



Debra Carson

June 30, 1951 - July 28, 2020

Debra Jean Owens Carson was definitely one of our region's most excitatory and uplifting women. She never met a stranger or bumped into anyone that she wasn't willing to help along their way. She gave her time and energy to them with a smile on her face.

Debra worked several positions in order to provide for her boys, Derrick, Jeremy, and Harold Jr. She made sure that they had more than enough. She worked full time at Levi Strauss and AT&T, and on her off time, she hustled as a Home Interiors Representative.

She is survived by her amazingly loving spouse, Harold Carson, her two sons Derrick Carson and Jeremy Carson, her grandchildren, Myah, Kayla, Gabriel, and Gianna, her daughter-in-law Jenna Carson, and several cousins, aunts, and uncles.

Rest in Heaven.

The family will have a private service on Saturday, August 1, 2020. Graveside services will be held at 1:45 P.M. Saturday August 1, 2020, at Washington County Memory Gardens in Johnson City. All in attendance must wear masks and practice proper social distancing.

Previous Events

Interment

AUG 1. 1:45 PM - 2:15 PM (ET)

Washington County Memory Gardens
113 Memory Gardens Rd.
Johnson City, TN 37615

Tribute Wall



“ *Debra Carson*

January 29, 2023 at 10:28 PM



“ *Debbie i will miss you and your in expecting calls that always brought a smile of joy to me. Debbie and I were friends from the time we were 5yrs old. Classmates and friends for life. May we meet again*



Sharon Bailey - August 07, 2020 at 03:14 PM



“ *Mary Rollins sent a virtual gift in memory of Debra Carson*



Mary Rollins - August 05, 2020 at 12:58 AM



“ *Joseph Hardin lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson*



Joseph Hardin - August 04, 2020 at 12:39 PM

SW

“ *Stacie Workman lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson*



Stacie Workman - August 03, 2020 at 12:33 PM

JB

“ *Harold,
Our deepest condolences to you and you family. Over the years that you and I worked together, i remember you speaking of Debbie often which showed how close you all were.
John & Patricia Bradley*

John Bradley - August 02, 2020 at 12:30 PM

 Sandra
H Davis

“ *Sincere condolences to Harold & the Family!
God has called another of His loving children Home! God Bless You All as we lift you in prayer with love, Robert & Sandra Davis,
Jackie Ervin & Family.*



Sandra H Davis - August 01, 2020 at 06:30 PM

WR

“ *I am heart broken to hear this. As a child I was friends with her sons and a coworker with Debra as an adult. Many condolences to the family. She was a great lady! Wendy Barrett Rhines*

wendy barrett rhines - August 01, 2020 at 05:58 PM

LC

“ *Linda Cole lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson*



Linda Cole - August 01, 2020 at 05:14 PM

LC

I am so very sorry about Debbie, she always put a smile on my face when I would see her. Derrick, I remember how much she loved you when you were in Kindergarten. She always made sure that you were doing your best. You all have been and continue to be in my thoughts and prayers. Much love, Miss McEwen

Linda Cole - August 01, 2020 at 05:20 PM



“ *Varcella Stokes lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson*



Varcella Stokes - August 01, 2020 at 02:46 PM



Rest with Ms. Peaches and your Daddy, If you see Virginia , Martha's Mom tell them still remembering those Sunday Dinner's on back porch .RIH

Varcella Stokes - August 01, 2020 at 02:50 PM

JB

“ *Condolences to family and friends. God bless.*

James and Frances Bass



James and Frances Bass - August 01, 2020 at 12:13 PM

RJ

“ *Debbie, indeed, never met a stranger. That smile is something I will never forget.*

Richard Jackson



Richard Jackson - August 01, 2020 at 10:02 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Debra Carson.*



August 01, 2020 at 09:00 AM

DG

“ *Knowing Debbie was a delight. She was always so fun to be around. Heaven just gained an another angel. Prayers for the family. Debbie will be missed greatly.*

Donna Roberts Gregory - August 01, 2020 at 07:42 AM

DG

“ Our deepest sympathy to the Owens and Carson families. May God guide you in the days ahead and give you comfort to endure this loss. Rest with the angels dear friend. You will be missed.



Debbie Grey - August 01, 2020 at 01:12 AM

CT

“ Connie Thompson sent a virtual gift in memory of Debra Carson



Connie Thompson - July 31, 2020 at 11:29 PM



“ Debbye was such a JOY to work with! She loved God and shared her faith. We had many uplifting conversations. My prayers are with the family she dearly loved.

Alzena Sams - July 31, 2020 at 11:11 PM

KM

“ Karen Morrison lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson



Karen Morrison - July 31, 2020 at 10:23 PM

KM

“ Prayers of comfort and peace to the family. Deb was truly a borrowed angel. Her smile, kindness, and joy was shared with everyone and will never be forgotten.
Karen Morrison

Karen Morrison - July 31, 2020 at 10:20 PM

DB

“ Rest In Peace to a great woman!



