

Dedication

This volume is dedicated to the memory of Dr. Stanley Frost (February 17, 1913–July 25, 2013), who was born in England before World War I, and passed away in Montreal a few months after celebrating his 100th birthday. After coming to McGill in 1956, he served successively as Professor of Old Testament Studies and Dean, Faculty of Divinity—subsequently Faculty of Religious Studies—Dean of Graduate Studies and Research, and Vice-Principal Administration and Professional Faculties. Notable publications of this era were:

- The Beginning of the Promise, Eight Lectures on Genesis* (1960)
- Patriarchs and Prophets* (1963)
- Standing and Understanding: a Reappraisal of the Christian Faith* (1969).

From 1975 to 2003 he served as the first Director of the History of McGill Project, publishing among other things:

- McGill University: for the Advancement of Learning*. vol. I, 1801-1895. 1980
- McGill University: for the Advancement of Learning*. vol. II, 1895-1971. 1984
- The Man in the Ivory Tower: F. Cyril James of McGill*. 1991
- James McGill of Montreal*. 1995

In later years, Dr. Frost published annual volumes of his poetry for friends and associates. Many of the poems were anthologized in:

- Autumn Harvest, Selected Poems*. 2002 “Fontanus Monograph”

He was particularly concerned with libraries. From 1963 to 1970 he was Chair of the University Libraries Committee. He was also a member of the first Editorial Committee for *Fontanus: from the Collections of McGill University*, in which he published the following articles:

- “The Redpath Hall: the Portraits,” v. 6 (1993) p. 85-96.
- “James McGill and the War of 1812,” v. 7 (1994) p. 41-52.
- “Sir William Macdonald: an Unfinished Portrait,” with Robert Michel, v. 8 (1995) p. 58-81.
- “Much Given to Reading:’ a Literary Footnote on James McGill,” v. 9 (1996) p. 9-15.