



## Charles Richard Wood

July 20, 1943 - April 16, 2008

Charles Richard (Dick) Wood of Sweetwater, passed away Wednesday, April 16, at Wood Village Assisted Living. He was a graduate of Tennessee Military Institute and graduated as a commissioned officer from Tennessee Technological University. He was a captain in the U.S. Army, serving two tours of duty in Vietnam. He was 64. Preceded in death by: his son, Charles Richard (Ricky) Wood Jr.; and parents, Beverly C. Sr. and Lucille Endsley Wood. Survivors include: son and daughters-in-law-Beverly Clay and Rebecca Wood of Chesapeake, Va.; and Patricia Wood of Maryville; Grandchildren-Rebecca Wood of Maryville; Lexye, Jackson and Nicholas Wood of Chesapeake; Brother and sister-in-law-Beverly C. Jr. and Wilma Wood of Sweetwater; Sister and brother-in-law-Ethel and Charles Donaldson of Sweetwater; Nieces-Angela C. Bush of Seattle; and Symantha W. Evans of Loudon; Nephew-Beverly C. (Tripp) Wood III of Knoxville; Aunt-Orinda Kennedy of Port Charlotte, Fla.; Several cousins. A celebration of life will be conducted by Rev. Ted Baker and Rev. Billy Stephens at Westview Cemetery, at 11 a.m., Monday, April 21, with full military honors. In lieu of flowers, the family request donations be made to the Wood Presbyterian Home. The family would like to express their appreciation to the staff at Wood Village Assisted Living for the care and compassion that was extended to Dick. Kyker Funeral Home, Sweetwater, in charge of arrangements.