



## Richard "Dick" Grove

September 8, 1926 - July 30, 2011

Richard "Dick" Grove, 84, passed away unexpectedly on Saturday, July 30, 2011. Born September 8, 1926 in Mechanicstown, Ohio, he was the son of the late Queenie E. and Paul G. Grove. Dick served in the Pacific Theater on the USS Wiley from 1944-46. Dick retired from Tennessee Gas Pipeline/ El Paso Energy as a district welder and pipeline foreman in Mercer, PA, after 33 years of service, and has been wintering in Sebring, Florida for the past 22 years with his wife of 64 years, Bunny. Dick was an avid golfer both here and in Florida. He was an active member in the Carrollton Jaycees for multiple years, serving as their President for one year. As a member of the Free and Accepted Masons, Dick served 60+ years. He was appointed to the past masters unit of Tadmor Temple Shrine at Akron, a past master of Carroll Lodge No. 124, a past high priest of Minerva Chapter No. 123, Royal Arch Masons, a member of the Steubenville Commandery, and conductor of Council in the Loyalty Council No. 146 Royal and Select Masters at Tadmor Temple AAONMS. Dick is survived by his wife of 64 years, Bernice "Bunny" Grove (Cummings); his daughter, Karen (Joseph) Applegart; and two sons, John P. Grove and James (Donna) Grove; a sister, Bernice J. Herst-Anspach; seven grandchildren, fifteen great grandchildren and one expected great great grandchild. He was preceded in death by a sister, Elizabeth "Tib" Lilly. Calling hours will be held at Sweeney-Dodds Funeral Home in Carrollton on Wednesday, August 3, 2011 from 5 ♦" 8 p.m. with Masonic Services at 8 p.m. Funeral services will be Thursday August 4, 2011 at 11 a.m. Burial will follow

in Westview Cemetery with full military honors . In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Carrollton Church of Christ, 353 Moody Ave. Carrollton, Ohio 44615.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My dear Bunny, I just read in the Free Press about Dick's passing. I am so sorry for your loss and remember so many happy memories of living next door to you all. I remember "Nixie" thought your house was her second home. I always admired Dick and although I have not seen you for many years, I miss you & your family and am praying for you all. Love, tina*

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**Christina Grunder** - January 29, 2015 at 01:08 PM

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“ *My condolences to the family of a great man. I am the wife of Wm. T. Goosey and I am sure he knew Dick well. He retired from TGP also from Station West Winfield, NY. He was also stationed at Carrollton, Ohio.*

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**Audrey Goosey** - January 29, 2015 at 01:08 PM

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“ *Dear Grove Family , Please know that we are praying for your family during this time of loss. You have our deepest condolences. Dick and Patty*

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**Richard and Patricia Frink** - January 29, 2015 at 01:08 PM

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“ *Our hearts break for you, Bunny, and your family. The Lord be with you and help you through this trying time. Our Love Earl and Doris*

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**Esrl and Doris** - January 29, 2015 at 01:08 PM

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“ Our thoughts are with Bunny and children at this difficult time. Our friend "Dick" will be missed.

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**Tom & Jo Johnson** - January 29, 2015 at 01:08 PM