Roger W. Sperry, won Nobel Prize

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Roger W. Sperry, a Nobel laureate and neurobiologist who showed how the brain's left and right hemispheres worked separately and together, died of a heart attack at 80.

For his pioneering research involving “split-brain” patients — those whose left and right brain hemispheres were surgically cut — Sperry earned the Nobel Prize for medicine-physiology in 1981, with David H. Hubel and Torsten N. Wiesel.

Sperry also received the National Medal of Science in 1989.

Rudman, a hormone specialist, was an associate chief of staff for extended care at the Zablocki Veterans Affairs Medical Center and a professor of medicine at the Medical College of Wisconsin in Wauwatosa.

His research found that growth hormones could reverse some body composition changes in frail older men.

Hans Burkhardt, painter for most of 20th century

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Hans Burkhardt, 89, a modern painter whose career spanned most of the 20th