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MAXIM CO-FOUNDER LEE EVANS DIES AT AGE 70

SUNNYVALE, CA—July 19, 2002—Maxim Integrated Products, Inc., (Nasdaq: MXIM) announced the death on July 16 of Lee Evans, one of the Company's founders, after a prolonged illness. He was 70 years old.

Before co-founding Maxim in 1983, along with Jack Gifford, Dave Fullagar, and several others, Evans was a senior design engineer at Texas Instruments, Siliconix, and Intersil Corporation. Evans specialized in the design of CMOS operational amplifiers and was responsible for several of Maxim's first proprietary products. Jack Gifford, Maxim Chairman, President, and Chief Executive Officer, commented: "Mr. Evans pioneered the use of CMOS technology for precision analog circuits. He invented the industry's first dual slope A/D converters that revolutionized the digital voltmeter industry. His technical leadership at Maxim provided a very fertile environment for invention and product development."

Mr. Evans is survived by his wife, five children, twelve grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

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