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While working as an editor for several United States Senate investigative committees, you discovered that governments and those who govern are not infallible. Your career led to responsible positions with both private industry and government agencies, and yet you found the time to organize thousands of documents and serve as editor and typesetter for your devoted husband, Harold, making possible the publication of his work. You have opened your home to those searching for answers, and your outreach to others—neighbors, friends and even strangers—has remained steadfast as you have shared your wide-ranging talents: culinary, editorial and financial. It is with great pride that Hood College honors you today.

Mr. and Mrs. Weisberg are a team. Mr. Weisberg does the research and writes, while Mrs. Weisberg organizes the resource materials and edits and types the manuscripts for publication. She also has indexed his published works.

Lillian Stone Weisberg, who grew up in Hyattstown, was educated in Maryland's public schools and was graduated from the Strayer Business College.

Throughout her career she has worked for both private and governmental agencies, including six years on Capitol Hill where she

was assistant editor to two Senate Committees, Senator Bertram Wheeler's investigation of the railroad industry and Senator Gerald Nye's investigation of the munitions industry. She has worked as a tax consultant, and assists senior citizens with their tax work.

Prior to moving to Frederick County in 1967, the Weisbergs owned and operated a chicken farm in Hyattstown. In 1956, her flair for cooking earned her the title of National Chicken Cooking Champion and she appeared on numerous television and radio programs.

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