

Frederick Lee Wattering '61, entered in the bond on March 1, 1959 and the Chapter Eternal in 2019. He was a former Central Intelligence Agency official who spent 36 years in the clandestine world of spies and counterspies until he retired in 1998 to Lake County, Florida. As a CIA operative, he served tours of duty in Africa, Europe and the Middle East. He also was director of African Affairs for former President Reagan, a teacher at the National War College and attached for a while as security for the Department of Energy. He received the CIA's Intelligence Medal of Merit, the U.S. Army's Outstanding Civilian Service medal and the Energy Department's Exceptional Service Medal. After retirement, he taught international relations part time at Lake-Sumter Community College in Leesburg, FL. He is survived by his wife, Lavonne.