



## Catherine Louise "Cathy" Carlson

May 11, 1954 - July 5, 2024

Catherine Louise "Cathy" Carlson, 70, of Fredonia, Kansas passed away on July 5th, 2024 at her daughters home in Emporia, Kansas with her loving family by her side. Catherine was born in Fredonia, KS on May 11th, 1954 to Buddy Claibourn and Nellie "Shay" Claibourn.

Catherine Graduated from Fredonia High School in 1972, and was a bookkeeper for construction companies for most of her life. Catherine married Bert Carlson on September 9th, 1970 at the Bible Baptist Church in Fredonia, Kansas. Catherine loved collecting butterflies and bald eagle memorabilia; she also enjoyed camping and birdwatching. Catherine was a very loving and kind person to everyone but her most loved pleasure was spending time with her children, grandchildren, and nieces and nephews.

Catherine is survived by:

Husband- Bert Carlson

Daughter- Rosalie Carlson

Brothers- Warren Claibourn

Oren Claibourn

Sister- Melissa Shoaf

Son-in-Law James Carlson

Grandchildren- Trevor Hegg and fiancé Mikayla Stroug and Jesse and his wife Jessica Hegg

Great Grandchild- Hudson Hegg

4 Step Great Grandchildren and 2 Great- Great Grandchildren

Nieces- Kristi Beerbower and children

Linda Solander and Children

Nephew- Brian Beerbower and Children

Many other beloved Nieces and Nephews

Catherine is Preceded in death by her parents Buddy and Nellie Claibourn, Brothers Samuel Claibourn and Ricky Claibourn, Sister Audrey Edgar, Son Shawn Carlson and Nephew Jason Claibourn.

Services will be held at Countryside Funeral Home in Fredonia, Kansas on July 19th. Visitation will be at 3:00 PM and the service will be held at 4:00 PM.

Memorials can be made out to the Fredonia VFW Auxiliary and may be left with or mailed to Countryside Funeral Home 420 S. 20th St. P.O Box 247 Fredonia, Kansas 66736

Services are under the guidance of Countryside Funeral Home.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL **19**. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Countryside Funeral Home - Fredonia  
420 S. 20th St.  
P.O. Box 247  
Fredonia, KS 66736  
(620) 378-2882

## Memorial Service

JUL **19**. 4:00 PM (CT)

Countryside Funeral Home - Fredonia  
420 S. 20th St.  
P.O. Box 247  
Fredonia, KS 66736  
(620) 378-2882

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Marlene Shinkle lit a candle in memory of Catherine Carlson*



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**Marlene Shinkle** - July 11, 2024 at 06:03 PM

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“ *Bob & Judy Nungesser lit a candle in memory of Catherine Carlson*



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**Bob & Judy Nungesser** - July 11, 2024 at 01:14 PM

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“ *BUCKY purchased the Sweet Solace Spray for the family of Catherine Louise "Cathy" Carlson.*



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**BUCKY** - July 10, 2024 at 02:22 PM