



Carolyn Bond

December 25, 1937 - September 15, 2018

Carolyn Bond, age 80, most beloved mother, grandmother and best friend, Carolyn passed away suddenly September 15, 2018 with her daughter by her side. She was born in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. She and her beloved late husband of 53 years, Preston Bond, lived in Pittsburgh before moving to the Villages in 1998.

Carolyn had a love for service and hospitality to others; making things the best they could be with what was available; always reaching out to help others. She was a Trustee and a choir member of the Community United Methodist Church of Fruitland Park. She loved travelling with the CUMC choir; singing in Carnegie Hall, Summer Mission Trips, Italy (especially singing in the Vatican), most recently singing in the Kennedy Center and for the Memorial Day Celebration in Washington, DC. Her caring spirit was felt in her role in the Church's Visitation Ministry. She also was a host for the Church's Summer Grow Garden for two years. Hospitality was a God-given gift for Carolyn, who was always entertaining church friends, neighbors and loved ones.

Survivors include Daughter, Jane D., Son, Holmes G., Grandson, Jason L. (Lindsay N.), Great-grandchildren, Preston D., Cecelia J., Benjamin J.

Celebration of Life for Carolyn Bond will be held on Monday, October 1 at 10:00 a.m. at the Community United Methodist Church, Fruitland Park, FL.

Friends may call from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. prior to service at Church. Committal services and Inurnment will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Monday, October 1 at 2:30 p.m.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the Music Ministry of Community United Methodist Church. 309 College Ave Fruitland Park, FL 34731

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

Tribute Wall

NB

“ *Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family of Carolyn*

Norm and Janet Brown - October 01, 2018 at 09:17 AM

MS

“ *My husband and I were so saddened to hear of Carolyn's sudden passing, and want to express our heartfelt condolences to her family and friends. She was such an inspiration to me, and I have many special memories of Carolyn that I hold dear and will always remember.*

Missi Santillo - September 27, 2018 at 05:35 PM

RK

“ *Carolyn was one of the sweetest persons we knew. Always smiling, willing to put others first and helping whenever and anywhere she possibly could*

It was a terrible shock to learn of her passing, but we know she is now with her beloved Preston and is not suffering in any way. She will be missed by so many of us.... God rest dear friend.

Rod and Pat Kinzer - September 27, 2018 at 11:23 AM

RM

“ *We are so sorry to hear of Carolyn's passing. She was a lovely lady and will be greatly missed by her many friends as well as family.*

Ralph and Peg Moore - September 26, 2018 at 10:58 AM

FG

“ I am so sorry for the passing of Carolyn, my condolences go to her Family and Friends. I too know the pain of losing a loved one and what Brings me great comfort is Gods promise at Revelation21:4- "And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away." Very soon death will be done away with and we will see our loved ones again. I hope this verse comforts you as much as it did me

Franklin G - September 25, 2018 at 05:52 PM

LS

“ My name is Lowry Stoops and my wife, Rebecca, and I met Carolyn and Preston Bond 30 years ago when I went to work for them at LINC Corporation in Pittsburgh. We quickly became very good friends with Carolyn and Preston in both business and on a personal level.

I traveled with Carolyn on many business trips and she was always the consummate professional with a special flair for serving others. Carolyn was also the very best hostess, whether she was holding an event at her home or in a business environment.

When I worked with Carolyn she was always genuinely interested in how our family was doing and she invited Rebecca and me to her lake house on many occasions. Our three children still talk about how much they enjoyed those lake house visits to include the fishing, swimming, boating and great meals at her kitchen table.

Our family will miss Carolyn very much but I think Preston is welcoming her with open arms in heaven!

*Sincerely,
Lowry Stoops*

Lowry Stoops - September 21, 2018 at 09:25 AM