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Condolences

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Abstract

Condolences for Pat Strong from students, friends, and colleagues.

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Condolences

Dear A.P.

I'm sure everyone will try their very best to keep RMS running as you would wish. It will need about 5 people to replace you. We all miss you.

Pam & Nigel (Harper).

To AP,

With deepest appreciation of your friendship and understanding over several years, from my student days to my time as (hopefully) a respected member of the community!

Stuart J. Blake

To AP.

We are behind you, the fingers of victory in adversity in that infamous poster behind your desk will inspire us to follow your example.

Love and Best Wishes. Andrew Norton.

To AP, without whom a generation of medical students would not have passed exams with so many laughs

Kirsty Moreland

To AP, the RMS will never be the same again.

Ted Duvall

We will remember + love you always.

Alex Baker

The fags got you in the end!

Beverley + Andrew Norton

Dear A.P.,

It's not often you meet someone who instantly makes you feel so good and at ease. Thank you for all the time spent with both our sons and the R.M.S.

RJ Mills

AP,

Like so many others I don't know where I would be without your advice, help and most of all friendship.

Jacob

Dearest Pat,

Wherever you are, I can never look at the staircase that you quipped was "between us" without seeing you bounding down it!

Bonnie Dudley Edwards (pp also Owen)

AP,

You made the RMS a home away from home and a refuge in any storm. Friendship and advice, Telegraph crosswords and cups of tea: thanks for everything - we love you!

Katie

AP,

You will be sorely missed.

David

JHO interview:

"Mr Finch, *how* did you manage to pass medical school?"

"A.P. shouted at me for three years."

I don't know what I'll do next time I need told to study. We all love you A.P.

Simon

Dearest A.P.

Thank you for a wonderful friendship. I'll miss you very much.

Much love, Fanny

Dearest A.P.

I don't know where I would be if I hadn't met you. We will all miss you dearly. The office is becoming a smoke-free, bridge-free room - what a tragedy! Missing you always,

Sarah Miller

Dear A.P.

Over 223 years the Society has continued to flourish but no-one in its long history has done more for it than you. We salute your memory with deep gratitude.

Iain MacLaren
Chairman RMS Trust

My dear A.P.

I will always count it one of the privileges of my career to have been able to know you and admire your work for and devotion to the members of the RMS.

Andrew Calder, RMS

The whole purpose of physiotherapy was to enable AP to stick two fingers up at Prof Douglas on the ward rounds.

Anon

AP was the one who introduced me to the wonderful game of bridge, who helped me out with my first few games. The office won't be the same without her and one of her regular games of bridge every lunchtime, plus the obligatory Telegraph crossword for everyone to try out. She was always keeping me right while I was library convener, in particular nagging about how untidy the library always seemed to be! I'll also remember how she, among others, helped empty the library during the Millennium Refurbishment™. I won't forget you AP.

Hajirin Ahamat

I remember on her 80th birthday, the look of sheer surprise and delight on her face - we all laughed heartily and had a great (sunny) afternoon.

Tim Andrews