



1 Wally's daughter, an attorney from Cumberland County, and  
2 seconded by S. -- Scott Walter Foulkrod, IV, Wally's son.

3 ATTORNEY HEILMAN: To the honorable judges of  
4 the court, colleagues at the bar, family, and friends here  
5 today to celebrate the life of S. Walter Foulkrod, III, my  
6 dad.

7 My dad valued being a member of this Bar  
8 Association. He had great respect for his colleagues, the  
9 legal profession, and the United States judicial system more  
10 broadly. He often said it was the greatest judicial system  
11 in the world, and he was proud to be part of it. Thank you  
12 for remembering him today.

13 Therefore, be it resolved that the Bar  
14 Association mourns the death of S. Walter Foulkrod, III, and  
15 extends its sympathy and condolences to his family and  
16 friends.

17 And be it further resolved that copies of this  
18 memorial resolution be placed on the records of the Dauphin  
19 County Court and the Dauphin County Bar Association and that  
20 the original be filed with the office of the prothonotary and  
21 that copies be transmitted to his family.

22 ATTORNEY FOULKROD: Good afternoon, everybody.  
23 Thank you for coming here.

24 These services were important to my father. My  
25 father served as my mentor as a young attorney and used to

1 bring me to these back in those days. It amuses some of my  
2 friends that all three of his kids, including our brother,  
3 Andy, went to law school and practiced law in this county and  
4 surrounding counties.

5           Some things that were important to my father --  
6 this is going to be a little bit more personal perhaps. It  
7 was important to him, and I -- in his eulogy in church, I  
8 discussed how important it was for him to have a  
9 collegiality. And my sister and I discussed this on our way  
10 over here, how we came to this conclusion together.

11           Give your opponents every consideration  
12 possible. Give them an extension of time for filing  
13 something, an extension of trial, a continuance of trial, so  
14 they can go on vacation with their families, so they can care  
15 for a sick loved one. He was very general about this and  
16 very specific about this in certain instances.

17           It was also very important for him -- I  
18 remember him pulling me into a deposition one time -- and I'm  
19 going to mention somebody who may or may not be here today --  
20 and he pointed to opposing counsel, plaintiff's counsel. He  
21 said, Watch her.

22           And I was wondering, Is he giving me a warning?  
23 And I asked him to clarify that.

24           And he said, No, I want you to watch her.

25           Because she embodied -- this April

1 Strang-Kutay, member of the Bar -- she embodied everything  
2 that he admired in an attorney. And he didn't stop with her.  
3 He -- he discussed this with me, would point out -- because  
4 while he was my mentor, he wanted to point out who else may  
5 be a good mentor or example for me. And what he appreciated  
6 about her and members of the bench here and other colleagues  
7 and opposing counsel was those who matched an intellect and  
8 skill as an attorney with the manner of a lady and a  
9 gentleman.

10 Judge Cherry's nodding his head right now.

11 And I recall a conversation with you when you  
12 approved of something I did and followed it up about two  
13 decades ago, and you said, It was 'cause you were raised  
14 right 'cause of your father.

15 Another member of the bench here -- and pardon  
16 me if I use first names -- Andy Dowling, pulled me aside when  
17 he was my moot court judge in law school, and these things  
18 stick with you. And he said -- he was giving advice to each  
19 of us after listening to us argue.

20 He said, Scott, you need to go watch your  
21 father in court. Said, My judge -- my father, the judge,  
22 told me to go watch your father in court.

23 And when I ran into you decades later, he still  
24 remembered the name of that case where you shadowed my dad.  
25 And these things stick with you.

1                   So I did shadow my father, and he was my  
2 mentor, and I worked with him for a number of years. And he  
3 would point out members of the bar and members of the bench  
4 who would combine this lady and gentleman -- gentleman-like  
5 manner with their skills and their intellect. He thought it  
6 was the best of the profession.

7                   He thought we needed to be the best for the  
8 profession for what he would say -- and I remember Judge  
9 Marsico once saying -- is the greatest legal system in the  
10 world. And he would point it out with members of the bench  
11 too, starting with Judge Clarence Morris -- and his picture's  
12 up there on the wall -- and a number of you here today, Judge  
13 Lewis and Judge Cherry.

14                   And in his last days, my dad was brought down  
15 by Parkinson's. He -- and it required him to retire early.  
16 But my brother and I and our sister would still take him out  
17 to lunch almost every weekend and tell him stories of what  
18 was going on in our life.

19                   And my last story to him about this courtroom  
20 and those who embody the legal system here -- because it  
21 takes us to embody the legal system and make it everything it  
22 can be because the world is watching -- and I told him a  
23 story about how I would bring my students, university  
24 students, in here. And members of the bench would almost  
25 literally leap down from behind the bench to come down and

1 greet my students, welcoming them to this profession and the  
2 role they were going to play and making them feel welcome  
3 when they were scared to death to walk into this room and  
4 having a chat with them about the case that they were  
5 watching.

6 Just last semester, Judge Cherry, Judge  
7 Lewis -- appreciate this -- Judge Evans. I remember a couple  
8 years ago, Judge McNally. Thank you. When I told my dad  
9 these stories, he would -- he couldn't communicate much at  
10 the time, but what he had left was a big smile, and he  
11 appreciated it.

12 Thanks.

13 ATTORNEY GACKI: Thank you.

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