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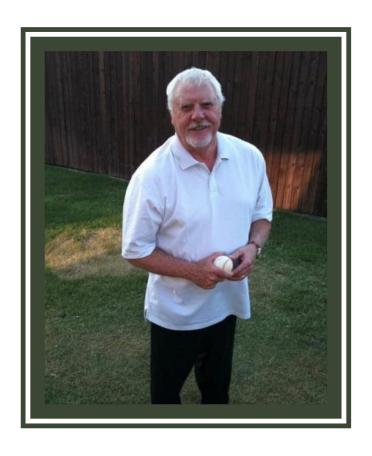
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### **First United Methodist Church McKinney**

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# A Celebration Honoring the Life of Clifford Clement Carty, Jr. January 17, 1939 - May 2, 2023



May 20, 2023 ⋄ 1:00 p.m.

First United Methodist Church
315 N. Church Street
McKinney, Texas 75069

### ORDER OF WORSHIP

**PRELUDE** 

\*SEATING OF THE FAMILY

**GREETING** 

SPECIAL MUSIC

"Amazing Grace" Bagpipes

\*HYMN No. 378, vv. 1,2,3,6

"Amazing Grace"

WITNESS OF SCRIPTURE

Joshua 1:9, John 14 Romans 8:31,35,37-39

WITNESS OF THE FAMILY

WITNESS OF THE GOSPEL

\*HYMN No. 77, vv.1,2,4

"How Great Thou Art"

SPECIAL MUSIC

"Highland Cathedral" Bagpipes

\*BENEDICTION

**POSTLUDE** 

LEADING IN THE SERVICE:
Dr. Thomas O. Brumett, Senior Pastor
John Emory Bush, organist
Josh Brumett and Waverly Hammond,
audio/visual team

### **OBITUARY**

Clifford Clement Carty, Jr. passed away on May 2, 2023, at his home in McKinney at the age of 84. He loved watching all sports; and playing golf with his "Buddies" was such a joy to him. His favorite pastime was cheering on his Grandkids at whatever sport they played.

Cliff was born to Clifford C. Carty, Sr. and Ethel Christine Carty on January 17, 1939, in Norristown, PA. After graduating from High School in 1956, he enlisted in the Service, and he wore his uniform proudly as a United States Marine. His assigned duty was to work as a helicopter mechanic.

He was married in 1960 to Lucille Romania, and soon became the proud Dad of James Patrick, Linda Lou, and Tina Marie. He joined the Police Force in Pottstown, PA, and said many times that it was the best job he ever had.

Years later, after moving to Texas, he met and married Susan Lea Hopkins on September 28, 1973, and he became a proud Dad once again to Chad Clayton in 1975.

Cliff started a Cotton Transportation Company in 1977, and he turned it into a successful business that lasted for over 30 years.

After retiring, his job as a "Greeter" at our church was so very important to him, and he gained countless friends during the years that he worked here.

Cliff is survived by his wife of almost 50 years, Susan Carty of McKinney, his Brother David Carty and Wife Vicki of Eagleville, PA, Son Jim Carty and Wife Wendy, of Maple Shade, NJ, Daughter Linda Atchison of Spring, Texas, Daughter Tina Fletcher of Tomball, Texas, Son Chad Carty and Wife Rebekah of Celina, Texas; Grandchildren, Emily Atchison of Valley Village, CA, Molly Atchison of Spring, Texas, Samantha Jaramillo and Husband Sebastian of Marlton, NJ, Jacqueline Carty of Mt. Laurel, NJ, Joseph Fletcher of Tomball, Texas, Connor Carty and Ryland Carty of Celina, Texas.



<sup>\*</sup>Please stand as you are comfortable.