FRANK BORDEN HANES, SR. received the A.B. degree from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 1942.

After a three-year term in the U.S. Navy, he became a journalist with the Winston-Salem Journal and Sentinel and later an author and poet. In the business world, he is a director of the Hanes Dye and Finishing Company and Chatham Manufacturing Company. In the world of the arts, he has served as president of the Winston-Salem Arts Council, president of Old Salem, Incorporated, and chairman of the North Carolina Writers' Conference. Since 1951 he has published six books, including Abel Anders, a book of narrative poetry, which won the Roanoke Chowan Award for Poetry and Fleet Rabble, a book of prose that won the Sir Walter Raleigh Award for Fiction. Mr. Hanes received from the University the Distinguished Alumnus Award in 1975.

Mr. Hanes has a long record of service to the University at Chapel Hill. In the early 1960's, he was chairman of a special fund-raising committee that successfully secured for the University endowed professorships, then this institution's most pressing need. He serves as a trustee of the Morehead Foundation, which has enriched the lives of both this institution and the students who attend it. He is a member of the Order of the Tar Heel 100.

A special interest of Mr. Hanes has been the University Library, and in particular the Rare Book Collection. He has served as Chairman of the Friends of the Library, and through his organizing efforts, the University received both its one-millionth and its two-millionth volume from the Hanes family. These works of incunabula were *The Confessio Amantis* by John Gower, printed in England in 1493 by William Caxton, the first English printer, and *The Book of Hawking, Hunting, and Heraldry*, one of eight existing copies from the first printing in 1486 by the anonymous schoolmaster printer of St. Albans. This work contains the first color reproduction ever printed in England.

Mr. Hanes and his wife, Bob Ed, have established a Chair in the Department of English.

Mr. Hanes served as first Chairman of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Arts and Sciences Foundation.

Frank Hanes is now recognized for his life-long interest, support and strengthening of University programs in the humanities, and more broadly the Arts and Sciences, the programs that have touched the lives of by far the majority of our alumni.