



Carolyn Lavone Smith Collins

September 13, 1947 - March 16, 2024

A memorial graveside service for the family and close friends of Ms. Carolyn Lavone Smith Collins, age 76 of Tyler, Texas is scheduled for 2:00 p.m. Saturday, March 30, 2024, at Harris Chapel Cemetery in Lindale, Texas with J.N. Metcalf of Frontier Cowboy Church officiating. After the service the family would like those who attend to join them at Posados in Lindale to have a meal in honor of Carolyn.

Carolyn passed away on Saturday, March 16, 2024, at her home in Tyler. She was born on September 13, 1947, in Bryan, Texas to the late Floyd Davis and Iris Lavone Smith. Carolyn was the oldest of 4 children and grew up in Malakoff, Texas. She was a Majorette at Malakoff High School and graduated in 1966. In the beginning of her work career, she had many different types of jobs before she found her permanent position as a concrete truck dispatcher at Contractors Supply in Tyler. For over 35 years, she was a loyal, hardworking, and dedicated employee. Hard work was something she did very well and didn't shy away from. One of her many hobbies that she enjoyed was gardening, and if you knew Carolyn, you know that she had a true green thumb. One of the things she absolutely loved to grow was roses. Carolyn was a devoted mother, sister, grandmother, and friend. She was loved by all who knew her and will truly be missed.

Carolyn is survived by her sons, Yancy Rounsavall of Tyler, and Charles

Collins and wife, Tara of Lindale; daughter, Wendy Collins of Lindale; sister, Marolyn Quinn of Mabank; brothers, Davis Smith of Cleveland, Kenneth Smith of Pasadena, and John Smith of Malakoff; three grandchildren, Sara Wood of Lindale, and Ebin and Charlie Collins of Lindale; and numerous other loving family members and friends.

Cemetery Details

Harris Chapel Cemetery

17069 C R 452
Lindale, TX

Previous Events

Graveside Service

MAR 30. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Condolences to Yancey, Little Charlie & Wendy, & other family & friends.
Carolyn is my first cousin, & we were very saddened to hear she had gone to Heaven to be her Mother & Daddy, & other family that had gone prior to her entrance into Heaven.
Carolyn aka Jaybird, is now free of any pain & suffering.
RIP Cousin,
Suzanne DeSpain & Jeree' Nelson & Families.
Bandera, Texas

Suzanne Wenckens- DeSpain - April 07, 2024 at 02:10 AM