

**MEMORIAL RESOLUTION OF THE ACADEMIC STAFF ASSEMBLY
OF THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON**

**ON THE DEATH OF CENTER FOR HEALTH SCIENCES
FORMER ASSISTANT VICE CHANCELLOR JUDITH L. ROSE**

Judith L. Rose, 62, passed away on May 4, 1999 after a four month battle with cancer.

For eleven years prior to her retirement in 1996, Judy was the Assistant Vice Chancellor for Health Sciences. In this position, she worked closely with all the health sciences units including the University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics, the UW Medical School, the School of Nursing, the School of Pharmacy, the Center for Health Sciences Library and the State Lab of Hygiene. As an administrator, she interacted with colleagues on a wide range of issues, most prominent of which were construction projects, facility development, personnel, space, campus planning and lease negotiation and contracts. Judy handled all of these tasks with dignity, determination and, above all, grace and humor. She impressed all those who worked with her with those qualities, and inspired her colleagues to collaborate and compromise, regardless of the impasse that the task might suggest.

Before taking on the role of Assistant Vice Chancellor, Judy was the Executive Director of the Maryville Retirement Community Project, 1983-1985. She served as the Director of Admissions at the University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics for two years, 1981-1983. She was a real estate development coordinator with the Carley Capital Group from 1978 through 1981. Prior to this, Judy was a social worker for private and public human service agencies in Chicago, Dallas and Ann Arbor from 1957-1971.

Judy received an undergraduate degree from DePauw University and an MA in social work from the University of Chicago.

Judy Rose was also active in many community organizations. She served as President and on the Board of Directors of the Visiting Nurse Service. She was on the Board of Trustees of the Visiting Nurse Foundation. She was on the Advisory Board of the Women's Health Initiative, and the board of Directors of ARC, a residential and counseling service for female ex-offenders. She served as President and on the board of the Business Forum. She served on the grants committee for A Fund for Women, the Board for the YWCA, United Cerebral Palsy and Volunteers in Probation. In addition, she held appointments to the Madison Civic Center Commission and the State of Wisconsin Examining Board of Architects, Professional Designers and Land Surveyors.

Judy is survived by her husband, James Stern; two sons, a step-son, a step-daughter, a brother and a sister and their spouses and offspring.

Judith Rose was a devoted wife and mother, a principled and determined volunteer and civic activist, and a gifted and dynamic administrator. Everyone who knew Judy appreciated her charm, her grace, her energy, her strength ... and above all, her enthusiasm for all challenges, large and small. She is truly one of Madison's legends! She left us all far too soon, but we are grateful that she gave so much of herself to all those she touched during her lifetime.

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