



# Dennis Michael Pierce

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**D**ennis Michael Pierce, age 64, of Dagsboro, DE. passed away on Sunday, June 2, 2013 at the Delaware Hospice Center in Milford, DE. following a long fight against cancer.

Dennis was born in Cleveland, Ohio, son of the late John and Emily Pierce. Dennis is survived by his best friend and wife of 28 years, Donna; two stepsons, Wesley Ball of Brunswick, MD and Kevin Ball of Urbana, MD; brothers John Pierce of Long Beach, CA and Fred Pierce of Farmington Hills, MI.

Dennis graduated from Cleveland St. Joseph's High School and received a BBA from Ohio University in 1970 and an MBA from the University of Texas, Austin in 1972. After school, he enjoyed a long and successful career in sales and marketing for Control Data and General Dynamics Corporations. Before his retirement in 2007, he held the position for 22 years as the General Dynamics Representative to the Naval Air Systems Command at Patuxent River Naval Air Station.

His main passion besides his family was golf. He grew up at Manakiki Golf Course in Willoughby Hills, OH starting as a caddie and working his way up to assistant professional. He played high school and college golf and continued to play as a member of Lakewood CC in Rockville, MD, Montgomery CC in Laytonsville, MD, and Cripple Creek Country Club in Dagsboro, DE until his death. His boyhood dream of living on a golf course was realized when he and Donna built on the 9th hole at Cripple Creek.

All services are private.

In lieu of flowers contributions are suggested to Delaware Hospice, 100 Patriots Way, Milford, DE 19963.



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Arrangements by Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium, Clarksville, DE  
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## Tribute Wall

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JK

**Joan M. Kraft** posted:

Sorry for your loss. He was much to young. But I think his parents saw that he was suffering and took him. He is now with them. Prayers are with Rick & family, Greg and family and with you Donna. Take care, Joan Kraft - Lori Luneke's mom.

June 28 at 8:00 PM

JG

**John & Mickey Gable** posted:

We have years of memories and laughter that we shared to look back on. You'll always be in our thoughts and prayers.

June 14 at 8:00 PM

JP

**Jerry And Margy Peek** posted:

Donna, So sorry to hear of your loss. We remember many fun times together at Lakewood. May you find peace in the wonderful memories. Much love, Jerry and Margy Peek

June 14 at 8:00 PM

JB

**Jerry Beasley** posted:

Dennis will be sorely missed by all of his friends and acquaintances.

June 10 at 8:00 PM

ME

**Mike Ernst** posted:

Dennis was a long time friend. He will be missed. Mike

June 9 at 8:00 PM

RK

**Robert & Dorothy Keene** posted:

Dear Donna Our thoughts and Love are with you and your family at this very sad time. Deepest Sympathy, Bob & Dorothy

June 9 at 8:00 PM



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**Don Hershey** posted:

I was saddened to hear of the passing of Dennis. I have many fond memories of golfing with Dennis and Donna at Lakewood Country Club

June 5 at 8:00 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

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



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