



OBITUARIES

John Philip Oakley Chapman

Elizabeth Nyholm

A GP in north Birmingham for 30 years, John Philip Oakley Chapman was wholly committed to his patients, for whom general medicine was at the core of his clinical expertise. As a young man he joined the Territorial Army, gained his private pilot's licence, and spent a year as a doctor flying the Aussie outback. John was a renaissance man. He could quote tracts of Shakespeare, enjoyed science fiction, and was regularly

published in the medical "comics" because of his dry wit. Cooking, motorbikes, dining with GP colleagues, cars, and flying filled his leisure time. John leaves his wife, Ann; two sons; and three grandchildren.

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