



Carla Jodene Moser

July 13, 1945 - November 30, 2019

Carla Jodene Anderson Moser, 74 of LaSalle, Colorado, beloved mother, grandmother, sister and friend passed away at her home November 30, 2019.

She was born July 13, 1945 in Greeley, Colorado to Robert C. "Bob" & Erma E. (Connell) Anderson.

Carla attended La Salle Elementary, La Salle High School, and graduated from Valley High School in 1963 where she was active in many student organizations including band and German band.

Carla married Vern Moser in 1964 and lived and farmed in the La Salle/Bee Bee Draw area. They had a daughter, Melissa born in 1965 followed by a son, Mark in 1967. After 22 years of living and working on the farm, Carla and Vern divorced in 1986. This is when she moved into the town of La Salle.

In 1989 Carla entered business with lifelong friend Joan Brehon. They owned and operated C&J Deli located at 522 5th Avenue in Greeley until 2003 serving delicious krautburgers, hamburgers, various German foods and desserts.

In 2003 she became a substitute teacher and continued to do so (with her whistle in hand) at Valley, Platte Valley, and Roosevelt Schools until her retirement due to health issues in 2017.

Carla never met a stranger and enjoyed spending time with family and friends at the family cabin in Glen Haven, Co.

She loved spending time at her church, bible study, playing cards with her friends, and all the ladies get togethers. She especially loved spending time with all her children, grandchildren and great grandson. Whether it be a school function or sporting event she always made time for family and never missed an important family event.

Carla was preceded in death by her grandparents, Tom and Dora Connell of La Salle, parents, Robert C. and Erma E. Anderson of La Salle and numerous aunts and uncles.

She is survived by a brother Robert C. "Andy" Anderson, Jr. of Greeley; daughter Melissa Mijares and son in-law Ronald of Glen Haven; son Mark Moser and daughter in-law Brenda of La Salle; grandchildren, Cayla Chacon of Loveland, Brandi Habighorst and husband Josiah Habighorst of La Salle, Coree Chacon of Greeley, Tanner 'Doc' Moser of La Salle, Jared Mijares of La Salle, Micah Mijares of North Platte, NE, and Nakiya Myrant-Mijares of Colorado Springs; great grandson, Kaceton Habighorst; niece, Heidi Korpella; nephew, Jason Anderson and their families.

A memorial service to celebrate Carla's life will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, December 7, 2019 at the First Presbyterian Church of La Salle, 51 Church Ct. in LaSalle followed by a light meal and reception at La Salle Fire Station 118 Main Street in LaSalle.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to LaSalle First Presbyterian Church at 51 Church Ct. LaSalle, CO 80645.

Events

DEC **Celebration of Life** 10:00AM - 11:00AM

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LaSalle First Presbyterian

51 Church Court, LaSalle, CO, US, 80645

Comments



“ An external video has been added.



Moser Funeral & Cremation Service - December 03, 2019 at 01:57 PM



“ Missy, Mark & family,
We are so very sorry to hear about the passing of your mom. Please know that our heart and blessings are being sent your way.

Love,

Susan & Steve Pacheco

Pacheco - December 10, 2019 at 08:28 PM



“ Lyle & Judi Vannest lit a candle in memory of Carla Jodene Moser



Lyle & Judi Vannest - December 07, 2019 at 01:51 AM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Carla Jodene Moser.



December 06, 2019 at 08:37 PM



“ Carla loved life and lived it richly. She was available to help and to give and she did it generously, spontaneously, enthusiastically.

A year ago, in a little monthly, dinner group, she gave me, for my birthday, a Christmas ornament picture frame, which said “My favorite breed is Rescue.” Two days ago, I filled it with a picture of my beloved new dog, adopted 12-26-18. It’s a special keepsake.

But, I don’t need a keepsake to remind me of Carla. The spirit of her friendship and example of her giving live in my heart.

Janet Bohlender Frazier

Janet Bohlender Frazier - December 06, 2019 at 08:25 PM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Carla Jodene Moser.



December 06, 2019 at 04:57 PM



“ The Crew at PTO Hose and Bearing purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Carla Jodene Moser.



The Crew at PTO Hose and Bearing - December 05, 2019 at 07:53 PM



“ I knew Carla from the bank in LaSalle. I was a loan asst. and she would come in and visit with me. She was a lovely lady. She was a good story teller.

Arlene Clinkinbeard

Arlene Clinkinbeard - December 05, 2019 at 03:44 PM



“ I love the memory of Carla telling all of us that the bridge that Mark and Tanner made from your cabin to ours, was her bridge, and that we all had to pay a quarter each time we crossed it. Hugs to all of you. Dan and Nancy

Nancy and Dan - December 05, 2019 at 01:06 PM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Carla Jodene Moser.



December 04, 2019 at 10:18 PM



“ What does it mean to be selfless? What does it mean to love unconditionally and expect nothing in return? This year, I lost two of my favorite women. They are the ones I aspire to be like. Selfless. Full of love. Caring. Survivors. Warriors. They were never afraid to fight the good fight. They were my heroes.

