



## Richard T. Stevens

July 20, 1939 - May 18, 2017

Richard Townsend Stevens was born to the late John and Madeleine Neuss Stevens on July 20, 1939 in Rochester, New York. He was the younger of two children. He is predeceased by his only brother, Donald Stevens.

Richard, affectionately known as Steve, attended and graduated from Carver High School in Rochester, New York. After graduating from school, he enlisted in the United States Army for a four year tour. During this term, he served three tours in Viet Nam. He successfully completed his military service, returned to civilian life and started a challenging career with the United States Post Office in Baltimore, Maryland. This career lasted until his retirement.

During his tenure at the post office, Steve met the love of his life, Paula. Steve loved Paula and Paula loved Steve. They began a long, lengthy loving relationship that led them to marriage in February 2001. Steve was a very loving, kind and generous person. Along with his wife, they hosted many parties and cook outs at their home, and everyone was welcome. He had a unique dance style that made everyone laugh. Even though, he was sometimes the life of the party, he was very serious, disciplined and methodical. He loved his sister-in-law, Catherine, and he called her daily at approximately the same time. Steve had a systematic method of doing everything. He was so organized that he prepared his wife and family to make an uncomplicated transition that we are celebrating today.

For the past three years, Steve and Paula resided at a veteran retirement center under the direction of Sylvia Sumbly. At the center, the staff, clients and director learned and respected Steve's methodical character. Steve truly demonstrated that he was a good man whose steps were ordered by the Lord.

He leaves to cherish his memories: wife; Paula Stevens; brother-in-law, Willie Rick; sister-in-law Catherine Stevens; aunts-in-law, Carolyn Dunton and Anngeanette Conaway; good friends, Henry Jewel and Nelson, and a host of cousins, family and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road  
Owings Mills, MD

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

MAY 27. 11:30 AM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore  
4300 Wabash Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21215  
(410) 542-2400  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Richard T. Stevens*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *My sincere sympathy to the family and friends of Richard T. Stevens in the loss of your loved one. May you be comforted by fond memories. May you also be comforted in knowing God cares for you. ( 1 Peter 5:7).*

A.H. - May 25, 2017 at 07:50 PM



“ *Michelle Duvall lit a candle in memory of Richard T. Stevens*



Michelle Duvall - May 23, 2017 at 09:16 PM



“ *We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.*

March Funeral Homes - May 23, 2017 at 04:18 PM