



Carolyn Jean LaFrance

December 15, 1946 - January 15, 2020

Funeral services for Carolyn LaFrance, 73, of Bastrop, Texas, are scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on Friday, January 17, 2020 at St. James Lutheran Church in Lexington, Texas with Rev. Jonathan Meyer officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery.

Carolyn Jean (Haley) LaFrance was born on December 15, 1946 in Brenham, Texas to Frank & Edna (Biehle) Haley. She was confirmed on April 10, 1960 at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Beaumont. Carolyn married William LaFrance in 1974 in Austin, Texas. They had one daughter, Carmen. Carolyn was a loving and devoted homemaker and a member of St. James Lutheran Church in Lexington. She enjoyed playing card games, bingo and loved cats.

Carolyn passed away on Wednesday, January 15, 2020 at Silver Pines Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Bastrop.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Frank & Edna Haley; her husband, William "Bill" LaFrance; her daughter, Carmen Wester, and her brother, Clifford Haley.

Carolyn is survived by her sister, Phyllis Hodges & her husband, Tommy of Bastrop; her son-in-law, David Wester of Austin; her nephew, Rustin Hodges & his wife, Lisa of Paige; her niece, Crystal Iselt & her husband, Tracy of

Fedor; her uncle, Ernest Biehle of Lexington; and her cousins, Butch Biehle, Larry Biehle, Paul Biehle Jr., Diane Biehle and Brenda Francis.

Memorials may be made to the charity of one's choice.

Cemetery Details

St. James Lutheran Cemetery

County Road 326
Lexington, TX 78947

Previous Events

Church Service

JAN 17. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. James Lutheran Church
320 North Rockdale Street
Lexington, TX 78947

Tribute Wall



“ I am glad you are finally at peace. You are loved by so many, and will be missed by so many. No more worries for you. You will be missed, but we will meet again. Fly high with the angels. All our love, Tracy & Crystal Iselt.

crystal iselt - January 26, 2020 at 10:45 AM



“ I remember when we lived together you'd always ask me to paint your nails and you'd pick some really fun colors but most of all red was your favorite. I'll always cherish those memories of us bonding for that year together. You always made me laugh with your silly stories and how you'd call shotgun (my dog) making silly kissy noises as if he was a little baby. Kylee and I will miss you dearly but we know your in a better place and surrounded by love ones we will see again when we pass. Love you dearly, Desiree and Kylee Anne Hodges

Desiree Hodges - January 24, 2020 at 08:08 AM

BF

“ As children we grew up in different states
,although
We didn't live close we use to write letters pen
pals.
We shared our hope and dreams .I help you
thru many a tear.although you were my oldest cousin.
We seemed to bond.
I remember your first love
You were going to marry but
God had a different plan.
He took him in a automobile
Reck.That was your first heart break.I never thought you would get
over him. Took a long time. But you did.
Now your on the other side in Heaven you be sure to find him ,We
love you,thru this life
We have been separated many times .Here again we are .But Life
always has a plan with God. A life in Heaven. We shall
All meet at the sweet by and by. Till it our time to get there
Rest in peace.Go and find your
Mother ,Father,Brother,daughter ,love ones that you have missed.
You will be missed for just a little time a mere Twinkle of earth time.
Love you very much my 1st cousin.



Brenda Francis - January 17, 2020 at 09:21 AM

PH

“ God looked around his garden and found an empty place
He then looked down upon the Earth and saw your tired face
He put his arms around you and lifted you to rest
With the help of his angels they flew you to your heavenly place
Gods garden must be beautiful, he always takes the best
He knew you were suffering, he knew you were in pain
He knew that you would never get well on Earth again
He saw the road was getting rough and the hills too hard to climb
He closed your weary eyelids and whispered “Peace be Thine”
It broke my heart to lose you but you didn’t go alone
For part of me went with you the day God called you home.



Phyllis - January 15, 2020 at 10:59 PM

BF

Amen

Brenda Francis - January 17, 2020 at 08:34 AM

LH

The memories of us together are to many to list! But what I cherish most is our shopping days together and our weeks in Paige where you grew up and your mom and dad passed. When we shopped you would throw 5 or 6 things of one item in the cart and I would say; Aunt Carolyn we are going to the store next week. You dont need 6 jars of mayo😓. You would reply; “ Oh Malarkey, I like alot of mayo on my sandwiches and I dont want to run out! “. Hahahah

Or my other favorite as you were waking up in Paige you would holler through house; “ Lisa, Coffee, with a morning gruffly voice!“ I would yell back, with my morning gruffly voice that I was coming, hold on a minute I need to get out of bed first! “ You would holler back; “ Oh gravy! “

Or the time when I squished you in my bathing suit and we went swimming and you thought you were going to drown, so I let you float on my back and we both laughed so hard we almost both drowned!!!

But my fondest memories of you and I will always stay between us because I promised I would never tell a soul! What happened in Paige must stay in Paige. And you said, I like that!!!! Hahahahaha

You are a hoot Aunt Carolyn! Laci and Rusty have many pictures yall colored together with the 18 kitties surrounding you , that we will cherish for many many years. Plus, all the drawings you drew for them of horses and cats! Especially, your favorite Sharolyn kitty we named after you because we captured her in your yard in Giddings😊

Rest in peace my sweetheart!

I will see ya when the smoke clears!

Lisa. Laci. Rusty Hodges ❤️

Lisa Hodges - January 26, 2020 at 11:25 AM

PT

“ *Never thought I'd lose you, But here I am,
Standing alone, Without you by my side,
We're sisters for life, But now you're gone,
I don't know what to do,
Without you, I'm heart broken,
I'm trying to hold on, To keep strong,
But it just doesn't feel right, I'm waiting here,
My arms wide open, Tears running down my face,
Ready for your return, Even if it takes forever,
I love you..until we meet again*



Phyllis and Tommy - January 15, 2020 at 10:30 PM

TG

Sorry for your loss. Words cannot express the sorrow and pain your going through. You're in my prayers.

Tracy Galbreath-Young - January 16, 2020 at 02:19 PM

JF

Rest In Peace Carolyn.

Joyce La France-Brewer - January 17, 2020 at 09:48 AM