

Carlene Rae (Ebel) Fischer (1938 - 2015)

Obituary



Carlene Rae Ebel Fischer was born on November 25, 1938, in French Camp, CA, and passed away on Tuesday, February 17, 2015, at the age of 76 in Lodi, CA, following a short illness.

Carlene is survived by her husband of 51 years, Leonard Fischer of Lodi, CA, her daughter Lisa (Fischer) Barcellos and son-in-law Michael Barcellos of El Cerrito, CA, her daughter Lenette

(Fischer) Million of Lodi, CA, and three grandchildren, Carli Million of Lodi, CA, Anna and Matthew Barcellos of El Cerrito, CA. She is also survived by her sister Michelle (Ernie) Golladay and brother Ron Ebel, both of Lodi, CA, and many nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her father Carl Ebel, her mother Mildred Ebel Johnson and her step-father Marshall Johnson, all of Lodi, CA.

She graduated from Lodi Academy in 1956 and then worked for 5 years as executive secretary for Dean Witter, Inc. Later, she was employed at Lodi Unified School District (LUSD) and worked there for close to 20 years when she retired in 1995. While at LUSD, Carlene worked as principal's secretary at Tokay High School, Woodbridge Middle School and Houston Middle School. She also worked in the LUSD District Office.

Carlene was a wonderful and dedicated mother, sister, daughter, wife, grandmother and friend. She was deeply committed to her immediate and extended family members. She enjoyed music, singing and writing poetry. In particular, she loved to create personalized poems for friends and family, and was a regular 'Poet of the Week' in the Lodi News Sentinel. She was a member of Fairmont Seventh-Day Adventist Church.

A memorial service for family and friends to celebrate Carlene's life is scheduled for Friday, February 27, 2015 at 10 a.m. at Lodi Cherokee Memorial Park, Evergreen Chapel. The family would like to thank Vienna Nursing and Rehabilitation Center and Optimal Hospice Care staff for their care of Carlene during the last days of her life. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the English Oaks Church Coronary Health Improvement Project (CHIP) Program (<http://englishoaks.org/c-h-i-p>). Checks can be sent to "English Oaks Church for CHIP, in memory of Carlene Fischer". Mailing address: 1260 W. Century Blvd., Lodi, CA 95240.

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