



## Mr. Edward P. Carroll

March 13, 1931 - July 18, 2014

Lt. Col. Edward Patrick Carroll age 83 of Alpharetta died July 18, 2014. Lt. Col Carroll entered the service at the age of 17. By the age of 23 he had obtained the rank of Sergeant Major while in the 4th batllaion in England. While in England, he met and married his wife, Eunice Edna Sherratt Carroll. In January 1956 he and his family moved back to the United States and were stationed at Fort Carson in Colorado. He was then accepted into Officer Candidate School at Fort Benning. Upon completion he had earned the rank of 1st Lieutenant. He was a member of the 82nd airborne and was stationed at Fort Bragg in North Carolina. He went to Army Aviation School where he trained in both fixed wing and rotary wing before becoming a master aviator and instructor. He then became the assistant to the secretary of the aviation training center at Fort Rucker in Alabama which he led until his retirement in 1972 at the rank of Lt. Colonel. Highlights of his decorated military career included being the youngest officer at the time to attend the prestigious Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth in Kansas. His tour duties included South Korea and Vietnam from 1965-1966 where he received the Silver Star, the Purple Heart and the Vietnam Campaign Medal that was personally given by the General of the South Vietnamese Armed Services. After a successful civilian career in which he obtained a college degree along with a law degree, he volunteered and gave thousands of hours to assist other wounded and disabled veterans through his work with the Military Order of the Purple Heart. Lt. Col. Carroll was preceded in death by his wife of 57 years,

Eunice Edna Sherratt Carroll. He is survived by his loving children, Susan Lowry of Alpharetta, Michael and Sylvia Carroll of Cumming, Patricia and Randy Thompson of Sugar Hill, Charlene and Jerry Wood of Lady Lake, FL, Sheila Carroll of Alpharetta; grandchildren, Stephen Lowry, Paul Carroll, Sarah Constantakis, Jennifer Yarbrough, Katherine Thompson, Michael Carroll, Geoffrey Thompson along with 3 great-grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to the Military Order of the Purple Heart. Funeral services will be held on Monday, July 21, 2014 at 2:00pm in the funeral home chapel. The Carroll family will receive friends on Monday from 12:30 until 1:30PM at Northside Chapel Funeral Directors, Roswell, GA. 770-645-1414. [www.northsidechapel.com](http://www.northsidechapel.com)

# Previous Events

## Service

JUL **21**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Northside Chapel Funeral Directors & Crematory  
12050 Crabapple Road  
Roswell, GA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Edward P. Carroll*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *I am sorry for your loss. I remember when your family stayed with us in East Longmeadow MA & lived in Springfield. My dad had great admiration & memories of Ed*

*Peggy Carroll Spada*

**Peggy Spada** - August 06, 2014 at 07:12 AM



*Thank you Peggy.*

**charlene carroll wood** - August 09, 2014 at 08:37 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



**Paul Carroll** - July 20, 2014 at 09:48 PM



*Another one of my favs. X*

**charlene wood** - July 22, 2014 at 09:03 PM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Paul Carroll** - July 20, 2014 at 09:46 PM

CW

*Love this picture too. X*

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**charlene wood** - July 22, 2014 at 09:02 PM

PM

“ *Dear Char, Susan, Pat, Michael and Sheila,*

*There are no words that can express how sorry I am for your loss. As long as I've known you I've known your Dad. Your family has always been such a part of us that I feel I've also lost a great and loving man. All the good times we had for all occasions and holidays will always be remembered. Please know I am thinking of you with love and if there is anything I can do to help do not hesitate to ask. I wish I were able to be there with you in person but know I am with you in heart and thoughts.*

*Love Always,  
Pam Matteen*

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**Pam Matteen** - July 19, 2014 at 09:23 PM

CW

*Thanks Pam. I have been lucky to have you be a close part of our family. Love you. Char & Jerry*

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**charlene wood** - July 20, 2014 at 06:14 AM

VP

“ Dear Susan, Patricia, Michael, Charlene, and Sheila,

*Our sincere condolences goes out to all of you at this most difficult time. I guess one memory of your Dad that makes me smile is: after telling me one of his many pearls of wisdom that he had, he would say "Am I right, or am I right?" I will miss hearing some of those pearls! Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Please let me know if there is anything I can do to help.*

*Val & Mark Pamperin*

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**val pamperin** - July 19, 2014 at 04:58 PM

CW

*Thanks for always being there for the happy and the sad. Love you.  
Char & Jerry*

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**charlene wood** - July 19, 2014 at 06:37 PM