

IN MEMORIAM**Edgar Bacon**

Jonesville
December 1917 — December 1999

William A. King

East Orleans, MA
May 1908 — May 1999

Donald P. Libera

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July 1914 — December 1999

Richard F. Pence

Roanoke
May 1913 — November 1999

Cary Jacquelin Randolph

Martinsville
December 1903 — December 1999

Stephen Allen Vickers

Chester
July 1955 — November 1999

**LOCAL & SPECIALTY
BAR ELECTIONS****BUCHANAN COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION:**

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VSB Bar Counsel Honored with Women of Achievement Award

Barbara Ann Williams, Bar Counsel for the Virginia State Bar, received the Metro Richmond Women's Bar Association's Women of Achievement Award on December 1, 1999. Williams joined the bar staff in January, 1998, and was instrumental in completing a needs assessment for the Office of Bar Counsel.

As Bar Counsel, Williams oversees a staff of 13 attorneys, 9 investigators, and 17 support personnel, and a current budget of more than \$2 million. She supervises the regulation of ethical conduct for all licensed Virginia attorneys, and serves as the spokesperson for the disciplinary system.

Before joining the VSB, Williams spent 17 years as a litigator. She has served as an adjunct assistant professor at the T.C.

Williams School of Law at the University of Richmond and donated many hours doing intake work at Central Virginia Legal Aid. Williams has also served on the University of Virginia School of Law's National Litigation Panel, and works as a Neutral Evaluator of the Richmond Circuit Court Early Neutral Evaluation Program. She is a director of the Richmond Bar Association and a past member and chair of the Judicial Nominations Committee of the Metro Richmond Women's Bar Association.

Williams received her undergraduate degree from Agnes Scott College, where she was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, a Charles H. Dana Scholar, and on Mortar Board. She earned her J.D. from the University of Virginia School of Law, where she was a Hardy Cross Dillard Fellow.

The award has been presented to 18 different women since its inception in 1994. The purpose of the award is to "promote the stature of women attorneys in the community and to recognize one or more women who exemplify legal professionalism." Recipients of the 1998 award were Virginia L. Hackney and Barbara L. Hulburt.



Barbara Ann Williams was awarded the Sixth Annual Women of Achievement Award by the Metropolitan Richmond Women's Bar Association. She is pictured with Teri C. Miles, MRWBA president (left), and Stephanie E. Grana, MRWBA awards committee chair (right).