



Carolyn Delores Douglas

February 7, 1938 - June 28, 2023

Carolyn Douglas, age 85 of Purcell, passed away Wednesday, June 28, 2023.

Carolyn Delores King was born February 7, 1938 in Canon City, Colorado, the baby of four children born to Audra Cecil King and Ida Matilda (Orr) King.

She was raised in Rocky Ford where she attended school. Carolyn married her best friend and life partner, Van Dorn Douglas, on November 29, 1963 in Fountain, Colorado. They were inseparable the perfect couple, and built a beautiful life together. She worked as book keeper for Georgia Pacific for several years. Together, Carolyn and Van owned and operated Diamond Horseshoe Lounge in Fountain for many years, before moving to Lexington, where they owned and operated the Diamond Horseshoe Ranch. Away from work, Carolyn enjoyed attending the horse races. She was a huge Dallas Cowboys fan, and never missed a chance to visit a casino. She was a wonderful mother and grandmother, great grandmother and friend. She will be dearly missed!

She was preceded in death by: her husband, Van Dorn Douglas; daughter, Glenda Dockter; son, Larry Douglas; granddaughter, Shannan Dockter; parents, Audra and Ida King and siblings, Cecil King, Marilyn Keys and Virginia Henderson.

Carolyn is survived by: her son, Calvin Douglas (Sherry Beaver) of Purcell; former son-in-law, Jerry Dockter (Leonda) of Lexington; 4 grandchildren, Jake Dockter, Justin Douglas, Crystal Douglas and Kortney Douglas; 6 great grandchildren, Benjamin Dockter, Charles Dockter, Lily Dockter, Rosalee

Dockter, Miles Henson and Henry Henson, and a host of other family and friends.

Graveside Services are scheduled for 10:00 A.M. Saturday, July 1, 2023, at the Lexington Cemetery. www.wilsonlittle.com.

Tribute Wall

GJ

“ I love you, I miss our long talks along the way that we had almost every day. Gail

gail jones - July 06, 2023 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Goodbye Mrs.Carolyn! Thank you for the fun conversation about your past! Your passion for the Cowboys was one like I never seen!! Thank you for being a grandma to us! You will be missed at the family meals. We will save you a seat! Love you.

Jennifer Beddoe - June 30, 2023 at 12:00 AM

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“ I loved Aunt Carolyn!Jesus loves you!

Sandra Hicks - June 29, 2023 at 12:00 AM

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