Dr jovan bass - July 31, 2020 at 09:27 PM

RC

“ Debbie’s smile and laughter were infectious! I loved to hear the stories about her and Mom growing up. Your loss is being shared by all of us. We love you all! Praying for peace and comfort during this difficult time. ❤️❤️❤️



Rhonda and Ben Conley - July 31, 2020 at 09:09 PM

CG

“ Claudia Goines lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson



Claudia Goines - July 31, 2020 at 08:45 PM

EB

“ Elaine Brady lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson



elaine brady - July 31, 2020 at 08:14 PM



“ To the family from The late Billy Joe Woodward an wife Pam- with all my HEART I pray FOR your family that GOD sends you PEACE at this time of loss we LOVED her soo very much ! YOUR loss is great she was a great friend too Joe an I . The woodwards as she call us lol ! pam an late Billy Joe woodward love to all!

Andrew Woodward - July 31, 2020 at 07:52 PM

MH

“ Mary Haney lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson



mary haney - July 31, 2020 at 07:02 PM

TG

“ Terea And Thomas Graham lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson



Terea and Thomas Graham - July 31, 2020 at 06:29 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Debra Carson.



July 31, 2020 at 05:08 PM



“ John & Helen Pennington lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson



John & Helen Pennington - July 31, 2020 at 05:00 PM



“ Your laughter and smile will be greatly missed by us all.
John and Helen Pennington

John & Helen Pennington - July 31, 2020 at 04:54 PM



“ I had the privilege of working wit Deb at ATT for many years. She was a bright spot in my day every day. I will miss that ray of sunshine. Deb, RIP. Ever time I reach into the "vault" , I will think of you and smile! Much love to Harold and family.

Brenda Goodman - July 31, 2020 at 04:05 PM



“ Andrew Woodward- i had the pleasure to work with sister owens at at&t and was a good friend to my father Billy Joe Woodward. she was a very kind and always could make people laugh and fought a good fight. may god be with you and your family and may the house of god welcome you.

Andrew Woodward - July 31, 2020 at 03:10 PM



“ Carolyn Owens purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Debra Carson.



Carolyn Owens - July 31, 2020 at 02:26 PM



“ Janice Phillips lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson



Janice Phillips - July 31, 2020 at 01:54 PM



“ We will certainly miss your beautiful smile and fun loving spirit.. Rest easy my sweet Auntie,. we love you always.



CLINTON & PAM ROLLINS - July 31, 2020 at 01:24 PM

SW

“ Susan Rhea Wagner sent a virtual gift in memory of Debra Carson



Susan Rhea Wagner - July 31, 2020 at 11:37 AM

PH

“ Deb was a wonderful person. Over the years at ATT she always had a smile and kind word for everyone. She loved her family and will be missed. My thoughts and prayers, love Patty

patty holbert - July 31, 2020 at 11:36 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Debra Carson.



July 31, 2020 at 10:45 AM

RH

“ Renea Hall sent a virtual gift in memory of Debra Carson



Renea Hall - July 31, 2020 at 10:20 AM

JC

“ Jane Cole lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson



Jane Cole - July 31, 2020 at 10:17 AM

JC

“ My best memory was being told by an Eastman boss at a dinner that he heard Deb and I couldn't sit together. Reason we asked - we got in too much trouble. And yes we did but it was fun. Love and will miss your laughter and fun Deb.

Jane Cole - July 31, 2020 at 10:13 AM

JJ

“ Debbie was a JOY to work with at Levi's. She kept us laughing and upbeat and we shared so many good times with her both at work and the trips we took to Dollywood and to Biltmore. She was a great person and I will always remember her fondly. Several members of my family knew her through work and loved her also. Mac and I send our deepest sympathy to Harold and all her Family.



*Love and Prayers,
Judy and Mac Jenkins*

Judy Jenkins - July 31, 2020 at 10:05 AM

RP

“ I was saddened to hear of Debbie's passing. I worked with her many years ago at Levi's and Debbie was truly a remarkable woman. She always had a smile on her face and always had us laughing at Levi's. Praying for strength and comfort for her loved ones.

Ramona Potter - July 31, 2020 at 09:46 AM

JS

“ Heaven has truly gained an angel -- she was an amazing person! I worked with Debbie and played softball with her many many years ago. She was always the life of the party! Sincere condolences to her husband Harold and her family as well as all her extended family! RIP Love & Hugs Janice

Janice Sellars - July 31, 2020 at 08:43 AM

TA

“ Tawana purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Debra Carson.



