



## Carole Elizabeth Roberts

July 4, 1943 - November 19, 2023

Carole Elizabeth Johnston Roberts was born on July 4th, 1943, to Richard Johnston and Jessie Lee Lucas in Queens, New York. As a young girl she moved to Cross Creek, Pennsylvania where she was raised by her grandmother and grandfather, Irvin and Monta Lucas. She attended Avella High School where she spent numerous hours playing for the school's basketball team. On November 30th, 1963, she married Harry Eugene Roberts of Avella, Pennsylvania. They moved to Woodbridge Virginia where they welcomed their daughter Tamara Lynn into the world on February 11th, 1966. Four years later, on December 1st, 1970, they were blessed with a son, Harry Lee Roberts. After divorcing Harry Eugene in September 1975, she continued to live in the Northern Virginia area where she worked as a cashier for various grocery stores and later as an administrative assistant for the United States Department of Defense. After 33 years of service, she retired in December of 2017. She worked tirelessly for her family and nothing in life was more important to her than her deep love for them. She will always be remembered for her loving and caring personality that was shown to all around her. Spending time at beach, feeling the sun on her face, and sharing numerous holidays, weekends, and momentous occasions with her grandchildren are some of her happiest memories. She is survived by her daughter Tamara Lynn Karas and son-in-law Michael, her son Harry Lee Roberts, her brother Bobby Johnston, three grandchildren Matthew Karas (Andreea), Katherine Johnson (George), and Christopher Roberts, and one

great grandson William Michael Johnson. She was proceeded in death by her parents, and brothers Richard and Wayne. She will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved her.

# Cemetery Details

## Columbia Gardens Cemetery

3411 Arlington Boulevard  
Arlington, VA 22201

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **24**. 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Jefferson Funeral Chapel  
5755 Castlewellan Drive  
Alexandria, VA 22315  
(703) 971-7400  
[info@jeffersonfuneralchapel.com](mailto:info@jeffersonfuneralchapel.com)  
<https://www.jeffersonfuneralchapel.com>

## Memorial Service

NOV **24**. 1:30 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Jefferson Funeral Chapel  
5755 Castlewellan Dr  
Alexandria, VA 22315-5516  
(703) 971-7400

## Graveside Service

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NOV **24**. 2:30 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

JB

“ *Great lady. We dated in 1962 when she lived in Wellsburg, Wv and worked at the GC Murphy 5&10. Jim Bowery*

**Jim Bowery** - January 04, 2025 at 07:30 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Carole Elizabeth Roberts.*



November 22, 2023 at 06:48 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Carole Elizabeth Roberts.*



November 22, 2023 at 04:47 PM

KW

“ *Katie, George, and William purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Carole Elizabeth Roberts.*



**Katie, George, and William** - November 22, 2023 at 03:26 PM

JY

“ Judith Y. purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Carole Elizabeth Roberts.



Judith Y. - November 22, 2023 at 10:59 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Carole Elizabeth Roberts.



November 21, 2023 at 11:35 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Carole Elizabeth Roberts.



November 21, 2023 at 12:13 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Carole Elizabeth Roberts.



November 21, 2023 at 11:52 AM

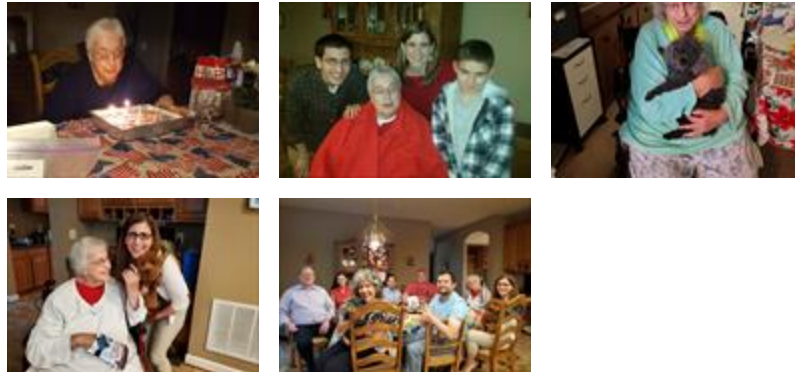
MK

“ 0 file added to the tribute wall

Mike Karas - November 21, 2023 at 11:01 AM

MK

“ 48 files added to the album Family Pictures



Mike Karas - November 21, 2023 at 10:58 AM

YS

“ Your brother Bobby, Mary and Stefani purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Carole Elizabeth Roberts.



Your brother Bobby, Mary and Stefani - November 20, 2023 at 01:57 PM