



Jerry and Barbara Pierce

Jerry and Barbara taught, cued, and promoted round dancing from the mid-1960s until their retirement in 2018. They began teaching in the Atlanta area and continued to teach and cue in the Birmingham area for over 50 years. They traveled to teach and cue in over 30 states as well as in Canada, Germany, Belgium, New Zealand, and Australia. For decades, they averaged teaching/cueing at about 25-30 festivals/conventions yearly, including decades of helping with the Alabama State Conventions. They are charter members of ROUNDALAB, Dixie Round Dance Council, and the Alabama Round Dance Teachers Association. They were very active in both the 1985 and 1995 National Conventions in Birmingham serving as chairman of different round dance activities. In 2022, they were presented the Lifetime Membership Award of the Birmingham Square Dance Association. Perhaps their greatest accolade would be the way they conducted themselves in modeling humility, grace, and honor for over 50 years to tens of thousands of the world-wide square and round dance community.