

The gifted Pakistani theorist M.A.B. (Baqi) Beg of Rockefeller, who died on 30 January 1990 at the age of 55, had been scheduled to speak at a meeting at Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad, that March. This was instead dedicated to his memory. The proceedings of this meeting, together with some additional papers, are now published by World Scientific (M.A.B. Beg, Memorial Volume, edited by Ahmed Ali of DESY and Pervez Hoodbhoy of Islamabad, ISBN 981-02-0714-X).

The book concludes with a fascinating paper, written by Beg just before he died, for the 70th birthday Festschrift for Luigi Radicati, giving a front seat view of the dramatic theoretical physics of the mid-1960s and Beg's own role in the development of classic $SU(6)$ results.