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Frank R. 'Ritt' Dunham Jr.

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ROYAL PALM BEACH, Fla. - Frank R. "Ritt" Dunham Jr., 61, of Royal Palm Beach, Fla., (formerly of Marietta, Ohio), died Sunday (July 12, 2009) at his home.

He was born April 10, 1948, in Washington, D.C., the son of the late Eileen Fogle Gavin and Frank R. Dunham Sr.

He graduated from Marietta High School with the Class of 1966, and received a bachelor's degree in psychology from Marietta College.

Ritt worked as a supervisor at the former Union Carbide Metals Company before moving to West Palm Beach, Fla., where he was a business owner for many years.

He was an accomplished golfer and enjoyed spending time with his family and friends.

He is survived by his special friend, Angela, of Royal Palm Beach; daughter, Maury Deems of Dover, Ohio; brother, Patrick Gavin of Royal Palm Beach; sisters, Maureen J. Bryant and Kathleen L. (Mike) Tewkesbury of Marietta, Ohio; niece, Elisha A. Tewkesbury; nephews, William G. Tewkesbury and Jon R. Tewkesbury of Marietta, Ohio, and James Bryant III of Columbus, Ohio; and several cousins.

He was preceded in death by his stepfather, William J Gavin; and brother, Thomas W. Gavin.

There will be no memorial services. Palms West Funeral Home, 110 Business Parkway, Royal Palm Beach, Fla., is in charge of arrangements.

Online condolences may be sent to mail@palmswestfuneralhome.com.

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