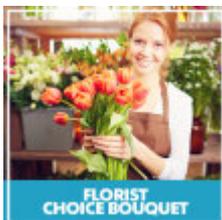
Thank you for loving me Grandma Carla and Betty Boop. Thank you for accepting me for who I am, loving me despite my flaws, and always reminding me to dream bigger. I hope heaven has an endless supply of cigarettes, because I know you both will be pissed off if they don't. I will see you both on the other side of the stars I love you, OGG's (Original Gangsta Granny's).



Hope Asbury - December 04, 2019 at 06:48 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Carla Jodene Moser.





“ Missy and Mark, this memorial tribute to your mom is just wonderful! Brought back so many special memories of our Carla - from childhood (when I first knew her) through the present. Loved seeing her every time I was in Colorado! Even if it was just twice a year, we never missed a beat. I echo everything Marianne said and thank God that we had such an amazing friend!

Penny Cole Thompson

Penny Cole Thompson - December 04, 2019 at 12:22 PM



“ Mark, Missy, Andy and the rest of the family. I will miss getting a hug from our "Cuz" at church on Sundays. Sorry we won't be able to attend the service, but we are in Arizona for the winter. If there was ever anyone who a whole town will miss, it's Carla. Punch and Toad had a mutual admiration relationship. Carla "Toad" will be sorely missed, but she won't be hurting anymore, and that's good.
Bob (Punch) and Jody Harrison

Jody Harrison - December 04, 2019 at 12:06 PM



“ Jeannette lit a candle in memory of Carla Jodene Moser



Jeannette - December 03, 2019 at 11:10 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Carla Jodene Moser.



December 03, 2019 at 09:21 PM



“ My Dear Dear Friend CARLA

Caring – I would guess that every person attending the memorial would have had at sometime or another experienced the Caring Carla. She had a heart of gold - always serving others. Even in these last difficult months, when I would call her, she always wanted to know how I was doing. How Dick was doing. How our kids were doing. This wonderful quality lives on in the lives of her children.

Audacious – If I had to think of just one word to describe Carla, this would be it. Adventurous, bold and marked by originality. She loved all animals – dogs, cats, horses, pigs and even snakes. Yes, there will never be anyone quite like Carla.

Real – Carla was so authentic. She never put on airs or tried to be someone she wasn't. She loved LaSalle, the Presbyterian church, Valley high school, softball games, Mexican food and saving things. She kept everything. A few years ago when our church was putting on a “Senior” prom for the older people, I wished I had my prom dress from high school. Guess who still had hers? And she let me borrow it. A beautiful blue, strapless, floor length beauty.

Loyal – Carla had so many friends and she was the glue that kept so many of us in touch. If you needed an update on someone, as we often did when we traveled to Colorado, she could do that. Need someone's address or telephone number – Carla had it. She knew the names of everyone's kids and grandkids. I really don't know how she remembered so much about so many people but she was a treasure trove of memories.

Accepting – Of all Carla's wonderful qualities, this is the one that drew people to her. She was never judgmental, never critical, and always welcoming people into her life. She saw the good in those around her and encouraged so many that needed her belief in them and her kind words.

I am sure that even at this moment she is being welcomed into heaven by those friends and family who beat her to heaven and I can just hear Jesus saying, “Well done my faithful daughter”

Love You Carla,
Marianne Werschke

Marianne Werschke - December 03, 2019 at 09:04 AM



“ Oh Marianne, you said it all! Carla's going to heaven has created a huge void in our lives. What a wonderful friend!

Penny Cole Thompson - December 04, 2019 at 12:10 PM



“ Mark and I used to do a lot of good things together, and some 'Not so Good' things together, but we made it through the bad things and we can laugh about them now, We used to call Carla, "Mom" because she would tell us if we were Good, or bad, and Right from Wrong, well you know us , it was Always 'Bad' and 'Wrong' HaHaHa!! It is a Sad day to lose someone who is So Special and Close. Mom is going to be Missed, her little jokes, and hints about what we did, or where we was when something happened to bring up a moment that reminded her of Mark and I somewhere in the Past,
I sure will Miss Mom alot, but I'm sure she is doing a lot better now. Love Ya! and Miss Ya!! Love Always: Vinny Shaffer

Vince L. Shaffer - December 02, 2019 at 10:55 PM



“ Carla, we hit it off the moment met. I had gotten the opportunity to manage the Chase Bank and had heard about thus quaint and hometown cooking affordable restaurant. Went to lunch one day , met Caria and the friendship blossomed. Finding out I didn't have living parents, she stepped in and was more than a replaced Mom and Grandma. Never met a more genuine, caring and yes rightfully opinionated graceful Soul. Carla your love will live forever, your physical presence may not be seen but feel your love more now than ever. Here is to doing “your thing” now with your heavenly wings! May your “froggisg” love live on and on and on and on!

jerry steffen - December 02, 2019 at 07:47 PM