

David Evett died at home on 25 May 2011, aged 74. He had retired to Arlington, Massachusetts, having been one of the founders of the Boston-area Actors' Shakespeare Project. He was a frequent Scholar in Residence with the company, principal dramaturg, and sometime actor and set builder.

Mr. Evett was educated at the University of the South and received his Ph.D. from Harvard University. He held a Fulbright Scholarship in France and taught for five years at the University of Madison before taking a post at Cleveland State University. He is well known to Shakespeare scholars as the author of *Literature and the Visual Arts in Tudor England* (1990), which won the British Council Prize in the Humanities, and *Discourses of Service in Shakespeare's England* (2005); he also wrote a volume of poetry, *Strange Loops* (1985).