



Carol A. Smith

October 24, 1934 - March 16, 2016

Carol Anna Smith, age 81, died Wednesday March 16, 2016 at her home with her loved ones by her side. She was born October 24, 1934 in Zanesville, Oh, the second of seven children of Herbert and Rose (Mattey) Cooper. She married Billy M. Smith on January 11, 1982 and he preceded her in death, December 12, 2010. Together, Carol and 'Smitty' enjoyed many good times together on the motorcycle, in their motor home and at the winter home in Florida.

Carol spent her entire life in Zanesville. She graduated from Bishop Rosecrans High School, worked at WHIZ radio and retired from Six County Mental Health Center. She was a member of Saint Nicholas Catholic Church. Besides her parents and her husband, she was preceded in death by paternal grandparents, Oscar and Linnie (Zollars) Cooper and maternal grandparents, John and Anna (Lesko) Mattey.

She is survived by her five children, Stephen (Kay) Wartenbe of Zanesville, Christina (David) Rittenhouse of Marysville, Robert Wartenbe of Lima, Kelly Wagner of Zanesville, Karen (Rob) Hail of Westerville and stepsons, Mike (Melanie) Smith of Zanesville and Mark (Vicky) Smith of Florida.

She leaves behind twelve grandchildren, Chase (Kristy) Wartenbe, Jodi Wisecarver, Joseph Wartenbe, Natalie (Billy) Ludwig, Kacy Richmond, Cara Nelson, Zachary (Alyson) Hall, Mick Wagner, Haley Hessler, Holden Hessler, Jennifer Smith and Heather Smith. Also ten great-grandchildren, Sam, Alex, and Max Wisecarver, Tyler Nelson, Adalyn Hall, Tracer and Taylor Richmond,

Carleigh and Jarrett Ludwig and Emma Wagner.

She is survived by her six siblings and their families; Patricia Barnes of Zanesville, Jerry Cooper of Brockway, PA, Rosemary Minear of Red Bank, NJ, Thomas (Sue) Cooper of Indian Land, SC, Sarah Ebersbach of Zanesville and Michael (Kathy) Cooper of Clemmons, NC.

The family would like to sincerely thank the Genesis Hospice personnel who so faithfully helped care for their mother. Memorial contributions may be made to Saint Nicholas Catholic Church, Genesis Hospice or the charity of your choice.

Friends may call 5:00 to 8:00 PM, Friday, March 18, 2016 at The Hillis, Combs & Nestor Funeral Home, 935 Forest Avenue, Zanesville, and one hour prior to services from 12 Noon to 1:00 PM, on Saturday. Funeral Services to Celebrate Carol's Life will be held 1:00 PM, Saturday, March 19, 2016 at the funeral home with Fr. Martin Ralko officiating. Carol will be laid to rest next to her beloved husband in the Mount Olive Cemetery, Zanesville. To sign the online register book or leave an online condolence please visit, www.hilliscombsnestor.com.

Dear Mom, Grandma, Great Grandma, sister, aunt, friend...You were dearly loved and will be forever missed.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Olive Cemetery

2057 East Pike
ZANESVILLE, OH 43701

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 18. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Hillis Combs Funeral Home
935 Forest Avenue
Zanesville, OH 43701
(740) 452-5494
directors@hilliscombsnestor.com
<https://www.hilliscombsnestor.com>

Visitation

MAR 19. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Carol A. Smith*

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Rick Cooper - March 18, 2016 at 10:04 AM



“ *I was so sorry to hear of Aunt Carol's passing. She was such a loving wife and mother and will be sorely missed by all who loved and knew her. My last conversation we prayed together, what a priveledge to have been a part of her life. Our prayers are with the family, God bless you and bring His comfort.*

*Love,
Melody (Doris' daughter)*

Melody Wheat - March 17, 2016 at 10:46 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Carol A. Smith.*



March 17, 2016 at 03:37 PM

CA

“ *My most sincere and loving sorrow for the loss of Carol from among us. I join in the happiness that she has arrived at her destination with the Lord.*

Charles Armbrust

Charles Armbrust - March 17, 2016 at 09:15 AM

RC

“ *I will miss you Aunt Carol, but I am grateful that you are at peace now. You were a wonderful person and always so nice to me. I will never forget you. I stopped by to see Joey today and asked him to show you around in Heaven. Give him a kiss for me.*

I love you.

Rick Cooper

Rick Cooper - March 16, 2016 at 05:53 PM

JM

I am sorry I missed the reunion in Lancaster this past year. Carol was always a bright spot in the conversation. She had a happy outlook on life. She will be greatly missed.

love, Cousin Jane (Cowan) McClellan

Jane McClellan - March 17, 2016 at 08:08 AM

DZ

Sally and family - Thinking of you with deepest sympathy.

Dixie Zack - March 17, 2016 at 11:21 AM

BF

Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Carol will remain in our hearts forever. Tom & Brenda Forker & family.

Brenda Forker - March 18, 2016 at 05:05 PM



You have my deepest sympathies. Carol was a ray of sunshine wherever she was and had the best laugh.

Linda Lynch Fitzpatrick - March 19, 2016 at 01:58 PM