



Mrs. Carolyn Miller Delk Champion

March 9, 1935 - September 21, 2021

Graveside services for Mrs. Carolyn Miller Delk Champion, 86, formerly of Luling, Louisiana, will be held at 12:00 p.m. on Saturday, September 25, 2021, at Resthaven Memorial Gardens in El Dorado, Arkansas. Interment will follow under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home.

Mrs. Champion went to be with her Lord on September 21, 2021, at her home in Cushing, Texas surrounded by her loving family. She was born March 9, 1935, in El Dorado, Arkansas to the late Carl P. and Versa Lee (Jackson) Miller. She was raised in El Dorado, graduating from El Dorado High School in 1953, and later spent most of her life in Luling, Louisiana before moving to Cushing, Texas in the spring of 2020. Mrs. Champion was a homemaker and also held the position of Financial Secretary for First Baptist Church in Luling, Louisiana. She was a charter member of the church and served as church organist for over 55 years. Carolyn also served as a secretary for Union Carbide Chemical Plant.

Carolyn enjoyed doting on her family and traveling. She was a master seamstress who loved to cross stitch and made the best banana pudding in the world. Mrs. Champion was without a doubt a loving wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, and friend to all. Most importantly, she cherished her faith and demonstrated it. She had the patience of a saint and was a true woman of God.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 55 years, Edward Kenneth Delk; daughter-in-law, Lorraine Borne Delk; and son-in-law, Quentin Sterling Burnett.

Survivors include her husband of 12 years, Ross L. Champion. She was the loving mother to Stephan Louis Delk and Amy Delk Burnett. Her grandchildren include Jennifer Delk Lambert and husband Ched and their children Drake Lambert, Dior Lambert, and Drycen Lambert; Hollie Delk Mule' and husband Dustin and their children Hunter Mule' and Hayden Mule'; Kimberly Wiginton Gamboa and husband Joshua and their daughter Makayla Jo Gamboa; and Michael Clay Wiginton. In addition to her own children and grandchildren, Mrs. Champion is survived by Ross' children, Marcia Champion Newton and husband Jesse, Amy Champion Ivanhoe and husband Lee, Theresa Champion Discavage and husband Tom, and Lisa Champion Wright and husband Patrick, along with their families; as well as a host of cousins, other family, and many friends.

If desired, memorial contributions may be made to Heartsway Hospice of Northeast Texas at PO Box 5608, Longview, TX 75608 or heartswayhospice.org. The family would like to express their sincere gratitude to nurses and caregivers Amy, Angela, Shelby, Bobbie, and Tiffany, and sitter, Jannie Fulford.

Words of comfort may be shared with the family at www.crawfordacrim.com.

Cemetery Details

Resthaven Memorial Gardens

5042 N. Wyatt Drive
El Dorado, AR 71730

Previous Events

Graveside

SEP **25**. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Carolyn was my "step" grandmother. She welcomed my family into her life with an open heart. My kids called her Mimmy and she loved them like her own grandchildren. I am very lucky to have had a part in her life. She will be missed.

Christine Bonvillian - September 23, 2021 at 05:50 AM

MA

Mrs. Carolyn was my neighbor for over 14 years, so was a Angel.. sent to me from God. She cooked tor me when I had back surgery. She continued to take me under her wing, she was like a grandmother to me. I loved her dearly. When she first started with her illness, I would go over there and help her .. if she would let me.. some days were good and some days she would chase me home. 😊 I will always cherish the time I had with her. I send my condolences to the family. She will always be in Heart. Love you Mrs. Carolyn. I miss my hot cornbread, and the most delicious homemade desserts, she would bring to me. Rest now. Till I see you again . Love you with all my Heart.

Mary Arriaga - September 24, 2021 at 10:44 AM

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Thank you Mary!

Amy Burnett - September 27, 2021 at 08:21 AM

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Just learned of Carolyn's homegoing and know that she is resting in that heavenly place. We had many great times in Luling when we were young brides and raising our children. I thought about her many times even though we had lost contact recently. She was a blessing to all who knew her. I have many great memories of her.

Rosie Yaw - September 28, 2021 at 12:42 AM