Obituary

Carl E. Richard, 74, of Enfield (Connecticut), beloved husband and best friend of 50 years to Sandra (Drumm), passed away November 11, 2017 after courageously battling cancer for over 20 years. He was the most loving father to daughter Jennifer and her husband Rich Cecarelli and son Jason and his wife April. He took tremendous joy and great pride in being a “Papa” to his grandchildren, Charlotte and Andy Cecarelli and Liliana and Maxwell Richard. Born August 8, 1943, Carl was the youngest son of Imelda Richard and was predeceased by his sister Rita and brothers Harry and Raymond Richard. He grew up in Windsor Locks, CT. He graduated from STCC with an Associate’s Degree in machine design and later WNEC with a Bachelor’s of business. Carl worked for Ahlstrom Dexter in Windsor Locks for 32 years as a Research and Design Engineer and retired at the age of 62 to explore his many interests. Carl had many hobbies. He learned to play guitar in his early years before discovering a love for photography, and later audio speaker building and classical music. He loved watching the Red Sox and the Patriots play. He was an avid bowler, scoring a perfect 300 game in 2001. Carl also enjoyed traveling, cooking, fine wine, and always had a curious, investigative mind. His favorite quote was “Love one another, we’re all we’ve got.” Carl’s family wishes to thank the staff at the St. Francis Cancer Center for all of their care and support throughout the years. Services have been entrusted to Leete-Stevens Enfield Chapels. A celebration of Carl’s life will be held privately.