RICHARD J. WOODS



Richard J. Woods, age 83, on Friday, November 15. 2024 of South Side South Park

Son of the late Charles and Frances (Mierwald) Woods. Beloved husband of 57 years to Marv (Saunders) June Loving father Woods Richard (Melissa) Woods and (Kristy) **Brian** Woods. Cherished pappy of Lauria (Tyler) Pensiero, Kayli, Richie, Ahhv Ashlev, Brian Woods (Richard) and Chakavla

Hyland; great-grandfather of Wyatt, Lyric and Lenox. Brother of Gary (Beverly) Woods and the late Ruth (the late Tom) Albanesi and Charles Woods.

Also survived by numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. Family and friends received Thursday, November 21, 2024, from 2-8 PM, at the READSHAW FUNERAL HOME, INC., 1503 Brownsville Road, Carrick. Funeral Prayers Friday, November 22, 2024, at 10 AM, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial Our Lady of Hope Parish, St. Gabriel of The Sorrowful Virgin Church, at 11 AM. Interment in the National Cemetery of The Alleghenies with Full Military Honors, at 1:30 PM.

Richie retired after working 40 years at the Shuman Center, served as a Sgt. US Army during the Vietnam War. He loved baking his pies, especially pumpkin, working in the garden, going to the casino, and his PA Lottery Scratch Tickets. Richie was a devoted family man. He loved his wife, sons, and daughters-in-law, but his greatest love was for his grandchildren. When you would talk about any of them, it would bring a smile to his face, and a glistening to his eyes.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Lymphoma And Leukemia Society, PO Box 22324, New York, NY 10087

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