



Carol Voell

May 6, 1931 - March 18, 2022

Carol Lois Voell (née Peterson) passed away peacefully at her home in Florida with her beloved husband Les at her side on March 18, 2022. Born in Duluth, Minnesota, Carol was the only child of Lois and Marshall Peterson. She was the grandchild of Caroline and Johann Wesenberg, niece of Florence and John Wesenberg, Marguerite and Mitchell Spearin and grand uncle and aunt Charles and Ellen Pierson. Cousins were Ashley Todd Partridge (aka Carol's "sister"), Rodman and Robert Spearin (aka Carol's "brothers").

She is survived by her husband of 69 years, Lester (Les) Robert Voell, their daughters and families, Kathleen (Kate) Lois Voell-Moran and husband James Moran, Karen Leslie Pratt and husband Christopher Pratt, son David Lester Voell and wife Janine Voell, grandchildren, Karolyn (Karly) and husband Alex Swaim, Marcus and wife Christina Pratt, Kirsten and husband Nikita Shoshensky, Cameron and wife Daria Voell and the youngest, Mariska Voell. Families who she stayed in close contact, Hautman, Mairs, Spearin, Wesenberg and Voell plus friends too numerous to name.

During their 69 golden years of marriage, Carol and Les shared many adventures as a family, beginning with their time in Minnesota, up to a transfer out East, where Carol, Les and the family began a second chapter in New Jersey.

Although she held many interesting jobs during her long career with the state of New Jersey, Carol demonstrated her innate ability to motivate others best

as a Career Counselor for Brookdale College where she held her own brand of resume workshops for students and job seekers.

After she and Les retired, the last chapter of Carol's life was spent travelling between homes in New Jersey and Florida, where they lived their dream of becoming Snowbirds travelling back and forth every 6 months for 26 years!

A devoted mother of three and grandmother of five, Carol loved relating stories about herself and her family which often took an embarrassing twist! Carol will be remembered for her humor and annual Christmas Letter mailed out to 250 friends and fans, but only after being 'edited' by her family!

Carol was a member of the Rumson Presbyterian Church in New Jersey for over 30 years, where she treasured her spiritual community. Her faith and love for God was evident by her generosity and optimism for mankind and animal companions too! She often said that God had a sense of humor and that she was proof of it! In the end, she was blessed with a glorious life of gratitude that was well lived and loved. She will be missed until we meet again!

Cemetery Details

Florida National Cemetery

6502 SW 102nd Avenue
Bushnell, FL 33513

Tribute Wall

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“ To Carol’s family—30-plus years ago, I met with Carol several times for counseling at Brookdale’s career center. I had forgotten about this until I read Carol’s obituary in the Asbury Park Press today. Now I can clearly recall her kindness, enthusiasm, and sense of humor during our sessions, which boosted my spirits at an anxious time. I wish you peace to cope with your loss. Libby Meehan

Libby Meehan - March 25, 2022 at 12:02 PM

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“ To the Voells, Pratts, and Morans,
The passing of Carol has saddened our hearts. We remember a bubbly, charming lady who was a fabulous baker and had a million dollar smile and a mile a minute collection of stories to entertain us. Carol was an irrepressible whirlwind of self effacing humor and kindness, always making us feel right at home in her company. Her love for Les and her family was unmistakable and her affection for all the in-laws was heartwarming to us who “married in.” May the deep pain of her loss be soon replaced with the comfort of happy memories of the life and love you shared with her. Memory eternal!
Diane and Reon Swaim

Diane and Reon Swaim - March 24, 2022 at 01:36 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Carol Voell.



March 24, 2022 at 10:19 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Carol Voell.*



March 24, 2022 at 10:13 AM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Carol Voell.*



March 23, 2022 at 07:50 PM