



Carol W. Roberts

March 6, 1949 - October 6, 2015

Carol W. Roberts, aged 66, passed away peacefully on October 6, 2015 in Charlotte, NC. Carol was born March 6, 1949 in Asbury Park, New Jersey to Gene Watson and Melvie Edwards. She was lovingly and tenderly raised by Grace Bailey who instilled in her the importance of faith, love, and hope.

Carol was a natural leader who dedicated both her professional career and Christian ministry to children. She enjoyed camp meeting, camping, nature, and singing. As a teenager at Hanson Place Seventh-day Adventist Church in Brooklyn, NY, she was both a soloist and a member of a singing trio with her sister Cindy McCoy. Carol graduated from John Jay High School and attended Medgar Evers College in Brooklyn, NY where she received formal training in Education.

In 1977, Carol married George Roberts who shared her love of travel and laughter. Having met in New York City, George and Carol moved to Charlotte, North Carolina in 1978. In addition to raising her own children, Carol was known as a woman who took many under her wings. Her ability to love all was evident wherever she went. Carol was a faithful member of Berean Seventh-day Adventist Church and, later, an equally faithful and charter member of Northeast Seventh-day Adventist Church in Charlotte. She was a gifted writer, storyteller, Adventurer Leader, Pathfinder Leader, Sabbath School Teacher and overall supporter of efforts to raise children with a sincere love for God. It

was also in Charlotte where her nearly 30-year career in Charlotte-Mecklenburg's After-School Enrichment Program began. As a Site Coordinator and Program Associate, Carol not only trained but mentored many.

Carol is survived by her loving husband, George; her children, Paul Gourdine (Alicia, wife) of Charlotte, NC and Tuesda Roberts of Pittsburgh, PA; her stepchildren, Vanessa Jenkins of Charlotte, NC and Joy Revels of Atlanta, Georgia; her grandchildren, Corey Gourdine (Sakira, wife), Tatyana Gourdine, Kelvin Jenkins, and Erving Jenkins. She is also survived by her siblings; Cindy McCoy, Audrey Reynolds-Edwards, Peggy Edwards, Frank Edwards, Martha Rae Ludley, Willie Earl, Ann Krutulewski, and Boyd Phillips; and a host of nieces and nephews.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 11. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Northeast Seventh-day Adventist Church
827 Tom Hunter Road
Charlotte, NC

Service

OCT 11. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

MH

“ I love you & think about you everyday, I miss you so much I wish you was here.



Makyah Houston - January 15, 2021 at 04:15 AM

RS

“ My sincere condolences are extended to Carol's family. I remember meeting her when her daughter was still in baby stroller at church. Over the years we lost contact because we attended different churches. Her smile and beautiful personality will be so missed. She was so proud of her children. She loved her family and God most of all. To her family: It is alright to show your grief and mourn her loss. Cherish the wonderful memories forever. I will miss involvement with the youth - a legacy of love for God, her family, friends, and the youth. Love you much, Ms. Rachel Stockton



Rachel Stockton - October 14, 2015 at 08:21 AM

CM

“ Christine McLaurin lit a candle in memory of Carol W. Roberts



Christine McLaurin - October 11, 2015 at 09:16 PM

KV

“ You are now safely in the hands of our Lord. May he continue to bless you and your family. Fond memories from CMS/ASEP and SEDC.

Kathy V - October 11, 2015 at 03:09 PM

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“ Sincere condolences to the family. May Almighty God and his promise of a resurrection give you peace and comfort in the days and weeks ahead.

L.Bentley

L.Bentley - October 10, 2015 at 05:10 PM