

SFC (Ret) Johnnie Ray Carrow

September 15, 1935 - February 27, 2000

CACHE - Funeral for retired Sgt. 1st Class Johnnie Ray Carrow, 64, Cache, will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints with Bishop Michael D. Bunting, second ward, officiating. Sgt. Carrow died Sunday at his home after a lengthy illness. Burial with military honors will be at Post Cemetery under the direction of Becker Funeral Home.

He was born September 15, 1935, in Chocowinity, N.C. He married Ursula L. Arnold on February 6, 1960, in Heidelberg, Germany. He served in the Vietnam War, earning several awards. He was a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars. He and his wife were foster parents to more than 150 foster children. He was baptized at age 64 as a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and was ordained to the Aronic Priesthood.

Survivors include his wife of the home; three sons and daughters-in-law: Donald Ray and Diane Carrow and Michael John and Lorrie Carrow, all of Cache; and Russell John and Shanie Carrow, Dallas; three daughters and a son-in-law: Deborah Sue and Jeff Clifton, Dallas; and Jessica and Kiley Carrow, both of the home; two sisters: Joyce Pridgen, Washington, N.C.; and Melva Walters, Lility, Pa.; a brother, J.W. Carrow, Washington; and 12 grandchildren.

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