



Mr Richard "Dick" Caswell Carney

November 24, 1939 - January 30, 2012

Richard "Dick" Caswell Carney was born November 24, 1939 and departed this life Monday, January 30, 2012. Dick served in the U.S. Air Force and law enforcement, after surviving severe burns, he began volunteering with the American Red Cross and opened the first Red Cross Blood Center in Greenville.

He will be most remembered for his enthusiasm for helping others, whether it was storm victims, lost animals or strangers in need. Through his involvement with Peace Presbyterian Church, Dick spearheaded rescue efforts in Haiti, the Gulf Coast and right here at home. Dick's unmatched passion for animals led him to spend numerous hours working with Spay Today, Pitt County Humane Society and the ASPCA. As an elder at Peace Presbyterian Church, Dick energized others with his love for helping others.

Dick is survived by his wife, Kay Carney; sons, Richard Pittman and wife, Susan Stewart Pittman and wife, Michelle; grandchildren, Karie Pittman, Davis Pittman, Gabbie Pittman, Hannah Pittman, Justin Pittman, Courtney Cyrus, Cody Cyrus, Jonah Downer, Ian Downer and Ella Downer; sisters, Leigh Boyette and Mitchell Jackson of Rocky Mount, Rebecca Carney of Mexico; stepchildren Vanessa Downer and husband, David and Brian Cyrus and wife Tammy; close friends Joe Liuzza and Eric Sjoerdsma; constant four-legged companion, Maggie; and a host of family and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Henry Caswell Carney and Gladys Daughtry Strickland.

Services will be held at Peace Presbyterian Church in Winterville today at 4 pm. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Peace Presbyterian Church, The Red Cross, Pitt County Humane Society, Spay Today or ASPCA. Services are entrusted to Congleton Memorial Mortuary, Greenville. Online condolences at www.congletonmemorialmortuary.com.

Previous Events

Service

FEB 2. 4:00 PM (ET)

Peace Presbyterian Church
301 Guinness Road
Winterville, NC 28590

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr Richard "Dick" Caswell Carney*

October 06, 2023 at 05:52 AM



“ *We send our sincerest sympathy to Dick's family. He will be greatly missed by all friends of Spay Today.*

*The InTandem Staff
Greenville, NC*

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