



Carol Sue Jackson

September 20, 1936 - August 17, 2021

Carol Sue Jackson, 84, of Springville passed away Tuesday August 17, 2021 at her residence.

Born September 20, 1936 in Bloomington, Indiana the daughter of Luther Bud McMurry and Fannie (Fowler) McMurry.

Carol worked at Indiana University in the custodial services and in the kitchen, she and her late husband also owned and operated Jackson's Trading Post, she was a member of the Ruffcut Church in Mitchell, and loved to crochet.

Surviving relatives include her three grandsons, Blaine Jackson of Owensburg, Luther Jackson of Indianapolis and Dylan Jackson of Vincennes, she has one nephew, Charlie Bennett of Scotland and several great grandchildren and great-great grandchildren.

Carol was preceded in death by her husband Donald William Jackson, two sons, Donald D. Jackson, Douglas E. Jackson, one grandson, Mikel Jackson, one sister Virginia Bennett Watkins and her parents.

Visitation will be held from 4 to 7 on Friday and Noon Saturday until the hour of service at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield.

Services will be held at 1:00 P.M. on Saturday at Jenkins Funeral Home with Debbie Doyle officiating. Burial will follow at Kentucky Ridge Cemetery.

The family wishes any memorial donations in Carol's name be given to Kentucky Ridge Cemetery or any Cancer Research.

Online condolences and memories can be shared at www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Kentucky Ridge Cemetery

State Road 58
Bloomfield, IN 47424

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 20. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Lester Jenkins and Sons Funeral Home Inc. - Bloomfield
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Service

AUG 21. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

RW

“ Our family was really saddened to hear of Carol Sue’s death. We were fortunate to meet and get to know Carol Sue in 1961, in Bloomington, when Alan, our 4th child, was born and we decided we needed a larger house and additional help as we both were employed full-time. We were amazed at her superb child-raising skills and down-to-earth knowledge of just about everything related to taking care of our kids and the home we had just purchased. She cooked, cleaned, delivered the kids to school and picked them up, and always had a wonderful supper ready each evening when we returned from our work-day. I remember her saying, one day, "Alan needs to be potty-trained!" . . . 24 hours later he had completed Carol Sue's course and that was that! When all 4 of our kids caught measles and whooping cough, she brought her own children with her, so they would catch the diseases and "get it over with!" A few years ago, we searched for Carol Sue on the internet and found her through her husband Donald’s obituary. When I called her for the first time, she said, “I think of you every day!” We began having regular phone discussions with her, which we enjoyed very much. She delighted us with her positive, wise, practical, and humorous attitude. She could do ANYTHING, even though she had to do it from a wheelchair. She would always tell us about neighbors’ kids she was taking care of during the weekends and such. She would teach them about helping with meal preparation, washing dishes, taking out trash and keeping the place clean. She was preparing them for being self-sufficient like she was. We found these kids apparently really enjoyed these lessons! She could have written a wonderfully practical book on how to raise kids to be responsible adults.

We've loaded our only picture of Carol Sue, in 1961, taken with our 3 oldest children.

We loved Carol Sue and we'll certainly miss her.

Richard and Diane Wiersba

San Francisco, CA

RICHARD WIERSBA - October 03, 2021 at 04:37 PM

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Richard Wiersba - October 02, 2021 at 01:46 PM

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Richard Wiersba - October 02, 2021 at 01:45 PM

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“ *Carol Sue was my cousin, her dad was my mother's brother. As children we were together often, it was a close family. We loved Carol Sue and her sister Virginia. Just seeing them was a special treat for me and my four sisters. We laughed a lot, wrote notes in Grandma McMurry's memory book and just enjoyed visiting. We didn't live close in adulthood, but oh those childhood good times!*
Margaret Martindale Trowbridge

Margaret Trowbridge - September 05, 2021 at 10:34 AM

MB

“ We knew Carol and her family years ago they would attend the Auction Barn at Odon, we would always visit before and after the auction, we all enjoyed the Auction. So sorry to hear of her passing, may her grandchildren and families have the peace of Understanding that God is the only one who can give this.

Malinda and Ron Bell Odon



Malinda and Ron Bell - August 24, 2021 at 09:52 PM

CC

“ I’ve known Carol my whole life. I grew up down the power line from her. Her boys, Dwayne and Doug were my best friends, we rode horses together a lot. After I got married my husband and I bought the place across the highway from her. My kids were always over there getting candy from the trading post. A lot of good memories of her and her family that I will always cherish. I will never forget the time my pigs got out. You’ll have to have Blaine tell you the story 😂 . Here’s a hug for Blaine 🤗 Your in my prayers, Cindy Cummings

Cindy Cummings - August 21, 2021 at 10:44 AM

JB

“ I first met Carol in December 1986 when we were both working for Indiana University. She was so friendly and loving and was really my first friend at IU. Little did we know that her Grandson Mike and my daughter Teri would have two children together. We will miss you and your loving spirit, We love you Janice M. Barnett

Janice Barnett - August 20, 2021 at 11:41 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Carol Sue Jackson.*



August 20, 2021 at 08:21 AM



“ *What a kind person Carol was. A heart of gold and always a smile is how I remember her.*

I first met Carol as a nurse taking care of her when she had that horrible traffic accident when she broke her femur. I set up that traction. I then took care of her when I went on to work for DrDoster. We always had to visit and talk about our kids and family. I still have the afghan she crocheted for me. Beautiful multi colored creation ❤️

*I remember her and her Tomatoe diet. When she would call the office it was “ Laura, this is Carol.” You just knew her as a old friend. Not just a patient. A true friend. She will be missed.
LauraJune Deck*

LauraJune Deck - August 20, 2021 at 05:49 AM