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In Memory of Roger Hawks

It is with great sadness that we announce the sudden passing of Roger E. Hawks, NY L ’75, on February 28, 2022, at the age of 69. Roger was the Assistant Executive Director Emeritus of The Tau Beta Pi Association, Inc. He was initiated into the NY Lambda Chapter of Tau Beta Pi in 1974 at the Pratt Institute where he graduated in 1975 with a B.S. in chemical engineering. Roger worked for the Maxwell House Division of General Foods for 10 years prior to joining Tau Beta Pi as an employee in 1986. He served as Assistant Secretary-Treasurer from 1986-2016, and as Director of Chapter Programs from 2016 until his departure in 2018.

Roger was the sixth and final person to hold the position of Assistant Secretary-Treasurer. He interacted with a number of members through his involvement in planning Convention, serving as the liaison to the District Program, and through his work supporting the collegiate chapters and petitioning societies. Roger met and married his wife, Stefanie, in January 1974.

At this time, we have not received any additional details, but the family will keep us informed if any services are planned.

To send a card or express your condolences to Stefanie or Robert (Roger’s brother), please send them to Angie (angie@tbp.org) and we will pass them along to the family.

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To make a gift in memory of Roger, send a check to “Tau Beta Pi” at the above address with “Roger Hawks Memorial” on the memo line or use Venmo (@taubetapi) or PayPal (tbp@tbp.org).

The staff at TBP HQ were shocked to learn of his passing and our thoughts and prayers go out to his family in this difficult time. Roger was a good man who will be sincerely missed.

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