

Information to be used for Memorial Article (Self Written)

Name _____ Cullum No. _____ Class of _____

(Note: Please do not be restricted by the space provided for information being requested. The format is being provided only as a guide.)

1. Life before West Point:

a. Date _____ and Place of Birth _____

b. Family background (military connection and/or lifestyle that helped prepare you for West Point). _____

c. High School _____ City & State _____

d. Prior College _____ City & State _____

e. Why did you want to attend West Point? _____

2. Cadet Life:

a. Special achievements or incidents as a cadet that tell more about you as a person

b. What significant values, experiences or instruction were carried over to your life after graduation? _____

3. Active Duty Period:

a. Branch _____ Assignments (If answer to b. below is yes disregard)

b. Is Register Information current and complete Yes No. If no, the following should be added _____

c. Significant assignments and achievements _____

d. Date you left military service _____ Did you retire Yes No
Place of retirement _____

4. Civilian Employment (after military service):

a. Career Field(s) _____

b. Post Graduate Schools attended, degrees attained _____

c. Position(s) held - Significant achievement(s) _____

d. Date you left civilian employment _____ Did you retire Yes No

e. Current address (city and state): _____

5. Family Life:

a. Date and place of marriage _____

b. Name of Spouse _____ Names of Children _____

c. Children attending/attended West Point (names and Class Year) _____

6. Life after retirement:

a. Interests, hobbies, pursuits and accomplishments _____

b. Reflection on your life, you as a person as you want to be remembered _____

7. Family Members, Classmates or Friends who would be the best source of information about you and your life _____

8. Photo enclosed Yes No - Use Howitzer photo Yes No

9. Additional comments not covered above _____

Preparing Memorial Articles can be a difficult task. Providing the information requested above will go a long way to assist your loved ones and friends with writing the final tribute to you.