



Richard G. Carter

December 15, 1927 - November 3, 2018

Richard "Dick" Carter of Camas, Washington, passed away on Saturday, November 3, after a long and full life. He was 90 years old. Dick was born on December 15, 1927, to Milton and Ruth Carter in Portland, Oregon. He was the third of four children.

After majoring in machine shop in high school, Dick served as a weather observer in the Army Air Corps, and then went on to earn a Bachelor of Science in Industrial Engineering at Oregon State University. He was an avid lifelong Oregon Beavers fan.

While at Oregon State, Dick met and married Jacqueline Simcox on August 26, 1950. They had four children and moved to Camas, Washington, in 1960.

Dick worked as an industrial engineer for Crown Zellerbach Corporation until he retired in December of 1987.

Dick was a deeply spiritual man. He was extremely active in St. John's Presbyterian Church, acting as an Elder, Deacon, and Treasurer.

Dick passionately loved bicycling. He raced as a teenager, and continued to ride for the rest of his life, including a 2-week Bicycle Tour in England at the age of 69. He also loved games, especially billiards, pinochle, and

backgammon.

Dick is survived by Jackie, his wife of 68 years; as well as his four children: Marilyn Williamson of Olympia, WA, Wayne Carter of Fairbanks, AK, Deanna Carlson of Hillsboro, OR and Nancy Bastings of Jacksonville, FL; his sister, Betty Whipps; six grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, and many grand-nieces and nephews.

A Memorial Service will be held at St. John's Presbyterian Church at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 10.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to St. John's Presbyterian Church.