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Memorial to be held for prof Dr. Davenport dies at the age of 71 at daughter's home

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Memorial services for Texas A&M philosophy and humanities professor Dr. Manuel Mason Davenport, who died Aug. 31 in his daughter's Houston home at the age of 71, will be Sunday at All Faiths Chapel on campus.

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Born in Colorado Springs, Colo., in 1929, Davenport served in the Army until he was honorably discharged in 1952.

Davenport received a bachelor's degree in philosophy from Southern Nazarene University in 1950, a masthe University of Illinois in 1957.

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program from 1990 to 1994 and was 1989. He received the College of distinguished visiting professor at the U.S. Air Force Academy in 1980-'81 and 1994-'95

The faculty, staff and students of the department of philosophy viewed Davenport as an extraordinary teacher.

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Davenport was noted for his exof philosophy and applied ethics, and he authored numerous articles and

Award in 1982. Davenport was a member of various University and college committees, was active in his community, belonged to many professional orga-

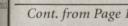
nizations and served as an adviser to student organizations. He was listed in the Directory of American Scholars, International Scholars Director, Who's Who in America and Who's Who in Education. He was also a member of the Student Publications Board from 1983 to 1996. When it came to the student me-

dia, Self said, Davenport was a defender of the First Amendment. "He understood the need for free

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expression," he said. "He was opposed to censorship and was an ad-vocate for freedom of speech. He felt that through argument was the only

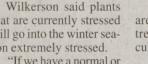
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