



# AMERICAN ACADEMY OF FIXED PROSTHODONTICS

## PRESIDENTIAL BIOGRAPHY



**DALE L. TIMBERLAKE DDS**

**PRESIDENT, AAFP 1993-1994**

*Dr. Dale L. Timberlake was born on July 11, 1927. He entered the U.S. Army at the age of eighteen and served from 1945 to 1947 where he received training as a laboratory technician and his introduction to dentistry. He did his pre-dental training at the University of Washington and applied and was accepted to the University of Washington School of Dentistry where he received his D.D.S. in 1955.*

*He practiced dentistry from 1955 to 1960 in Seattle, Washington. He moved to Phoenix, Arizona where he practiced full-time from 1960 to 1995.*

*His teaching affiliations included Visiting Clinical Assistant Professor in Advanced Prosthodontics from 1971 to 1982. He was invited to do by Dr. Alex Koper whom he met as a member of the Odontic Seminar, which was originally founded by Dr. Morris Thompson of Beverly Hills, California. Dr. Thompson was the developer and designer of the equipment and techniques of irreversible (agar) hydrocolloid.*

*Dr. Timberlake was a Lecturer and Director of the Aderer Foundation of New York and a lecturer for the United States Public Health Service. Dale also was a member of the Phoenix Prosthodontic Seminar from 1975-1995. He also published in the Arizona State Dental Journal and was a co-author of the Arizona Dental Practice Act with Senator Jon Kyl.*

*Dale was a member of the American Academy of Restorative Dentistry, the International Academy of Gnathology, and International College of Dentists. He is a life member of the American Academy of Fixed Prosthodontics where he served as Director for 11 years. He was our President in 1994. He retired in Phoenix in 1995.*