

Partner to the Poor: A Life Dedicated to Global Justice

by Jerry W. Tarr

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About the Author

Jerry W. Tarr was born in 1929 in Kansas City, Missouri. He graduated from the University of Kansas in 1951 and from Harvard Business School in 1953. After serving in the U.S. Army, he joined CARE in 1957. He served as the executive director of CARE from 1970 to 1983. After leaving CARE, he continued to work in the field of international development, serving as a consultant to the United Nations and other organizations. He also taught at the University of Notre Dame and the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy at Tufts University.

Tarr received numerous awards for his work, including the Presidential Medal of Freedom, the highest civilian award in the United States. He was also a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences and the Council on Foreign Relations.

Tarr died in 2017 at the age of 88.

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