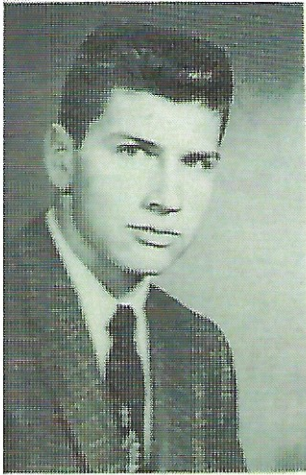


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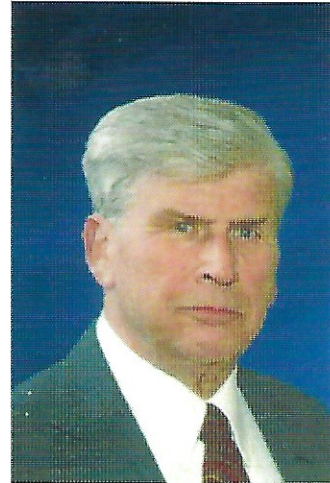


## Morris Dingman - Class of '57



Morris Dingman  
"A man of few  
words, wisely spoken."

Vice-President -4  
Baseball -2,3  
Wolverine Boys  
State -3



**Morris Dingman has been selected for the Durand Distinguished Award for his career achievements and his extensive community service.**

- Studied Mechanical Engineering at GMI & the University of Michigan, earning his CME and B.S.
- Served his country in the United States Army.
- Worked in product development and engineering for B.F. Goodrich Co. designing tires for automobiles, trucks, and aircraft, including military and commercial jets.
- Projects of note include the NASA space shuttle tires, and tires for Air Force One and the SR-71 Blackbird Mach 2 spy plane.
- Now a nationally recognized expert on tires and owns his own consulting firm.
- Serves in numerous professional organizations related to engineering.
- Member of the Lions Club, Canton Alliance Massilon Users Group, National Rifle Association, and the American Legion.
- Serves the village of Hartville, Ohio as chairman of the zoning appeals board
- Past elected member of the Hartville Board of Trustees of Public Affairs.
- Collects classic cars and takes part in parades all over northeast Ohio.