

Dirge of the Moirai

Clotho

Blonde hair teased from golden fleece
Eyes of blue as the sky and seas
A form takes shape, tall and lean
And a mind awakens, intelligence teem'd
A soul is placed on the mantel perched
Those bright eyes twinkle, sparkle, searched
Carolyn Sue Clark, the spindle spun
The journey begins as the thread is done.

Lachesis

Once in the world and put to learning
The child adapts to adulthood, yearning
To make use of the knowledge spritely gained
And spread it to others, the culture maintained
A kindness developed, a servant to others
Always caring, giving, as true teachers discover
Then a new surname, Myers, her goal
A trinity of boys - Mind, Heart, and Soul.

Atropos

Alas, as is always the case
Age shows all the illness we face
But with true grit and radiant heart
After each battle a revitalized start
She fought and parried, diverting the pain
To live a bit longer for everyone's gain
In the end while no longer able to stand
As a guide her stride crossed oceans to land.

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In Loving Memory of
Carolyn Myers



September 18, 1946 - December 16, 2025

Carolyn Sue Myers, beloved wife, mother, and community servant, passed away on December 16, 2025, in Beloit, Kansas, at the age of 79 after a fourteen-year battle with illness. Born on September 18, 1946, in Manhattan, Kansas, the daughter of Darrel and Mary Lou (Eibert) Clark, Carolyn's life was defined by her unwavering commitment to education, community, and family.

An alumna of Salina Central High School (1964), Carolyn also attended grade school in Topeka. She went on to earn her Education Degree in 3 1/2 years from Kansas Wesleyan University in Salina (1968). There she met her future husband Bren and after nuptials and graduation they moved to Columbus, Ohio, where she took classes for continuing education at The Ohio State University. Her zeal for learning followed her throughout her life, as did her love for various hobbies and interests. Carolyn enjoyed crafts, shopping for and sending thoughtful cards, and collecting refrigerator magnets, Hummel figurines, and stuffed bears. A lover of classic mysteries, she found joy in reading and was an avid fan of watching "Jeopardy!" Notably, she enjoyed bowling for many years, bringing joy and camaraderie to those in her leagues. While she always made time for others, she saved time for herself during basketball season to watch the KU Jayhawks and their perennial march through the madness.

A dedicated educator, Carolyn spent her first years after receiving her degree teaching in an inner-city school in Columbus, Ohio, where she inspired countless students through her passion for learning and teaching. Following her time in education and relocating to Beloit, Kansas, she served as the office manager at Myers Optometry for over 30 years, a position that showcased her exceptional organizational skills and dedication to her career.

Carolyn's faith played a significant role in her life. She was very active in the Beloit United Methodist Church, serving in numerous capacities. From teaching Sunday School and Bible School to participating in the United Methodist Women's group, her contributions enriched her congregation and fostered a deep sense of community among its members.

Carolyn took particular pride in her accomplishments outside of work and school. She served as team recorder, ran concessions, and served as the strength behind Beloit K-18 Baseball, where her involvement fostered connections and support within the local youth sports community. She operated "Mom's Taxi", driving the kids, friends, and parents around and about to games, tournaments, and other outings, and eventually found time to relax during the yearly vacation to Estes Park, Colorado, where hiking, shopping, dining out, and picnicking by Sprague Lake with some KFC would rejuvenate the soul.

In her personal life, Carolyn is survived by her husband, Bren, whom she met at Kansas Wesleyan University and married in June 1967. She is also survived by their sons: Chad, born in August 1968; Todd, born in December 1972, with his wife Jacque and children Bryce, Kennedy, Brooklyn, and Kensley; and youngest son Seth, born in May 1977, with his wife Hannah and the boys Levi and Noah. She is also survived by her three younger sisters: Kathleen (and Mick) Quinn; Jeanneen (and John) Morris; and Lisa Manley, and the many nieces and nephews from their issue. Carolyn's legacy will be cherished by her family, friends, and all those whose lives she touched through her compassionate and uplifting spirit.

Celebration of Life Service

For Carolyn Myers

Let's light the day with memories and love as we honor and remember a remarkable life.

When

1:00 pm - 3:00pm
December 20, 2025

Where

Roberts Family Funeral Home
Beloit, Kansas

*Forever cherished, forever missed, and forever remembered
always.*

The family of Carolyn Myers deeply appreciates your prayers, kindness, and support during this time. Your love has brought us comfort.

Carolyn

Two hearts that beat as One

Two bodies living as One

Two souls united as One

Two minds melded into One

Two lovers intertwined for eternity

Charlie . . . my soul mate, in my memory forever

Your desire to go was my command

We will be united again . . . in time.

-B

