



Carol Lee Emrick Fry

April 26, 1936 - September 22, 2022

Carol Lee Emrick Fry, 86, of St. Albans went home to be with her Savior Jesus Christ on Thursday, September 22, 2022 at the Emogene Dolin Jones Hospice House of Huntington. She died shortly after being diagnosed with pancreatic cancer.

Carol was born in Long Beach, California, the daughter of Edward (Eddie) and Cora Emrick. As her father served in the Navy before, during, and after World War II, Carol lived in Pearl Harbor before the attack from the Japanese. In God's providence, she was baptized at Citadel Square Baptist Church in Charleston, SC, where, as a teen, she professed faith in Christ. She eventually graduated from Virginia Beach High School and attended Longwood College (now University) in Virginia, where she was a member of the Zeta Tau Alpha sorority. In 1956, Carol's desire to be married and to be a faithful wife was beautifully fulfilled when she left Longwood to marry Charles Emory Fry, a chemist and a faithful church goer who loved to fish, hunt, and work with wood. They were married 64 years until Charlie passed away on Pearl Harbor Day, 2020, from pneumonia and the corona virus. Carol and Charlie were among the first members of Lakeview United Methodist Church, where they served faithfully through many decades. Carol was loved by many in the community. We will miss her elegant life and love for others.

Carol leaves behind her children: Andy of Rock Hill, SC, Bob (Mary Anne) of

Smithfield, VA, Tim of Highlands Ranch, CO, Chuck (Lisa) of Ona, WV, and Bettie Ann of Smithfield, VA. Carol was blessed with the mutual love of her grandchildren – Briana Holladay (Scott), Cassie Ekland (Josh), Rob Fry, Brandon Fry (Alyssa), Rachel Bowman (Chris), Kailey Fry, Blake Fry and Heidi Fry. She also had eight great grandchildren – Crosbie, Callum, and Rowyn Bowman, Emory and Findley Fry, Patricia Holladay and Caroline Ekland. She also leaves behind her sister Marylyn (Dick) May.

A memorial service reflecting on the Life of Charles E. and Carol L. Fry will be held at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, October 1, 2022 at Lakeview United Methodist Church, St. Albans with Pastor Kerry Bart officiating. The family will receive friends from 10 to 11:00 a.m. prior to the memorial service.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be given to: Emogene Dolin Jones Hospice House of Huntington, 3100 Staunton Road, Huntington, WV 25702.

You may visit Carol's tribute page at bartlettnicholsfuneralhome.com to share memories or condolences with the family.

Bartlett-Nichols Funeral Home, family owned and located at 409 Sixth Ave, St. Albans WV 25177, is honored to serve the Fry family.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 1. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Lakeview United Methodist Church
2624 East Parkview Drive
St. Albans, WV 25177

Memorial Service

OCT 1. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

CF

“ 1 file added to the album *Mom and Dad*



Chuck Fry - September 29, 2022 at 01:59 PM

CH

True Love ❤️

cindy Ellen Oakes Harman - October 01, 2022 at 07:58 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the family of *Carol Lee Emrick Fry*.



September 28, 2022 at 09:30 AM

PW

“ I received news of Carol’s passing tonight and everything is so surreal as Tim and I evacuated to Memphis from Port Charlotte, Florida to avoid hurricane Ian.

I extend my heartfelt condolences to the dear Fry family, who opened their home to me in the last half of my senior year in 1969 as my dad had been transferred to Ohio with Monsanto. I babysat the boys as a teenager and the Fry’s were a mutual church family at Lakeview United Methodist Church, which we started attending when it opened.

Both Charlie and Carol were such wonderful people and I am glad Carol didn’t have to be separated from Charlie long. They certainly showed love in action because that is who they were. A lesson I took away with me. I felt so blessed to have my own room with cedar smells and my own bathroom and a car to drive to school. May you all have more happy memories. Love, Peggy Young Wilkinson and husband Tim

May God bless and keep this family with the many wonderful attributes and memories that came from Carol and Charlie.

Peggy Young Wilkinson - September 28, 2022 at 06:05 AM

CF

Thank you, Peggy, for your kind and thoughtful words. Thank you as well for babysitting us! --Chuck Fry

Chuck Fry - September 28, 2022 at 08:59 AM

CH

“ I can still see Mrs. Fry’s eyes... they sparked like the most beautiful blue marbles you have ever seen. Her eyes were a reflection of who she was.... She was a beautiful person. Mr. Fry loved adored and treasured her. There was no mistaking their love for one another. ❤️

Thru my eyes... this was the wonderful picture I saw from the age of 5 to 53.

We lived right across the street from each other... the Fry family and the Oakes family.

I met BettieAnn first. From the time I was 5 years old we became best friends. We are still best friends to this day. ❤️

A gift of love. ❤️ Carol and Charlie Fry changed and impacted my life for the better.

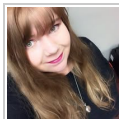
I will always be thankful for the Fry Family.

Your mom and Dad are together now...they will live on in my memory forever ❤️

With love and sympathy.....

❤️ Cindy Ellen Oakes Harman

cindy Ellen Oakes Harman - September 27, 2022 at 05:44 PM



Thank you CindyEllen , my parents both loved you dearly .

BettieAnn Fry - October 04, 2022 at 07:08 PM