



# Carl Richard Wilson

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**C**arl Richard Wilson, 74, of Rixeyville, VA passed away on Sunday, June 23, 2024 at INOVA Fairfax Hospital. He was born December 29, 1949 to the late Harold R. Wilson and Anna E. Wilson in Fort Knox, KY.

Carl Wilson had a heart for Adventure.

He started his journey by joining the Air Force, where he served for 20 years. While in the Air Force, he met the love of his life, Pamela, all centered around a memorable Hershey's Kiss encounter. From there, they both ventured down the path of family life. But family wasn't just the 2 legged kind. As the family grew it created opportunities for other dreams.

The first being his dream of becoming a cowboy and the equestrian lifestyle, where the horses are still part of the family to this day. His love for martial arts led him down a path of being the best he could be and most importantly, teaching. His love for family also took him down a lifelong path of old fashioned research and writing. Little things from Christmas letters with a family holiday photo tucked neatly inside to writing a book on our family history reaching as far back as the 1620's and finding that a very distant relative, Mavis Beacon, came over to the Americas on the Mayflower as well as finding our family crest.

Carl's love of animals, as he was often lovingly referred to as 'The Animal Whisperer', kept at a minimum of 1 to 6 dogs, 3 horses and a miniature bull all anxious to spend every waking minute with their favorite human.

Carl was a wealth of knowledge with so much to share. He touched the lives of so many throughout his life and will greatly be missed. May his memory live long in your heart.

Carl is survived by his wife of 47 years, Pamela Wilson; children, Carolyn Wilson (Thomas Allen), Melissa Reeves (Richard Reeves), Richard Wilson (Jayreen Bobitski), Susan Wilson (Nilesh



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Dhangar); grandchildren, Zachary Reeves and Rebecca Reeves; his dog, Mooner; two horses, Dakota Sioux and Shadow; numerous grand puppies; and a host of other relatives and friends.

A memorial service will be held at 3 pm on Saturday, June 29, 2024 at Found and Sons Funeral Chapel with Rev. Brad Hales officiating. A celebration of Carl's life will be held immediately following the service until 5 pm.

A private inurnment will be held at the Wilson Family Cemetery at a later date.

An online guestbook and tribute wall are available at [www.foundandsons.com](http://www.foundandsons.com)

Found and Sons Funeral Chapel of Culpeper is serving the family.



# Events

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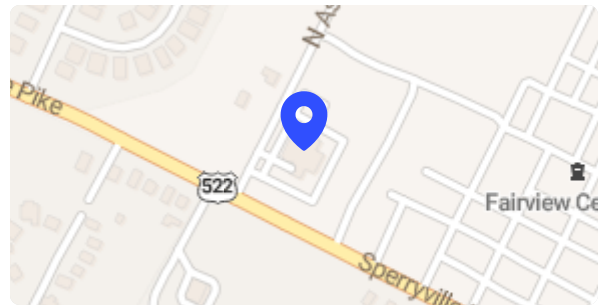
## Memorial Service

**Saturday**, June 29, 2024

3:00 PM ET

**Found and Sons Funeral Chapels & Cremation Service**

850 Sperryville Pike, Culpeper VA 22701



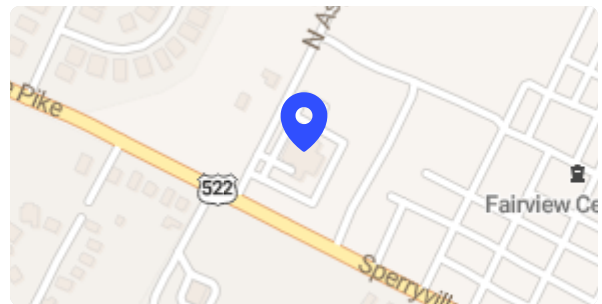
## Celebration of Life

**Saturday**, June 29, 2024

4:00 PM ET

**Found and Sons Funeral Chapels & Cremation Service**

850 Sperryville Pike, Culpeper VA 22701





# Tribute Wall

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RI

**Rich** lit a candle in honor of Carl.

Happy Birthday Dad. We miss you. Love, Rich, Melissa and Family

December 29 at 3:34 PM



RI

**Rich** lit a candle in honor of Carl.

Happy Birthday Dad. We miss you. Love, Rich, Melissa and Family

December 29 at 3:33 PM



RF

**Randy Frank** posted:

3/21/ 2025 Just found out Carl had passed. Matthew and I send our condolences to the family Rest in peace Carl, Sincerely Randy L Frank and Matthew M Middlemas.

March 31 at 6:14 PM

EM

**East Coast Haidong Gumdo Masters** planted a grove of 3 Memorial Trees in honor of Carl.

September 9 at 6:14 AM



JK

**Julia K.** planted a grove of 3 Memorial Trees in honor of Carl.

July 5 at 7:15 PM



IB

**Irene & Thomas, Harald & Benedikte** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Wilson family.

June 28 at 11:35 PM





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TF

**The Schober Family** lit a candle in honor of Carl.

Dear Pam and the entire Wilson family, We are so very sorry to hear about the passing of Carl. To us, the Schober family, we always knew Carl as cousin Richie. Richie would visit us often when we all lived in Rochester. Richie would play with us kids in the pool, show us great ways to protect ourselves using Judo techniques, and was always so kind and loving to all of us. As we got older, cousin Richie would bring his Air Force pilot helmet with a build-in oxygen mask for us to try on. Cousin Richie also rented a plane and took us all up in the sky and flew over our home. It was always such a wonderful treat to visit with cousin Richie. His care for others was always so deep and genuine. Cousin Richie will forever be deeply missed and loved. Our prayers go out to cousin Richie and his entire family with our sincere condolences. God bless you all. Love always, The Schober family



June 28 at 6:16 PM

KC

**Kwangje C.** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Carl.



June 28 at 4:19 PM

Anonymous

**Anonymous** sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Wilson family.



June 28 at 3:00 PM

JM

**Judy Hutchinson (Rich's Mom)** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Carl.



June 28 at 3:00 PM

TN

**Tonya N.** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Carl.



June 28 at 11:50 AM



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**Amanda H.** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Carl.

June 28 at 8:57 AM



**Grandmaster Mountain Kim & Family** sent a Pink Tribute Spray to the Wilson family.

June 28 at 6:39 AM



**Grandmaster Mountain Kim & Family** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Carl.

June 28 at 6:39 AM



**Anonymous** sent an Ocean Breeze Spray to the Wilson family.

June 28 at 6:01 AM



**Katie P.** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Carl.

June 28 at 6:01 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Wilson family.

June 28 at 2:09 AM





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CF

**Compton Family** sent an Arrive in Style to the Wilson family.

June 27 at 2:57 PM



KJ

**Katie, Ken & Joey** sent a Serene Retreat to the Wilson family.

June 27 at 9:50 AM



KJ

**Katie, Ken & Joey** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Carl.

June 27 at 9:50 AM



JE

**Jean Eustice** lit a candle in honor of Carl.

June 27 at 7:47 AM



Anonymous

**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Wilson family.

June 27 at 5:46 AM



MC

**Much Love Greg, Kelly, Keegan Clarke** sent an Arrive in Style to the Wilson family.

June 26 at 3:14 PM





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**Much Love Greg, Kelly, Keegan Clarke** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Carl.



June 26 at 3:14 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Wilson family.



June 26 at 1:49 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Carl by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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