

## IN MEMORIAM

## Fredric T. Howard

May 17, 1939 - September 26, 2022

Fredric Timothy Howard was born in Fort Worth, Texas, to John and Anna Goerner Howard. He died at home in Winston-Salem, N.C. He held degrees in mathematics from Vanderbilt and Duke Universities and taught at Wake Forest University for 40 years. He was an active researcher, writing on generalizations of Bernoulli numbers and polynomials among other topics. He especially enjoyed his work with the graduate program at Wake Forest.

Fred served as President of the Board of the Fibonacci Association from 1999 to 2005. He hosted the Fourth International Conference of the Association at Wake Forest in 1990 and edited several *Proceedings of the International Conference on Fibonacci Numbers and Their Applications*. I first met Fred at the Third International Conference in Pisa, Italy, in 1988.

On a personal note, my husband Frank and I had the pleasure of dining with Fred and his wife Gail after Board meetings; we exchanged Christmas cards for many years. We wore our sunflower T-shirts from the Wake Forest conference at several meetings, including the Morelia, Mexico conference in 2010. Karl Dilcher represented the Board at Fred's official retirement.

Rest in peace, our friend.

Marjorie Bickell Johnson