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Mr. Ronald H. Dayne was born in London, England. His parents were musicians and they emigrated to the United States even before Ron was a year old. They settled in Detroit and later moved to Springwells which became Fordson, then East Dearborn.

He has quite a wide and varied educational background. After graduating from Fordson High School, Ron went on to Pasadena, California Jr. College and then came back to Lawrence Institute of Technology. After some work experience he took a course in Applied Management Services at the University of Minnesota and later on he attended the International Career Management Institute where he earned an MBE degree.

Mr. Dayne started his career in California working in retail sales and marketing. Later he worked as a research technician for Leedy Research Corp. and at Ford Motor Co. in industrial photography. Ron then became manager of a Photo Reproduction Co. and finally President and co-founder of a major photographic custom lab servicing advertising agencies, art studios, photographers and display companies.

Ron joined Kiwanis in May 1943 at the invitation of a former Boy Scout and school companion. He immediately immersed into the club's Boy Scout program. He became Troop Committee man and then chairman of Boys' and Girls' work. He chaired most of the Reporting Committees and served as President in 1972-73. Ron earned distinguished designation while serving as Lt. Governor in 1976-77 and he was given Life Membership after serving as Lt. Governor. He is a Legion of Honor member with 42 years' perfect attendance which was only broken after retirement and extended travels.

Ron served on the District Finance committee and served as Leadership Training Activities chairman of District Achievement committee for three years. He was appointed and served as a Kiwanis International Accredited Representative.