

Stephen R. Carley

Stephen Reveley Carley died of Lewy body dementia on October 9, 2022, in Charlotte, N.C. Born August 6, 1946, in Brooklyn, N.Y., Steve and his brother Michael were raised by their mother Virginia. When the family relocated to New Orleans, Steve's love of the New York Yankees led to a playground fist fight-- because he was a "Yankee lover."

Steve came to Dartmouth from Metarie Country Day, bringing a love for New Orleans, Mardi Gras, and Otis Redding. He majored in history and reigned over the house pool table at Alpha Chi Alpha. Upon graduation, Steve enlisted in the Army. Dubbed "the professor" by his drill sergeant, Steve trained at the Monterey Language Institute, learned Arabic, and interpreted signals intelligence in Ethiopia

He earned a JD from University of Virginia, graduating third in his class, and met his future bride, Linde Hodson, in the elevator of a high rise in San Francisco where he practiced initially before relocating to Charlotte.

A man of many hobbies (pool, hunting, backgammon, painting) and interests (history, politics, New Orleans music), Steve especially loved golf. He was a member of golf clubs in CA, and Carmel Country club in Charlotte, N.C. which held a special place in his heart. He served on the club's board, won a Member-Member Championship, and sank a hole in one.

A loving husband, father, grandfather, and friend, Steve is survived by his wife, Linde, his children, Edward, Jack, and Virginia, his grandchildren, and his brother Michael.