



Carole June Munson

July 22, 2011

Carole June Munson, of Murphysboro, passed away at her residence in Murphysboro, Illinois at 6:01 a.m. on Friday, July 22, 2011.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, July 25, 2011, at Pettett Funeral Home with Rev. Earl Renshaw officiating and burial at St. Andrew Cemetery. Friends may call from 9 to 11 a.m. at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to the Hospice of Southern Illinois, Inc. or to the United Methodist Church in Murphysboro.

Carole was born in Rolla, Missouri to Otto Frederick Borlisch and Eva (Cox) Borlisch.

She had worked as a switchboard operator and while working she met and later married William P. Munson on April 29, 1954, in Rolla, Missouri. He preceded her in death on November 10, 2005.

Mrs. Munson was a member of the United Methodist Church in Murphysboro, and a member of the Methodist Women's Morning Circle.

While her children were in school, she always served as a room mother and for her daughter's, she served as the Girl Scout Leader.

She was a photographer, an artist, and she loved to travel. She especially loved to walk around Lake Murphysboro and when she was no longer able to walk, she enjoyed driving around the lake. She took great pleasure in decorating and she loved to create secret gardens in her yard.

Carole is survived by three children and their spouses Melanie and Al Zinselmeier of Evansville, IL, James and Valerie Munson of Staunton, IL, and Jami and John Brown of St. Louis, MO;

six grandchildren Seth McDowell and his wife Jenny McDowell, Megan Mitchell, David Brown, Cate Brown, Tim Zinselmeier, and Tracey Zinselmeier;

two great grandchildren Alissa and Gabby;

and two sisters Evelyn Corey of Fountain Valley, CA and Katherine Smallwood of St. James, MO.

She was preceded in death by her parents and one brother.

Tribute Wall



“ *Carole June Munson*

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“ *Carole was my sister, my friend, sometimes advisor and confidant. We shared so much when growing up. From the time we were little girls playing with paper dolls until we were older sharing each others clothing, ideas and dreams of the future. She will always be in my thoughts and prayers. I will miss her deeply.*

EVELYN R. COREY - August 02, 2011 at 03:35 PM



“ *Carole was a Great woman. Always kind and happy. The kind of person that made your life better just because you knew her. Her smile would light up the room. She was Beautiful inside and out. A true Lady. The kind of person that people should strive to be more like. I will miss our hour talks each week and words cant express the love or respect that I have for her. She will forever be in my thoughts and heart. I MISS and LOVE YOU SO VERY MUCH!!!!*

Michelle Jacobs - July 23, 2011 at 12:34 AM