

DICTIONARIES AS MEMORIALS



We are urged to supplement books in school libraries in various ways. It is suggested we accomplish this is by recognizing weekly club speakers by placing a book in the school library in honor of them in lieu of speaker remembrances.

We are trying to carry the Dictionary Project to rural areas where independent school districts do not have access to organized Rotary Clubs.

Another good method to carry that rural distribution even farther would be to use monies received in the name of a deceased person by imprinting the bookplate signifying that it is being given in the name of the honoree.

The bottom half of the bookplate would appear something like this:

*Honoring the Life of Vernon L. Dixon
a Rotarian from Spokane, WA
by the Rotary Club of North Tulsa
22304 E Pine St, Tulsa, OK 74114*

A rural school or entire district could benefit by this contribution depending on the amount of the contribution.

At the end of the presentation the teacher might be handed a note suggesting it would be a valuable exercise for the children to write thank you letters to the family of the person we are honoring, leaving the address to which the letters should be sent.

In notifying the family of the deceased person they will surely appreciate our efforts in using their money in a worthwhile manner.