional adviser to the regional postgraduate dean. He was an examiner for the Royal College of General Practitioners and national president of the Christian Medical Fellowship. Active in Housing for Humanity, he was also instrumental with Ian Gow MP in obtaining adequate primary care facilities for the Langney project, a new housing estate in Eastbourne. He leaves a wife and three sons.

Isabel Savile

John Surtees

John Prosser

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George Taylor



Former general practitioner Buckhurst Hill, Essex (b 1922; q St Bartholomew’s Hospital, London, 1949; DCH, DRCOG), died from a ruptured aortic aneurysm on 15 January 2010.

After qualification, George Taylor served in the Royal Navy in HMS *Ocean* taking troops to Korea. In 1963 he entered general practice in Buckhurst Hill in partnership with his wife, retiring in 1987. Although he was paraplegic from 1966 after the removal of an extensive spinal angioma, he also served as chairman of the medical committee, president of the League of Friends, and hospital representative on the management team of Forest Hospital. He published a paper on a voluntary day unit for elderly people that he had started in a refurbished Portakabin in the hospital grounds. He leaves a wife, Josephine; two sons; and five grandchildren.

J P Taylor

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