



COLONEL PETER J. BARRETT

Colonel Peter J. Barrett (retired), age 72, passed away at home in Tejas Shores, Houston County Lake, on April 21, 2010 following a brief illness.

Colonel Barrett was born on February 2, 1938 in Brooklyn, New York. He graduated from Fordham University in New York City and obtained a master's degree from Syracuse University in Broadcast Journalism. He began broadcasting in 1952, at age 14, as a member of The All City Radio Workshop at WNYE-FM, New York. Worked as on-air personality for WFUV, NY and WAER, Syracuse while attending school. He worked part time as television news talent for NBC affiliate WSYR, Syracuse.

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Saigon in 1966.

Survivors include his wife Susan Barrett; children Michael Barrett, of Astoria, NY; daughter Kate Barrett and husband Robert Schroeder, of Whittier, Calif.; son Kevin Barrett, of North Attleborough, Mass.; step-sons Brad Bobbitt, of Crockett and Matt and wife Cassie Bobbitt, of College Station; four grandchildren Eric Schroeder and Rebecca Schroeder, of Whittier Calif., Jackson and Kate Bobbitt, of College Station; mother-in-law Lorene Allee, of Crockett; brothers-in-law Stephen Allee, of Crockett and Ray and Chelli Turner, of Pasadena.

Preceded in death by his parents Thomas and Mildred Barrett; and father-in-law Jack Allee.

Memorial Service for Col. Peter J. Barrett will be held at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be sent to The American Cancer Society or The Piney Woods Fine Arts Center.

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