



HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE

DALE CLAYPOOL
BUSINESS LEADER and DEMOLAY ICON
Pilgrim Chapter

One can only imagine the thousands, if not tens of thousands of lives that Dale Claypool impacted. As Director of the DeMolay Leadership Training Conference Program beginning in the early Seventies and his service continues to this day. Dale Claypool has lived his life with excellence and has made the profound difference in the lives of countless others.

Dale Claypool joined Pilgrim Chapter in Bend Oregon in 1959. He quickly rose through the ranks with his DeMolay Brother Jim Conner, another giant in Oregon DeMolay. As Dale took over his family's furniture business which he successfully led for 40 years, he also devoted his life to supporting the young men of Central Oregon through his leadership of Pilgrim Chapter. During his stewardship of Oregon DeMolay Chapter in Bend, it became the largest in the World.

It was not just about numbers and breaking records. It was about personal development, character building, and providing leadership opportunities to all young men in the growing community of Bend, Oregon. And look at where Bend is today, an exciting, growing, and thriving Oregon community.

Dale's life is one of giving and of service. He lives his life every day devoted to DeMolay and what he created will live on through the lives of the many young men he taught, mentored, and inspired.

Oregon DeMolay is proud to honor Dale Claypool as he is inducted into the Inaugural Oregon DeMolay Hall of Fame.