The doyen of Orthopaedic Surgery, Dr. SP Gupta was born on 20/08/1927. He was a leading practitioner for 57 years, a 1949 MBBS from KGMC, Lucknow, having specialized in Orthopaedics, he has attained his FRCS from Canada during his five years stay in the US.

Dr. Gupta was an unparalleled craftsman and a strict disciplinarian. He pioneered Joint Replacement Surgery and Scoliosis surgery in India. Many of today’s leading Orthopaedicians in West UP were trained by him. He was a true mentor for many.

Apart from being a renowned Orthopaedist Dr. SP Gupta was a well known philatelist, his collection of modern India and Gandhi stamps runs into more than 700 album pages, his collection was acknowledged by many National & International Stamp Exhibitions. He was a founder patron of Meerut Oncocon since its inception in 2009.

He left us for his heavenly abode on 07/09/2016. Dr. SP Gupta will always be remembered.

Schooled from St Mary’s Academy Meerut, he did his MBBS and MS orthopaedics from LLRM Medical College. After working for a few years at Apollo and Sitaram Bhartiya New Delhi, he established his private practice on Delhi Road in year 2000 under the name of Mahaveer Orthopaedic and trauma centre.

Kind hearted, well read and intelligent Dr. Diwakar was very popular among his patients, friends and family. He worked in a lot of charitable institutions and was always there in the hour of need. He was well known among his peers for his love of music and travelling.

He held various academic posts in MSMA (Meerut South Medical Association), IMA (Indian Medical Association) and Alexander Club.

Cherished by all he will continue to live in our memories forever.