



Carolyn Bundy

August 2, 1936 - December 15, 2011

Carolyn Ann Bundy was born to Willie and Mabel (Schjei) Auran on August 2, 1936 in Park Rapids, MN. On December 15, 2011, at the age of 75, she passed away surrounded by her family, at Tri-County Hospital in Wadena. Carol attended school in Alexandria and graduated in 1954. She married Guy George Bundy on April 9, 1955 in Alexandria. They moved to Wadena where they raised their family. Many Wadena Public School students and staff will remember her as the baker and head cook at the school until her retirement in 1994. She was a member of the VFW Auxiliary and the Retired Cooks Coffee Club. Carol was talented at sewing and quilting, while enjoying bird-watching, fishing, baking, and spending time with her family. Carol was preceded in death by her parents Willie and Mabel; brother Ronald Auran; and sister Ileen Auran. She is survived by her devoted husband Guy; son Scott (Teppi) of Deerwood; daughters Cheryl (Paul) Hubbard of Detroit Lakes and Patricia (Art Holliday) Brockob of Waukee, IA; 10 grandchildren & 4½ great-grandchildren; brothers Miff (Dorcus) Auran of Alexandria and Sylvan (Delphia) Auran of Warren, MI; and sister Ione Payette of White Bear Lake. Memorial services were held at 11:00 a.m. on December 19, 2011 at the St. John Lutheran Church in Wadena, with Pastor Stephen Meltzer officiating. Honorary pallbearers were Michael Schumacher, Eric Brockob, Alex Bundy, and Jared Bundy.

Tribute Wall

MH

“ *My sincere sympathy to you Guy, Sherrie, Scott and Pat, and your families. Carol was so proud of you all. She was my mentor and my friend, we did a lot of things together, and still had more to do. I will miss her a lot. Mary Ann*

Mary Ann Hagen - December 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PH

“ *Bundy Family
Prayers for all at this most difficult time*

Peggy Wynn Haman - December 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RE

“ *I am deeply saddened by the news about the death of Carol. I am so very sorry. Please remember that you are in my thoughts and my prayers.*

Carol was one of the kindest, beautiful and the most caring person I have ever known during my childhood. I particularly remember the times when she took care of me while my father had his heart bypass surgery and her famous home baking chocolate chip cookies. It was wonderful act of kindness which I'll never forget. I was blessed to have her part of my childhood life.

With Sincere Condolences,

Rhonda Pudas Ellenbecker

Rhonda Pudas Ellenbecker - December 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ I love you Aunt Carol. Rest In Peace! Your memory lives on! Aunt Carol, you told me several times that "people come into our lives for a reason, bringing something we must learn, and we are led to those, who help us most to grow". I have appreciated all the advice you have given me through the years, I've taken it in with immense gratitude. I know I'm who I am today, because I knew you. You always made sure to share the stories of mom and dad with me; I will miss those quiet moments we stole during my trips home. You always made a point to pull me aside to just catch up with one another. These memories of you I will forever cherish, for they are priceless. You leave behind a truly precious collection of quilts and memories filled with laughter, love, hugs, kisses, and a loving smile that we will all remember. I love my quilt you made and will cherish it forever.

Thank you for believing in me, and helping me through the most difficult times, for all the love, and joy and laughter that you brought into my life. You told me the day that mom passed that she faced her fate, the way she faced life, with strength, courage, dignity and the love of her family and friends around her. I know in my heart this holds true today for you; because you are that amazing woman Aunt Carol. You will be dearly missed.

I love you!

Lynn

Lynn Ann Bundy - December 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ Carol was a good friend, I will miss her.

KATHI & NOLAN HANSON - December 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ Dear Gramma:

I feel so blessed to have spent time with you over Thanksgiving. It was hard to see you at first, but then you were doing so well. It was great to see your sense of humor in full force. I thank you for setting such an amazing example of love and friendship with Grampa. I have such hope for my marriage because of how you lived your life with your best friend for so many years. I can't imagine you two apart, how hard that must be, but I know that you'll be reunited. You were such an amazing mother, grandmother, and friend. I'm so happy you are with our Lord now, and I know we'll be together again someday. I have so many pieces of you with me: your quilts, handtowels, crocheted booties and potholders, dishtowels, wooden spider web, and so many more things that are a constant reminder of how loving and giving you were! I pray that you will watch over Grampa and we'll do our part here. I'm sad that you two aren't together now, but I rejoice in the thought that you are waiting in such a wonderful place. Thank you for being such an incredible inspiration for me, and so many others. I love you forever.

Jen Tafelmeyer - December 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ Gramma-

I am truly blessed to have had you in my life. You were like a second mother to me and I will miss you greatly. I know that I won't be able to pick up the phone when I need you but I know that I can still talk to you because you will be forever in my heart. You were such a kind and wonderful person to everyone you knew and will be missed by all. We will meet again someday so I'll be seeing you.

Tracy Schumacher - December 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM