



Carey Estel Dorset

November 3, 1945 - November 23, 2016

Carey Estel Dorset, 71, departed his service to our country on November 23, 2016.

He was born to Carey Tremaine and Kathryn Lee Rucker Dorset on November 3, 1945, in Arlington, VA. He faithfully served his country, first for 20 years in the Navy, retiring as a Senior Chief Sonar Technician. He then served an additional 28 years working for American Systems Corp. as a System Analyst, supporting submarine trainers.

He met and married Christina Harrison Dorset while on recruiting duty in Easton. His proudest moments were when he married Chris, retired from the Navy, retired from American Systems Corp. and earned his pilot's license eventually flying a P 51 Mustang. He loved his wife Chris, his cats, and the United States of America. He liked to call himself "a rare bird," 10 years on destroyers and 10 years on submarines.

He is survived by Chris and her family; sister, Kathryn T. Ingram; his step-mother, Rita B. Dorset; and his uncle, John Geoghegan and family. Memorial donations may be made to your favorite charity, or to the local humane societies.

A Celebration of Life will be held later.

Tribute Wall



“ *Carey Estel Dorset*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Carey Estel Dorset*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Carey Estel Dorset*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM

DA

“ Chris, I'm so sorry to hear of Carey's passing. To Carey, I wish you "Fair winds and following seas" I met Carey in 1971 when he recruited me into the United States Navy. Unlike many recruits and their recruiters Carey and I continued to be friends for the next 45 years. He was a man of integrity and was of great service to our country. He told me the truth when he was helping me enlist in the Navy and I was thankful for that. Serving our country was something that Carey was very proud of. You could hear it in his voice when he talked about it, war stories or not. The last time I saw Carey was when I was Commander of the American Legion Post #70. I asked him to join and I could tell he really didn't want to he did. He did it because i asked him to, that's all he needed. i was able to stay in touch because Carey married a local girl and I was always glad to see them both, they seemed very happy together and would shop sometimes at one of the Food Lions that I managed either Kent Island or Easton. He will be missed by many I'm sure.

David O. Andrews

David Andrews - December 08, 2016 at 01:29 PM

JG

“ Dear Chris and KT

Please accept my deepest condolences over the passing of Carey. I have memories of Carey going back to childhood and teenage years. Periodically his family came to visit our family in Connecticut and we would go to see his clan in Arlington, VA. Those fond memories are like an incoming tide. It is surprising what is stored away.

I'll never forget eating Blue Crabs with you and Carey and my kids about 10 years ago. Or how can I forget your gracious Southern hospitality at Aggravation Acres.

Keep your chin up and spirits high Chris. You too KT

Sincerely

John Rucker Geoghegan

John Geoghegan - December 06, 2016 at 09:01 AM

JG

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John Geoghegan - December 06, 2016 at 08:36 AM

FC

“ Chris,

My most sincere sympathies. I worked with Carey at American Systems at the Washington Navy Yard office. He was a true gentleman and an outstanding co-worker. We shared many sea stories and lengthy discussions about our experiences in the service. A great shipmate!

Francis Colberg

Francis Colberg - November 29, 2016 at 08:00 PM

BS

“ *Hi Chris, Thinking of you, so sorry for your loss. Hold on to all your precious memories.*

Betty Sanger - November 29, 2016 at 02:47 PM

TW

“ *Hi Chris,*

So very sad to learn of your loss. Carey, Bill Ratliff and I shared coffee every morning for several years. I received an email from him just a couple days before he passed. A very fine man and dear friend.

Tom Wafer

Tom Wafer - November 29, 2016 at 10:53 AM

MR

“ *Chris,*

So sorry to hear of Carey's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Marilou and Mike



Marilou Russ - November 27, 2016 at 12:53 PM

DF

“ Chris I am so sorry for your Loss, Carey and kept in contact after he retired, e-mailing often. He was so happy the last few weeks. I will cherish our time together and remember Carey and you showing tammy and I the ropes on my first trip to Virginia Beach support American Systems. If you need anything please do not hesitate to reach out to us.

Love Dave and Tammy

David and Tammy Fernandes - November 27, 2016 at 09:26 AM

JR

“ I worked with Carey on the Trident Submarine Program and Submarine Trainers, We were with different companies but worked well together with a common belief we were supporting our country and Navy. Carey and I shared many other discussions concerning politics and government but we always agreed with each other. Even after I moved on from the submarine program and we both retired, we stayed in touch via email. I will miss our friendship.

John Rickards

John Rickards - November 26, 2016 at 06:43 PM

MA

“ Chris,
May the angels protect and guide you. May the Lord God bring you peace. Know that we are praying for you and the soul of Carey. In Greece we send our loved ones on with "May their memory be Eternal." You are in our prayers and the candle is lighted in Carey's memory.



Ted & Monica Agapaloglou

Monica Agapaloglou - November 26, 2016 at 03:48 PM

EM

“ I am sorry to learn of your husband's death, Chris. God bless you with peace that only our Lord and Savior can give. I only met your husband a couple of times at the Christmas dinners we used to have at Oxford Greens. I admire him for serving our country and protecting all of us. I send my love to you.

Elaine Masso

Elaine Masso - November 26, 2016 at 03:05 PM

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Reinecke

“ I will miss Carey. He was always cheerful and happy to share his experience through his stories. I'm even going to miss all his jokes. He was one of the smartest people I ever met. Rest In Peace Carey. I'm glad our paths crossed during our brief time on earth and that we were able to share some time together. I will miss you.

Ann Reinecke

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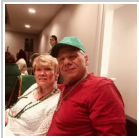
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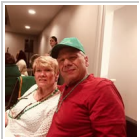
ann reinecke - November 26, 2016 at 02:27 PM



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Robert Castle - November 26, 2016 at 11:45 AM



“ A good shipmate Fair winds and following seas brother.

Robert Castle - November 26, 2016 at 09:57 AM

KI

“ Godspeed Baby Brudder. I will miss your Grammar Police Reports, our robust discussions , your awesome prime rib and beating you at Scrabble. You were a kind and caring brother and man, loving to your wife and family and I will miss you greatly. I guess Mom needed her first born sooner than we were ready to let you go. Always love, The Brat



kt ingram - November 25, 2016 at 07:16 PM

PS

“ So sorry to hear of Carey's passing. We worked together as Navy Recruiters and I became the recruiter when he left Easton. Thoughts and prayers with the family at this most difficult time. Phil Shortall USN Ret, Palm Beach Shores, Fl.

Phil Shortall - November 25, 2016 at 03:48 PM

KP

“ A true patriot and friend. He will certainly be missed - he touched many, many lives. His faith in our country, his steadfast support of Trident programs, and his good humor all gave us a glimpse of the wonderful man he was. Chris - you have our deepest sympathy.

kathy payne - November 25, 2016 at 08:53 AM

SK

“ So sorry to hear of Careys passing. A friend and a shipmate, Skip Yale, U.S.S. Moale DD693 Association.....Fairs Winds and Following Seas, you been relieved sailors, we have the watch!



Skip - November 25, 2016 at 07:51 AM

PF

“ My sincere condolences to the family for the loss of your dear loved one. May you find comfort and hope from the Bible promise at Isaiah 25:8 that in the near future God will eliminate forever, death and the sufferings that it brings. So draw close to God (Psalms 83:18) in prayers and lean on Him as you cope during this most difficult time.

pfl - November 24, 2016 at 12:31 PM