



## Charles Edward Carroll Jr.

January 11, 1932 - August 26, 2016

Charles Edward Carroll. Jr., (Ed) of Easton, MD, passed away in his sleep on August 26, 2016, surrounded by the love and admiration of family and friends. He was born on January 11, 1932, in Baltimore, MD, and was married in Baltimore to the former Pauline Patanella on June 28, 1952.

He is survived by Pauline Carroll, his wife of 64 years; his daughters, Paula Carroll McDaniel (Doug), of Severna Park, MD, Lisa M. Carroll, of Berwyn Heights, MD; his son, Jim Carroll (Kathleen), of Auburn, AL; and two sisters, Pat Niemeyer, of Sykesville, MD, and Kathy Malone, of St. Augustine, FL. Ed is also survived by four grandchildren, Julie Witting (Tim), of Odenton, MD, Melissa Kopajtic (Joseph) of Annapolis, MD, Shannon Carroll, of New York, NY, and Jimmy Carroll (Amber), of Chattanooga, TN; two great-grandsons, Tanner and Dylan Witting; and many loving nieces, nephews, other relatives, and long-time friends.

He is preceded in death by his mother, Delma Kaufman, and father, Charles Edward Carroll, Sr., of Dundalk, MD, as well as his brothers, Bill Carroll and Michael Kaufman.

Ed Carroll graduated from Dundalk High School, in Baltimore, MD, in 1950, followed by honorable service as an Electronics Technician in the Submarine Corps of the U.S. Navy, during the Korean Conflict from 1951 - 1955. He

received a BS in Economics from University of Maryland in 1972, a Certificate in Executive Business Development from Cornell University in 1975, and an MBA in International Business from American University in 1976.

Mr. Carroll, or “Chuck” as he was known at work, was employed by Vitro Corporation, a Silver Spring, Maryland-based Defense Contractor from 1962 – 1993. During his long-tenure at Vitro, Chuck served in the Systems Technology, Fleet Ballistic Missile and Undersea Warfare Programs. He was appointed the Vice President of Undersea Systems in 1983, Senior Vice President of International Business and President of Vitro International Corporation in 1987. Prior to working with Vitro, he was an electronics and software engineer for IBM, working on the first large-scale digital computer for air-defense.

During his working years, Ed was a passionate volunteer, working with professional, national and local organizations within the business community. He was a thirty-year Executive Board Member and Chairman of the American Defense Preparedness Association (ADPA). He served on the Executive Boards of the National Defense Industrial Association (NDIA), the Armed Forces Communications and Electronics Association (AFCEA), Professional Services Council, Maryland International Trade Association, and World Trade Center Institute, as well as several Technical Advisory Boards. Ed was a Founding Member of the U.S. Naval Undersea Museum, a life member of the Navy League of the United States, and a liaison to the Naval Submarine League.

After retirement, Ed was always pleased to volunteer his time and expertise to local educational organizations. He served on the High Technology Council of Maryland, University of Maryland, University College Graduate School of Management Advisory Panel, and most recently as the Chairman of the 21st Century Technology Initiative for the Talbot County Public Schools system.

This local program supported the ability to offer “One-to-One” laptop computers to students.

Ed and Pauline were passionate about homes and home furnishings, having renovated five homes since 1999 and establishing Pauline’s Place, an antique and hand-painted furniture business in Easton. Ed was an avid reader, a gardener, an aficionado of good food and wine, jazz and classical music, a devoted Orioles fan, a gentleman and a scholar, who truly loved spending time with his family. He will be greatly missed and fondly remembered forever more.

His Memorial Service will be held at 10:00 a.m., August 29, 2016, at St. John the Evangelist, 689 Ritchie Highway, Severna Park, MD 21146.

# Previous Events

## Mass

AUG **29**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. John the Evangelist Church  
Severna Park, MD

# Tribute Wall



“ *Charles Edward Carroll Jr.*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Charles Edward Carroll Jr.*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Charles Edward Carroll Jr.*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *I was so sorry to hear about Ed's passing. I worked with him when he was a Board member of the Mental Health Assoc. in Talbot County and found him to be so gracious, kind and intelligent. Such a pleasure to work with! Please accept my condolences. Susan Sherman*

**Susan Sherman** - September 23, 2016 at 09:09 AM



“ *Sending condolences to the Carroll family. What a wonderful and understanding person. May your great memories be your solace. Keep the faith and be strong, wishing all of you the best.*

*Blessings from Jane, Mark and Torr Pizzillo*

**Jane Pizzillo** - August 31, 2016 at 08:51 AM

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“ My condolences to the family. Mr Ed Carroll gave so much to so many. His expertise and his willingness to volunteer were always welcomed in our Talbot Co schools whenever he led any initiative. And to see him around town was a sure chance to catch up with a good friend.  
Thank you for your service. Thank you for your kindness. Peace.  
Andy Burke

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**Andrew J Burke** - August 31, 2016 at 06:14 AM

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“ We were so sorry to hear of the loss of a wonderful neighbor and friend. We had many good chats with Ed and it was always a pleasure to spend time with him. He will be missed!  
Please let us know when Pauline will be back and if there is anything we can do to help.  
Richard and Gloria Douma

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**Gloria Douma** - August 29, 2016 at 09:19 PM

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“ I bought a Mass card in memory of Ed for next August 13, 2017, 1030 am at Sts Peter & Paul Catholic church, Easton. Their friends and neighbors of Easton Club East can attend the mass to remember Ed.

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**Andrea Shoener** - August 29, 2016 at 12:15 PM

AS

“ Ed was a good neighbor, he tried to stay as active as his health allowed. We are unable to attend Ed's Mass tomorrow. Will you have a Mass in Easton? Andrea & George Shoener

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**Andrea Shoener** - August 28, 2016 at 01:53 PM