

It is with the deepest sadness that we announce the sudden death of our friend and colleague, Bill Gower, on April 15, 2013. Bill was a most talented engineer and teacher and a very kind and gentle individual who will be missed by Livingston & Haven associates, customers, suppliers and everyone who knew him.



William C. Gower
1944-2013

Bill began his career with Livingston & Haven in March, 1970, as an outside salesperson in Winston-Salem. Following this, he wore many hats over his 43 years with our company. Bill's most recent role was Director of Training and Development, and he continued to be everyone's "go-to" person for hydraulic technical assistance. The William C. Gower Lecture Hall at Livingston & Haven was named in Bill's honor in 2008 because of his dedication to education, his love of learning and his willingness to share his knowledge. Bill was also a very proud recipient of L&H's Life Time Achievement Award, which he received in March of 2012.

We cannot begin to express what a tremendous loss this is for Livingston & Haven.

Bill Gower is survived by his wife, Diane, children Adam, Matthew and Meredith, and four grandchildren. The family has requested that memorials be made to:

Providence United Methodist Church
General Fund
2810 Providence Road
Charlotte, NC 28211