



James J. Carty

September 11, 1942 - February 11, 2014

James J. Carty, age 71 of Pedricktown passed away on Tuesday February 11, 2014 at the Memorial Hospital of Salem County.

Born in Swedesboro, he was raised in Bridgeport and graduated from Paulsboro High School in 1960.

A US Army veteran, Jim attended Salem Community College and retired in 1993 from DuPont – Chambers Works where he had been employed as an electrician/lineman. Jim was known around Pedricktown as the person who could fix almost anything.

He was a member and trustee at the First Baptist Church of Pedricktown, a life member, past chief and exempt member of the Logan Volunteer Fire Company of Pedricktown, a former member of the Pedricktown Ambulance, was a member and past president (1995) of the Delaware Valley Fire Chiefs Assoc., a member of the Salem County Chiefs and Firemen's Assoc. and was a member of the board of directors for the NJ State Fire Chiefs Assoc.

He was also a member and past president of the DuPont Veterans Assoc.

Jim is survived by his wife Charlotte (nee Becker), his mother Maude Carty of Woodstown, his sister in laws, Sandi Carty and Dorothy Wright as well as several nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by his father James E. Carty and his two brothers, Harry S. Carty and Charles C. Carty, Sr.

A viewing will be held on Friday from 6:00 to 8:00 PM and Saturday from 10:00 to 11:00 AM in the Ashcraft Funeral Home, 47 State St., Penns Grove.

Funeral services will be 11:00 AM Saturday in the funeral home.

Interment will follow in First Baptist Church Cemetery, Pedricktown.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Logan Volunteer Fire Company, 39 S. Railroad Ave., Pedricktown, NJ 08067, Pedricktown Ambulance, PO Box 145 , Pedricktown, NJ 08067 or the charity of the donor's choice.

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Cemetery Details

First Baptist Church Cemetery

89 West Mill St.
Pedricktown, NJ

Previous Events

Viewing

FEB **14.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Ashcraft Funeral Homes (PG)
47 State St.
Penns Grove, NJ 08069
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Viewing

FEB **15.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ My condolences to the Carty family and friends. May the memories you shared with Jim help you through this time of sorrow. Celebrate a life well lived and know that God will help you as time goes on because he cares for you.-1Peter 5:7.

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“ I was very sorry to learn of Jim's passing. He was a good friend and co worker. He was the most knowledgeable electrician I had the privilege of being around. I can recall nothing that had him stomped for very long. He was the expert on the Chambers Works fire alarm system, which was antiquated with very little on blueprints. Quite some time after Jim retired he was coaxed into returning and documenting what he knew. He drew the prints and made all the notations so other people would understand the system better and accomplished it in a way that would have made most design engineers proud. I could give many more examples of his expertise on anything electrical or mechanical but it's enough to say Jim was just a good man who would help anyone. Finally, Jim told me years ago that the powers that be at work offered him a position in the electrical drafting and design department early in his career and he declined. He told me he could not stand the thought of being cooped up in an office! I also figured out later that another reason probably was that he needed to get his hands on things and I also think he really was not interested in wearing a necktie everyday!! --
Bob Breslin

Bob Breslin - February 15, 2014 at 05:31 PM