



Carol Geanne Carlisle

October 9, 1949 - August 31, 2023

Carol Geanne Carlisle of Hobart, Oklahoma, passed away on August 31, 2023 at the age of 73. Carol leaves an indelible impression on those who called her daughter, sister, aunt, friend, and teacher. Carol's brilliant spirit, radiant smile, and indelible Texas wit and accent captivated everyone who had the chance to know her.

Carol was born on October 9, 1949 in Norman, Oklahoma to John Carlisle and Norma (Fanning) Carlisle. Following graduation from Tascosa High School in Amarillo, Texas, Carol moved to Austin, Texas.

Carol followed in her mother's footsteps as a career educator. Carol attended the University of Texas (El Paso) and graduated with a B.S. in Education. She began her teaching career as an elementary school teacher at Fort Bliss and the El Paso School District. She continued her career overseas as a Department of Defense school teacher at Mannheim Elementary, Mannheim, Germany. While posted in Germany, Carol continued her education earning a M.A. in Education from the National-Louis University in Heidelberg, Germany and other professional certifications from the University of Maryland, Mannheim campus. Carol returned to her beloved Texas, to finish a teaching career spanning three decades as an elementary school teacher at Acton Elementary, in Granbury, Texas.

Carol was a lifelong world traveler. She also enjoyed painting, music and cooking for her friends and family.

Carol was preceded in death by her father and mother. Survivors include her

boyfriend, Jimmy John Bruner of Hobart, Oklahoma; brother John M. Carlisle (Barbara) of Shreveport, LA; nephews Sean Carlisle (Dallas, TX) and Cody Cowen (Baton Rouge, LA); adopted daughter Carolyn Olson (Peter Schmidt) of Alexandria, VA, and many family, friends, and former students.

A memorial gathering honoring and celebrating Carol's life will be held at the First American Baptist Church, 800 S. Lincoln, Hobart, Oklahoma, on Friday, September 22, at 10:00 am under the direction of Peoples Cooperative Funeral Home. The family will hold a private interment at Hobart Rose Cemetery.

Online condolences for Carol can be made by visiting www.peoplecooperativefuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall

DE

“ I didn't know until tonight that Carol lived in Hobart. Mike, if you're reading this I'd like to say how very sorry I am to hear of her passing and that she lived so close. One of my favorite memories of her involves El Paso and a trip to Mexico one afternoon. She was such a fun loving person.

So sad to hear of your loss.

Dawn Holmes Evans

Dawn Evans - November 08, 2023 at 10:13 PM



“ *Carol Geanne Carlisle*

October 08, 2023 at 02:10 PM



“ *Carol Geanne Carlisle*

October 04, 2023 at 11:28 PM

DC

“ *JJ and Carol's family ... our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

David & Galeen



David & Galeen Chain - September 16, 2023 at 09:28 PM

SS

“ 5 files added to the album CG



Susan Sigerseith - September 16, 2023 at 03:21 PM

SK

“ Carol Geanne – the candle that burns the brightest..... and darlin you were the brightest. You filled every room and brought excitement to every event. We feel so lucky to have been able to call you friend. So many fabulous experiences that you, Jerry and I shared – just the three of us and with a cast of many friends. We feel so honored that you shared John and Norma with us. We enjoyed so many great times with you and them in Germany and in Texas. We even became official Texas residents for many years thanks to you and them. We knew how much they meant to you and the bond of family. We unfortunately lost contact in the last few years with your move to Oklahoma but Carolyn and Mechelle were able to connect us again in your final days so we could share some love. What a gift – thank-you Carolyn and Mechelle. We will miss you forever.
Love Susan & Jerry

Susan Sigerseith & Jerry Kyander - September 16, 2023 at 03:12 PM

KK

Wow. Amazing who you can find on the internet. So sorry to hear about Carole's passing. I remember her well in Germany. Susan and Jerry i hope you are well. Have thought of you both often over the years. Love Kimo drop me a line. Kimomusl300@gmail.com

Kimo K - May 17, 2025 at 03:42 AM

RC

“ We meet 50 years ago and I loved her smile, smarts, and friendship ever since then. I will always remember her.

Raul Carrillo - September 16, 2023 at 11:23 AM

AW

“ An unforgettable candle burning at both ends.

Anita Warner - September 14, 2023 at 01:40 PM

JD

“ CG a was part of a small and delightful group of people working at Mannheim Elementary School in Germany. We spent several years, traveling, enjoying German Traditions, eating in great restaurants, meeting at one another's homes, and essentially enjoying our lives and the company of dear friends. She lived fast and furious. We all loved her and she loved us. Carol Geanne, you have gone on your personal adventure. Travel in the bathing light of our love and caring. You are special and we will always love you. Johnny D

John Davatelis - September 13, 2023 at 10:53 AM

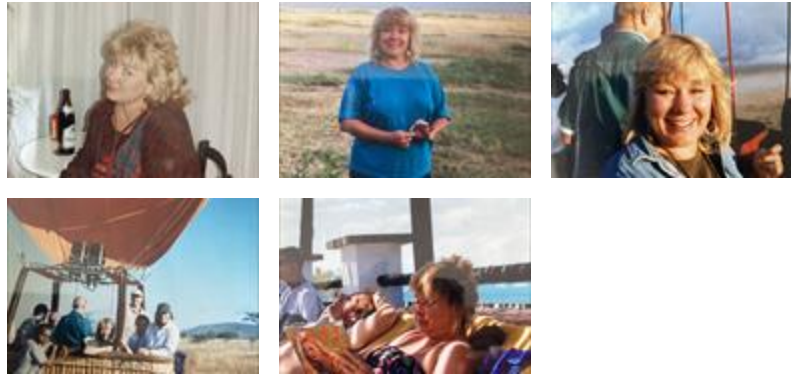
LC

“ Carol was definitely a one of a kind and I was lucky to have known her. I met Carol through her nephew and as most, I'm sure, got to laugh with her and learn from her. She and I only knew each other briefly but she left a lasting impression and I'm better for having known her. Rest in peace dear friend ❤️

Lauretta Campestre - September 13, 2023 at 07:35 AM

VA

“ 6 files added to the tribute wall



Vanda - September 12, 2023 at 11:04 PM