Robert McCook Jordan of Exeter, NH, formerly of Scarsdale, died peacefully on March 19 after a valiant engagement with Alzheimer's Disease. He was 85.

He was born in New York City on Nov. 8, 1929, to Charles Carson and Helen McCook Jordan.

After a childhood in Scarsdale, where he attended the public schools, Bob graduated from Williams College in 1951, and earned his MBA at NYU in 1958. He proudly served as a 1st Lieutenant in the United States Air Force in Korea. The Williams College Alumni Association benefitted from Bob's active efforts for many years.

Bob's professional life was largely spent with Bankers Trust Company in New York. Before retirement he worked with the Council for Aid to Education in New York. Throughout his working life he and his family lived in Scarsdale, where he served as an Elder of the Hitchcock Presbyterian Church. Bob's active support of many community activities and projects speaks to his dedication and generous spirit. He and his wife moved to Exeter in 2004.

He is survived by his wife, Susan Mudge Jordan, and his sons Robert McC. Jordan Jr. of West Bath, ME, and Andrew C. Jordan of El Paso, TX; also daughter-in-law Roberta Tabell Jordan of West Bath, and granddaughters Margaret and Sarah.

An intimate family gathering took place in Exeter on March 21.