

Isaac Stein '64

Isaac Stein entered the Bay Shore Schools as a student at the Fourth Avenue School during its last year of operations. He has fond memories of growing up in Bay Shore with so many great friends at Bay Shore High School. Isaac still loves to recall the wonderful chocolate chip cookies made by Miss Hall for Latin Club meetings!

After graduating from BSHS in 1964, Isaac received a BA in Economics and Mathematics from Colgate University in 1968 and after getting married made his first trip west of Philadelphia to start graduate school in California. In 1972 he received joint JD and MBA degrees from Stanford University.

After serving as a partner in one of California's leading law firms, Isaac has had a diverse career in both the business and nonprofit communities. In business, he has co-founded or served as an officer or director of numerous public and private companies. Examples include ALZA Corporation, Maxygen, Alexza and CV Therapeutics in the biotechnology industry; Raychem Corporation and Symyx in materials science; and both the American Century and American Funds mutual fund groups in the financial services industry. He also served as Chairman of Esprit de Corp, the apparel company, and led groups which owned the Dorchester Hotel in London and developed the Ritz Carlton San Francisco.

Much of Isaac's nonprofit activity has centered on Stanford University, where he served as Chairman of the Board of Trustees and continues to serve as a trustee. Isaac served for many years as a director and Chair of the Board of the Stanford University Hospital and UCSF Stanford Healthcare. In addition to Stanford, Isaac is currently a trustee of The James Irvine Foundation (a \$2 billion foundation) and was a founding director of the Entrepreneurs Foundation. He also served as a member of both the National Science and Technology Board and the International Advisory Council of the Economic Development Board of Singapore. Previously, he was a director and board President of the Crystal Springs Uplands School.

In 2005, Isaac received the Gold Spike Award for distinguished service to Stanford and in 2004, together with his wife, Madeline, received the John W. Gardner Visionary Award from Pathways Hospice.

Isaac and Maddy, who just celebrated their 40th anniversary, still live near Stanford in Atherton, California and are blessed with two children and two grandchildren. Avid skiers, they also have a home in Deer Valley, Utah.