

## **Justice William D. Hutchinson**

1932-1995

### **Term**

January 1982-October 19, 1987

### **Education**

- Moravian College, B.A., magna cum laude, 1954
- Harvard Law School, J.D., 1957

### **Professional Experience**

- Private Practice, 1958-1981
- Assistant District Attorney, Schuylkill County, 1963-1969
- Solicitor, Schuylkill County, 1969-1971
- Member, Pennsylvania House of Representatives, 1973- January 4, 1982
- Elected Justice, Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, November 1981
- President Ronald Reagan nominated Hutchinson, Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit, June 26, 1987, confirmed by Senate, August 5, 1987, received commission, August 7, 1987
- Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit, August 7, 1987-October 8, 1995
- Died in office, October 8, 1995

### **Honor and Awards**

- John Amos Comenius Award, Moravian College, 1982

### **Memberships and Associations**

- American, Pennsylvania, Schuylkill County Bar Associations
- American Judicature Society
- Pomeroy Committee on Unified Judicial System in Pennsylvania
- Chairman, Joint State Government Committee, 1981
- Task Force on Elected Attorney General and Commonwealth Attorney Act
- Cressona Lodge, F&AM
- Caldwell Consistory
- Rajah Shrine
- Tall Cedars
- St. David's Society, Schuylkill and Carbon Counties
- Lay Leader, chairman of the board of trustees, First United Methodist Church

### **Publications**

- Some Considerations on the Problem of Compensation for Loss of Goodwill in Condemnation Proceedings (1957).

### **Sources**

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