

Edward B. Winn

Born in 1920, and a life-long resident of Dallas, Ed Winn is a graduate of the University of Texas and of Yale University School of Law. He served in the United States Navy Reserve and was decorated with the Admiral's Commendations in 1943. He has been actively involved in the practice of law in Dallas since 1948, associated with Winn, Beaudry, & Winn, L.L.P. since 1992, serving as managing partner of that firm. He has co-authored numerous publications in the estate planning and probate field, including *How to Live and Die with Texas Probate*, *Texas Estate Administration*, and *The Estate Lawyer*, The Joseph Trachtman Annual Lecture. With the American Bar Association, Ed has served as a member of its Board of Governors, and as a member of the standing committees on the National Conference of Lawyers and Corporate Fiduciaries, Committee on Continuing Professional Education, and has chaired the ABA's Real Property, Probate, and Trust Law Section. He served as chairman of an ad hoc committee on Improvement of Probate Procedure, Real Property, Probate, and Trust Law in the early 1950s. He has chaired the Real Estate, Probate, and Trust Law Section of the State Bar of Texas and in 1985 received the William W. Treat Award for Excellence awarded by the National College of Probate Judges to only one probate attorney, annually. Ed has also served as president of the American College of Trust and Estate Counsel and is renowned for his service as chairman of the Institute on Wills and Probate sponsored by the Southwestern Legal Foundation from 1966 to 1995.

Both Chrys and Ed personify the ideals of professionalism and service in estate planning and probate law. Congratulations to both of these men for their lifetime of service to the profession.