

MEL HOOVER AND SPENCER HOOVER SCHOLARSHIP

Mel Hoover was born on August 1, 1928. He graduated from Minot High School, attended the US Navy Quartermaster School, and spent three years at Minot State University with a focus in Business. Following his time at MSU, Mel was employed in the auto industry for many years earning numerous prestigious awards and recognitions. Mel owned the Oldsmobile-Nissan dealership and served as president of the Minot Motor Trades board of directors and the North Dakota Auto Association.

Mel married Yvonne Falstad on July 28, 1950. They had seven children.

Spencer Hoover is a Minot native and the son of Melvin and Yvonne Hoover. He is a 1977 graduate of Minot High School, attended the University of North Dakota, and graduated from Minot State University in 1982 with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Business Management with concentrations in Real Estate and Accounting. He has been involved in the financial industry since 1984.