



## Carolyn McKenzie

September 29, 1948 - May 13, 2024

Carolyn McKenzie, affectionately known as Nana, Aunt Carolyn, or Sister, was born on September 29th, 1949 in Dallas Texas, to her beloved parents, H.P "Red Brush" McKenzie and Minnie Lee. On May 13th, 2024, she departed this world, joining her cherished parents and loved ones who preceded her in death, including her life partner, Barbara Metcalf, her brother Charlie Bill, and her chosen family, Maw and Paw Case.

Carolyn was a shining light in the lives of all who knew her. With her infectious humor and warm personality, she had an extraordinary gift for making friends wherever she went. Whether through her witty jokes or her genuine interest in others, Carolyn had a way of bringing joy and laughter to those around her.

Above all else, Carolyn held her family dear to her heart. Her love for her family was evident in everything she did, and she took immense pride in being a devoted Aunt, grandmother, and great-grandmother.

Her legacy of love, strength, and compassion will live on through her entire family, who were the lights of her life.

Carolyn leaves behind a legacy of love and laughter that will be forever cherished by her surviving family members: brother Dennis Tubb and wife Manya; daughters Janna and husband Jason, and Tammy; son Casey and wife Linda; grandchildren Preston, Katy, Taylor, Riley, Emma,

Anna, Andy, and Brian; great-grandchildren Corbin, Dodson, and Elena; sister-in-law Sandy; nieces and nephews Karla, DorRea, Bobby, Deny, Penny, Steve, Rolinda, Kevin, and Nathan, Heather; Great Nieces and Nephews, Phillip, Brandi, Kaylee, Ana, David, River, Clint, Pecos, Michaela, Rachel, McKenzie, Waylon, Casey and Jeanie; and chosen family Kathleen, Irene, Eldon, and Dawn.

As we mourn the loss of Carolyn, let us also celebrate the beautiful life she lived and the profound impact she had on all who knew her. May her memory be a source of comfort and strength to those who loved her, and may she rest in eternal peace, reunited with her loved ones who have gone before her.

Forever in our hearts, Nana, Aunt Carolyn, Sister, will be remembered with love, gratitude, and fondness. May she find eternal peace in the arms of the divine.

A Celebration of Life will be held at 835 Griffith Ave. Terrell, TX on Saturday, May 25th at 11am.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Margaret B. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathi phyllum for the family of Carolyn McKenzie.



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Margaret B. - May 24, 2024 at 10:57 AM



“ 2 files added to the album Family



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Rolinda Kohler - May 17, 2024 at 02:00 PM

KC

“ Carolyn was a long time “Best Friend” to me. We met in the 1st grade at Urban Park Elementary, and remained friends until she passed on. Sadly, she was my only life long friend. Irene and I always considered it such a treat to spend the night down at her house. We knew our midnight snack would be Banana Splits !!! We got into more than our share of mischief, especially when she went with our family to lake Tawakoni. If it hadn't been for her I wouldn't have had nearly as much fun growing up. We also had the privilege/experience of learning how to drive a Stick Shift in Mr. Mac's Lance truck !! I got hit in the back of my head with Lance product more than once.;)). Carolyn was the BEST PERSON !!! Just wished we'd had her even longer !!! She was a BLESSING to anyone who met or knew her ;))

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KATHLEEN CASE - May 16, 2024 at 06:01 PM

MJ

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Martha A Jones - May 16, 2024 at 05:13 PM

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“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



itene Case - May 15, 2024 at 09:27 AM

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“ Just sharing a few wonderful memories, of my sister Carolyn of over 65 years. I watched her nieces and nephews in the Tubb family grow up and several came and shared the joy of my becoming an ordained minister in 2018. In 2020 we four girls went to the State fair of Texas and we won third place in the Big Tex photo challenge - it was the first time in all of our 65+ years that we were all at the state fair together. Without a doubt Carolyn loved to make everyone laugh, especially when she was telling the stories of the crazy things we got into together, or teasing Maw about her “New Chevy Walker.” She was fun, generous & a survivor! She heart adopted so many children & grandchildren & opened her heart & home to many. “Sissy” “Double-Bubble” and “Ellie Mae” were just a few of her nicknames. We literally became became “blood-sisters” (Indian style) on the front porch on Day St. I love her dearly & she is truly missed. My prayers are with the McKenzie & Tubb & Metcalf & Ballard families & all her friends. Hugs, Irene



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**itene Case** - May 14, 2024 at 11:06 PM

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Posted pictures to go with this, but don't see them. :(

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**itene Case** - May 14, 2024 at 11:13 PM

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RIP Carolyn and go with God. You will be missed.

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**Albert O'Canas** - October 17, 2024 at 08:02 AM