



## Brenda Sue Carter

August 22, 1939 - August 10, 2023

Brenda Sue Carter, 83, passed away on Thursday, August 10, 2023, in Roswell, NM. Please take a moment and share a kind thought or memory with Sue's family at [www.andersonbethany.com](http://www.andersonbethany.com).

A memorial service will be held at First United Methodist Church in Roswell, NM at 10am on Saturday, September 9, 2023, with a reception to follow.

On August 22, 1939, Sue was born to DL and Fern Parker in Pampa, TX. She was the oldest of three children, her two brothers are David and Richard. Sue attended Pampa High School and followed that by receiving a certification in secretarial services from a school in Amarillo, TX. She went to work for Transwestern Pipeline Company where she met her husband to be, Jimmie R. Carter. They were married on August 20, 1966, in Pampa, TX with lifelong friends Bert and Sandra Davis as witnesses. In 1970, they moved to Roswell, NM where she gave birth to identical twins, Lance and Curtis (fat and water- if you knew Sue, you know this story). Two years later, she had her third son, Tyler. She tended to the boys until they started school then began substituting for the principal's secretary on occasion. She loved working at the school and enjoyed all the faculty.

In her younger years, Sue was a member of Pecos Valley Quilters, was the president of many organizations and thoroughly enjoyed her bridge group. She and Jimmie travelled yearly with a small group of friends from his high school and as they aged, would enjoy walking around the neighborhood and spending time with their local grandchildren, whom she would dote on to

anybody that would listen.

Sue and Jimmie loved attending First United Methodist Church and were regular greeters. She enjoyed people- desiring to be friendly and helpful to all. Over the last few years, dementia had set in and was causing a significant decline in her overall health. She had a recent cancer diagnosis, but a severe stomach ulcer led to an emergency room visit and her being transferred to Providence Hospital in El Paso, TX. She spent nearly two weeks there prior to being brought back to Mission Arch in Roswell on August 8th. Her husband and son Tyler, along with his family, visited her in the time she was there prior to her passing.

Sue was preceded in death by her parents, her nephew Richard (Richard and Wanda Parker) and her daughter-in-law Michelle Carter (Lance). Sue is survived by her husband of nearly 57 years, Jimmie; her sons, Lance of La Veta, CO, Curtis (Melissa) of Louisville, CO, and Tyler (Michele) of Roswell, NM; her grandchildren Emery, Zia, Reece, Avani, and Ryder; her siblings David Parker and Richard Parker (Wanda) as well as many other nieces and nephews.

Sue will be missed by her family and friends.

Brenda Sue's tribute was written by her family in her honor.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

SEP **9**. 10:00 AM (MT)

First United Methodist Church  
200 N Pennsylvania Ave  
Roswell, NM 88201-4666  
(575) 622-1881

# Tribute Wall

LM

“ Love y'all, Greg & LaDonna Mcllwain purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Brenda Sue Carter.



Love y'all, Greg & LaDonna Mcllwain - September 08, 2023 at 05:16 AM

KS

“ Kaye Scott-Whitefoot purchased the Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet for the family of Brenda Sue Carter.



Kaye Scott-Whitefoot - September 07, 2023 at 12:44 PM

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“ Kaye Scott-Whitefoot planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Brenda Sue Carter.

Kaye Scott-Whitefoot - September 07, 2023 at 12:44 PM

RL

“ The first people we were truly friends with when we first moved to Roswell were Sue and Jimmy. For many years we had a Tuesday dinner date. She will be missed. Our prayers and sympathy go out to the family.

Ron Lynch - September 06, 2023 at 01:12 PM

MM

“ Mrs Carter was always so cheerful, encouraging and kind to our family. My girls were close in age, life was hectic. Sue understood better than anyone, our husbands worked together at TransWestern. They had long hours, she would stop by on her neighbor walks and just check on me. The Carters are such wonderful examples of God’s goodness. Sue will be missed, our prayers are with you.

Mike & Debbie McCracken - September 06, 2023 at 11:49 AM

AS

“ Anisa Schomburg lit a candle in memory of Brenda Carter



Anisa Schomburg - September 05, 2023 at 11:00 AM

BD

“ Bert and Sandra Davis purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Brenda Sue Carter.



Bert and Sandra Davis - September 04, 2023 at 02:14 PM



“ Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Brenda Sue Carter.



September 01, 2023 at 12:16 PM

AG

“ *Amanda Granados lit a candle in memory of  
Brenda Carter* ”



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**Amanda Granados** - August 18, 2023 at 02:26 PM