



Wayne M. Pierce

March 15, 1930 - January 1, 2019

Wayne M. Pierce, 88, of Longwood, Florida and Springfield, Virginia, passed away Tuesday, January 1, 2019. He was born on March 15, 1930 in Gage, Oklahoma.

Wayne is predeceased by his loving wife Carole Lorene Pierce. He is survived by his son, Richard Pierce; son, Randall Pierce; daughter, Karen Lindsay (husband, Sean); daughter, Katherine L. Lischke (husband, Thomas); brother, Steven Pierce (wife, Betty); and granddaughter, Brigid Lorene Lischke.

Wayne devoted much of his life to his work with the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, starting as a carpenter, transitioning to conflict resolution at job sites all over the west coast, and eventually rising to the position of General Treasurer for the union until his retirement. He worked tirelessly to secure stability and job quality for the members protected by the union, both in setting internal policies to benefit them and lobbying Capital Hill to advocate for bills in the best interest of the membership.

After retirement, Wayne was an avid golfer and frequent participant in the Sandbaggers golf club activities around Northern Virginia. He and his wife, Carole, also opened an antique business in the DC metro area. Operating under the name Carole's Antiques, they were frequent sellers at antique shows and in antique malls in the area. They operated the business until

Carole's passing in early 2018 at the age of 83.

The family would like to extend their heartfelt gratitude to Arden Courts of Winter Springs and VITAS Healthcare for their tireless and loving care in Wayne's final months.

For memorial contributions, the family has designated the Alzheimer's Foundation of America (<https://alzfdn.org/>) or the Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research (<https://www.michaeljfox.org/>).

Services will be held privately at a later date.

Reply

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Tribute Wall

MA

“ Rick and Randy: Very sad to hear you lost both your mom and dad. Your childhood friend Mike Amador.

Mike Amador - January 07, 2019 at 01:36 AM

BT

“ I always looked forward to golf with Wayne and Glenn Allen almost every Monday for several years in the Senior league at Twin Lakes. I enjoyed hearing his experiences with the Carpenters Union and how dedicated he was to helping its members. My condolences to his family, as I know you will miss him dearly.

Bill Thomas

Bill Thomas - January 06, 2019 at 10:07 AM

DO

“ I was fortunate to have met Wayne at the Twin Lakes golf courses where I am a Play Manager (marshall). I had many opportunities to chat about golf and a variety of other serious and not so serious topics. We always had a good time and I even had many chances to help him look for lost balls too. Wayne was a player who really just enjoyed playing golf for the fun of it and not so serious that he became irate on every other shot. I will miss him and the smile that always seemed to make an appearance as soon as he walked in the door. A great guy who left us far too soon.

Dennis O'Connor

Dennis O'Connor - January 06, 2019 at 12:05 AM

JB

“ Our sincere condolences to the family of Wayne Pierce. Wayne was a long time, highly regarded member of our Sandbagger golf Group. He will be missed by his many Sandbagger golfing buddies. A contribution to the Alzheimer's Foundation of America has been made in memory of Wayne.
Jim Breglio, Sandbagger Treasurer

Jim Breglio - January 05, 2019 at 04:28 PM

TD

“ I was partnered with Wayne several times with the Sandbaggers. I remember once hitting a 80+ yard wedge to within a foot of the hole. He said to me “that was a beautiful swing”. I've had that shot several time since and never put it that close to the hole.

Ted Doroshenk - January 04, 2019 at 07:02 PM

MA

“ Please accept my mournful composition and deepest condolence for your loss. In the Bible at Acts 17:31 it tells us that 'God has provided a guarantee to all people by resurrecting Jesus from the dead '. This guarantee transcends to all humans making it possible to see our loved one again.

Marie - January 03, 2019 at 11:10 AM

BE

Randy and siblings, so sorry for your loss of your parents. Ken's brother, Milo Emberson was the best man at their Wedding and I bowled with your Mom in Salinas. I lost Ken in 2008.

Bettie Emberson - January 13, 2019 at 04:54 PM



“ 15 files added to the album *Kathy's Memories of Dad*



Kathy Lischke - January 02, 2019 at 11:51 PM