

### Dick and Jan Price

Another very interesting couple has chosen Patriots Colony for their home. They are almost natives though, having lived in the area (Kingsmill and Gloucester for 17 years).

Jan, from Long Island, and Dick, from Ohio, met in Japan where she taught school and he flew F-700's. He was always interested in flying and graduated from West Point in 1958 with an Air Force commission. Jan earned a BS in Elementary Education at Bucknell. Back in the US, they became engaged in New Orleans at Al Hirt's 500 Club on Bourbon Street and almost 50 years later here they are.

They have two daughters close by – one here and one in Charlottesville, three grandchildren, and one great grandchild. Dick's various duties took him to Vietnam, the University of Michigan where he obtained a Master's in Aero-Engineering, teaching at the Air Force Academy and NATO Headquarters in Brussels. He retired from Air Force systems Command at Andrews Air Force base in 1982 and then opened an office for Grumman Corporation in Hampton, VA. Jan taught nursery school while at the University of Michigan.

When living in Williamsburg she became a master gardener and worked for Colonial Williamsburg in their floral department. She also is an avid painter of watercolors. She will certainly be able to continue her interests here although both of the Prices will miss being on the water and sailing from their home in Gloucester. Let's keep them so busy they'll forget about boats and come ashore!

