



Charles "Barry" Carney

May 17, 1955 - March 13, 2025

Charles "Barry" Carney, age 69 of Nashville, was born May 17, 1955, and passed away March 13, 2025. Barry was a devoted father, grandfather, brother, and friend. He was a selfless person who always put the happiness of others before his own. He had a great sense of humor and helped countless friends through their bad times. Barry loved the outdoors and could usually be found fishing or frog gigging.

He graduated from East Nashville high School in 1975. Barry worked tirelessly for C.B. Ragland trucking company, serving as secretary for the Teamsters Local 327. After his retirement, his entrepreneurial spirit shone brightly through when he started his roofing business. He modeled the true meaning of masculinity, empowering his son and others with the confidence to pursue their dreams. If you looked up the word GIVER in the dictionary, Barry's face would be right beside it.

Barry's son decided to allow him to make an anatomical gift. Barry's skin tissue was donated to burn victims and cancer patients. His eyes will help two people to have vision, and his bone and connective tissue will help trauma and bone cancer patients. This is what Barry would have wanted and he would be so happy to have helped save so many people's lives.

Preceded in death by his father, Jady Lyman Carney; mother, Sarah Roberta Spain Carney; brother, Randall Wayne Carney; sister, Teresa Kay Carney Davis.

Barry is survived by his wife, Oleen York Carney; sons, Christopher Shane

Carney and Shawn Matthew Cole; sisters, Carol Carney Hall of Nashville, TN, Wendolyn Carney Smith (Tom) of Tullahoma, TN, and Brenda Carney Wood of Sun City, AZ; brothers, J.L. Carney of Phoenix, AZ and Roger Carney (Beverly) of Jackson, MO; grandchildren, Kaitlyn Elizabeth Carney, Braeden Christopher Carney, and Kourtlyn Malia Carney; niece, Kelly Hall Reynolds (Kevin); nephew, Jeffery Smith (Rhonda); step-children, Ashley Thomas (Kevin) and Michael Regg, Jr.; step-grandchildren, Taylor, Dysten, Blake, Isabella, Jaylon, Colton, and Kasin.

Visitation will be at Phillips-Robinson Funeral Home Friday, March 21st from 3-8pm and Saturday, March 22nd from 11am until the time of service at 1pm. Interment will follow at Woodlawn Memorial Park. Family and friends will serve as Pallbearers.

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn Memorial Park

660 Thompson Ln
Nashville, TN 37204

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 21. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Phillips-Robinson Funeral Home - Nashville Chapel
2707 Gallatin Pike
Nashville, TN 37216
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MAR 22. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips-Robinson Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Charles "Barry" Carney*



Phillips-Robinson Funeral Home - March 22, 2025 at 09:53 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Charles "Barry" Carney.*



March 21, 2025 at 02:55 PM

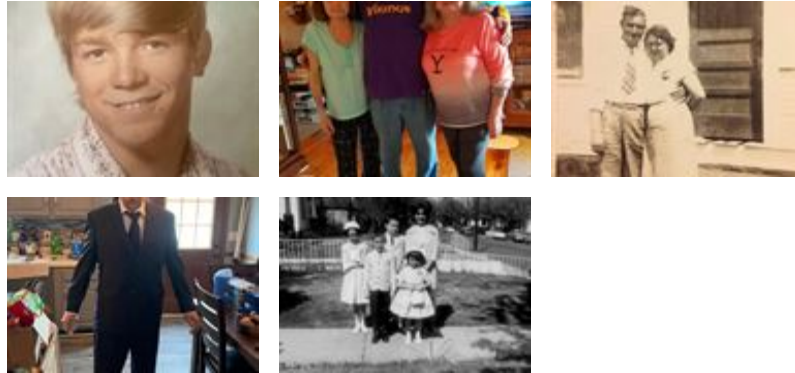


“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Charles "Barry" Carney.*

March 21, 2025 at 02:55 PM



“ 105 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Phillips-Robinson Funeral Home - March 21, 2025 at 01:21 PM

JW

“ Jessica Wilson lit a candle in memory of Charles "Barry" Carney



Jessica Wilson - March 20, 2025 at 10:09 PM

JF

“ JL, Penny, Julie and family. purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Charles "Barry" Carney.



JL, Penny, Julie and family. - March 20, 2025 at 04:23 PM

LT

“ Linda & Raymond Tucker purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Charles "Barry" Carney.



Linda & Raymond Tucker - March 20, 2025 at 12:34 PM

DR

“ Diane Hawkins Ridgeway lit a candle in memory of Charles "Barry" Carney



Diane Hawkins Ridgeway - March 20, 2025 at 12:00 AM

TD

“ Tim Drowns purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Charles "Barry" Carney.



Tim Drowns - March 19, 2025 at 04:51 PM