



Carole Irene Darragh

June 29, 1930 - September 3, 2016

Carole I. Darragh of Sweetwater, Tennessee passed away on September 3rd, 2016 at Wood Village after a long battle with dementia.

Ms. Darragh was born in Wheelersburgs, Ohio and was preceded in death by her Mother, Chloe Mae Blair of Portsmouth, Ohio; her father, Wiley John Blair of Wheelersburg, Ohio and spouse, Harold Brooks Darragh of Portsmouth, Ohio. She had no siblings.

Ms. Darragh is survived by her five children: daughter Carolyn Blair Beatty of Sweetwater, Tennessee; son Larry Stephen Blair of Philadelphia, Tennessee; daughter Kathy Leigh Hufner of Philadelphia, Tennessee; son Jeff Darragh of Fort Myers, Florida and son Gregory Darragh of Fort Myers, Florida.

She is also survived by 17 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren and 1 great, great granddaughter.

Ms. Darragh moved to East Tennessee in 1991 from south Florida, where from 1963 to 1991, she was actively involved in real estate development and restoration in Miami and Miami Beach. Her most notable achievements included the restoration of the Miami Beach historical home of R.J. Reynolds and the complete restoration of the original Anheiser-Busch Estate encompassing some 22,000 square feet.

Ms. Darragh's love of East Tennessee combined with her knowledge of construction and development gave way to a legacy of small, mountain-cabin neighborhoods overlooking some of the area's most majestic foothills.

The family will receive visitors of family and friends on Saturday, September 10th beginning at 3:30 p.m., at Kyker Funeral Home in Sweetwater, Tennessee. A Celebration of Life Memorial Service will commence at 4:30 p.m. All will conclude at 5:00 p.m.

In Lieu of flowers, the family is asking that donations be directed to Wood Village, 520 Old Highway 68, Sweetwater, Tennessee, 37874. Call 423-351-1050 (Note: Carole I. Darragh Memorial Fund.) Visit: www.kykerfunerahomes.com for directions.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 10. 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM (ET)

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Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall



“ *Kyker Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Carole Irene Darragh*



Kyker Funeral Home - September 09, 2016 at 10:01 AM

DM

This is so beautiful. I didn't even know it was on here. What a wonderful woman this lady was. Her well raised son married my beautiful precious daughter. Such a nice tribute to a beautiful soul. May we meet again one day.

Dianna Mangan - June 04, 2021 at 11:01 PM

DB

“ *Carol was an intelligent and lovely woman and will be missed by many.*

We believe with crystal clarity that her new journey will bring her peace, knowing that all her work on earth was well done and beneficial to many people. Our deepest sympathy to her beloved family for their loss.

*Sincerely,
David and Marilyn Brandes*



David and Marilyn Brandes - September 10, 2016 at 06:53 AM



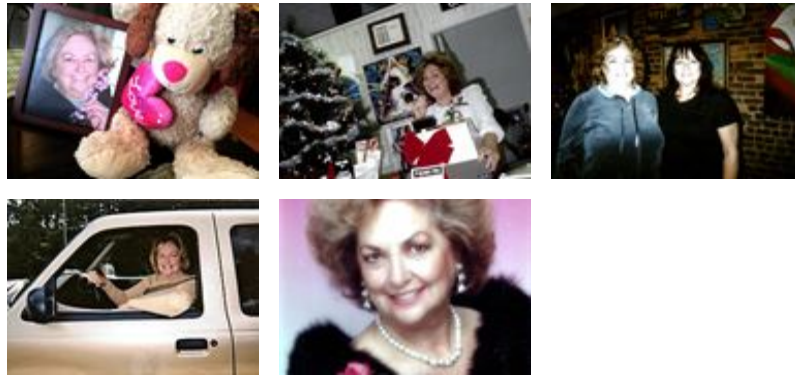
“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Carole Irene Darragh.



September 09, 2016 at 11:56 AM



“ 75 files added to the album Life Tributes



Kyker Funeral Home - September 09, 2016 at 09:54 AM



“ Richard & Nancy Plemmons lit a candle in memory of Carole Irene Darragh



Richard & Nancy Plemmons - September 08, 2016 at 03:03 PM