



## Carol Wortham Wallace

August 22, 1947 - May 23, 2025

Carol Wortham Wallace, age 77 of Terrell, TX passed away peacefully on May 23, 2025. Carol was born August 22, 1947 in Terrell, TX and she was the fifth of seven children and was raised in Forney, TX. Her dad was a cotton farmer and her mom was a homemaker. She attended Forney schools where she met the love of her life, Henry Wallace, at a local drive in and married him. Carol and Henry's marriage was a testament to their unending love for each other and they would celebrate 50 years of marriage until his passing on January 11, 2015.

Carol was a joyful person who loved the Lord and she brought warmth and laughter to others. All her life, Carol never met a stranger. She treasured her family, especially her grandchildren and great grandchildren. She had a passion for dancing and was known for her warm heart, generous spirit and deeply caring nature. She was always quick to lend a hand to someone and always generous with her time. Her kitchen was a place of comfort for everyone who stopped by over the many years at her home. Carol was well known for her home-cooked meals, especially her cakes and pies that her family loved. Carol loved to decorate her home year round as the seasons changed with her favorite holiday being Christmas. She was often called "Christmas Carol" because there was no space not decorated, bringing boundless cheer and warmth to friends and family alike, each of whom visited during the Christmas holiday. Her legacy is one of love, service and joy and Carol will be missed dearly and remembered always. John 3:16

Carol was preceded in passing by her beloved husband, Henry Wallace; her parents, Bob and Juanita Wortham; brothers: Jerry, Michael and Johnny Wortham and sister Judy Eudy. She is survived by her daughters: Michelle Gilbert and husband Paul and Ann Marie Brown and husband Jason; her three grandchildren: Whitney, Reed and Taylor, and two great grandchildren, Peyton and Caroline as well as sisters, nephews, nieces and extended family, each of whom she loved dearly. The family would like to thank the exceptional caregivers at Bonnie's House in Wills Point for their love and care for Mom in her last days with us.

Funeral services are being planned by the family at a later date.

# Cemetery Details

## Oakland Memorial Park

1000 W. Moore Avenue  
Terrell, TX 75160

## Events

**Details are pending.**

# Tribute Wall

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“ Carol was in my first grace class with Mrs. Blackburn. We went through the school years together until high school. She was always the sweetest, kindest person. The world has lost a warm, loving soul and will be missed.

*Sarah Kelly*

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**Sarah L Kelly** - August 05, 2025 at 12:02 PM

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“ My aunt Carol was one of the sweetest individuals I was so lucky to have in my life. She always thought of others first and always saw the best in people You were so lucky to have such a wonderful mother. I wish you both all the best and want you to know, I have the fondest, warmest, loving memories of your mom. She was so kind to Miss Mary in her later years always keeping in touch and helping keep her spirits up. I was grateful mother had such a friend in her later years and I know how much mother loved her. Just remember, I'm sending you love and heartfelt sympathies to both Anne-Marie and Michelle.

*Rebecca Beavers*

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**Rebecca Beavers** - June 05, 2025 at 10:19 AM

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