Tawana - July 31, 2020 at 08:35 AM



“ Shelia Bagwell lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson



Shelia Bagwell - July 31, 2020 at 06:37 AM

DM

“ Darrell & Janice Murphy lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson



Darrell & Janice Murphy - July 31, 2020 at 06:06 AM

PW

“ Sincere condolences to our longtime friend and schoolmate, Debra. Debra never met a stranger! Always full of joy and cheer every time we were in J.C. Sandra and I will miss her. 🙏🌸🕯️



Prince and Sandra Woolwine - July 31, 2020 at 12:30 AM

JW

“ Debbie will always be my forever friend. We had so many fun times at Levis and at her home interior parties. She always made every get together so much fun. She will live in our memories and in our hearts and will always bring a smile to our faces when we think of her. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family. We will all get to be with Debbie again in heaven. Love and prayers. Janet & Nathan Walker



Janet W - July 30, 2020 at 09:34 PM

CF

“ *Carla Forney lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson*



Carla Forney - July 30, 2020 at 06:21 PM

TN

“ *Debbie I will miss you greatly. You have been my friend for at least 61 years. We attended Douglas Elementary together and have maintained a relationship since. When you came to DC to stay with your aunts and relatives, we hung out and had the best of times. GOD Bless you and your family. I love you. Rest in Peace. Your friend, Tawana*

Tawana (Rhea) Nathan - July 30, 2020 at 05:14 PM

JC

“ *James And Brenda A Charles sent a virtual gift in memory of Debra Carson*



James And Brenda A Charles - July 30, 2020 at 04:42 PM

ML

“ *Mary Latham lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson*



Mary Latham - July 30, 2020 at 03:21 PM

WO

“ Wendy Owens lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson



Wendy Owens - July 30, 2020 at 12:21 PM

JM

“ Jan Malone lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson



Jan Malone - July 30, 2020 at 10:06 AM

CR

“ Christa Reid lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson



Christa Reid - July 30, 2020 at 09:32 AM

CB

“ Charles Buford sent a virtual gift in memory of Debra Carson



Charles Buford - July 30, 2020 at 08:23 AM

JW

“ *Janice Wells sent a virtual gift in memory of Debra Carson*



Janice wells - July 29, 2020 at 11:08 PM



“ *Phyllis Askew sent a virtual gift in memory of Debra Carson*



Phyllis Askew - July 29, 2020 at 10:45 PM

VF

“ *Viola Patton Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Debra Carson*



Viola Patton family - July 29, 2020 at 08:33 PM

GF

“ *Ginny Fisler sent a virtual gift in memory of Debra Carson*



Ginny Fisler - July 29, 2020 at 08:29 PM

GF

“ *Derrick and family..so sorry ..Your mom was a special lady. Bless her ..🙏💙*

Ginny Fisler - July 29, 2020 at 08:28 PM

WB

“ *Love you lady I will see you in heaven !
Prayers to the family*



wendy bowery - July 29, 2020 at 07:55 PM

KM

“ *Kathy Mills lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson*



Kathy Mills - July 29, 2020 at 04:48 PM

JB

“ *Jackie Briscoe lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson*



Jackie Briscoe - July 29, 2020 at 04:08 PM

LB

“ Lynn & Rayetta Bachman lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson



Lynn & Rayetta Bachman - July 29, 2020 at 02:17 PM

RF

“ I worked with Deb at Att, she was a hoot and kept us laughing, you never knew what she would come up next, this sweet lady will be missed, my prayers are with you all 🙏

RoseAnn Fleenor - July 29, 2020 at 11:52 AM

NG

“ Nancy Greenlee lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson



Nancy Greenlee - July 29, 2020 at 10:52 AM

LB

“ Lee & Lydia Bridwell sent a virtual gift in memory of Debra Carson



Lee & Lydia Bridwell - July 29, 2020 at 09:43 AM

PR

“ *Pate Rhea sent a virtual gift in memory of Debra Carson*



Pate Rhea - July 29, 2020 at 09:37 AM

CB

“ *Carol Bradley lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson*



Carol Bradley - July 29, 2020 at 08:50 AM

CR

“ *Cecil & Clara Faye Rutledge lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson*



Cecil & Clara Faye Rutledge - July 29, 2020 at 07:54 AM

DB

“ *Diane Bradley lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson*



Diane Bradley - July 29, 2020 at 02:32 AM

ML

“ *Ms. Julia Letcher lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson*



Ms. Julia Letcher - July 29, 2020 at 01:44 AM

RL

“ *To the family of our Dear Debra Carson, On behalf of the Friendship Baptist Church family, we extend our deepest sympathy in Deb's passing. She was a talented and very sweet Woman of God and will be truly missed in our choir, Sunday School and fellowship. I will personally miss her very genuine smile and loving greetings. Please know that all of you are in our prayers. Please keep this beautiful Lady in your hearts.*

In Christ Service,

Rev. Lester D. Lattany

Senior Pastor

Friendship Baptist Church

Rev. Lester D. Lattany - July 28, 2020 at 07:56 PM

GF

“ *Gary & Moricina Fain lit a candle in memory of Debra Carson*



Gary & Moricina Fain - July 28, 2020 at 06:19 PM

LB

“ *Debbie, My Friend and Classmate. You showed everyone who came into contact with you the true meaning of JOY... Your light will be missed.*



Lisa Black - July 28, 2020 at 05:25 PM



“ *My friend and co-worker. Sure will miss you Debbie. Praying for you Harold and the family.*



Carolyn Fain - July 28, 2020 at 05:01 PM