



Carol Sumpter

November 17, 1950 - December 1, 2009

Carol Lee Sumpter, 59, of Colcord, Oklahoma, died December 1, 2009, at Washington Regional Medical Center, Fayetteville, Arkansas. Born November 17, 1950, in Siloam Springs, Arkansas, she was the daughter of Delbert Morgan and Aileen Davis Morgan. She was a lifetime resident of Colcord. Carol was a reading recovery teacher at Allen Elementary since 1991 and formerly taught at Gentry School for almost 15 years. She was a former member of the ADK and loved quilting. Carol was a member of the Colcord Church of Christ. She was preceded in death by her husband Jim Sumpter; and her parents, Delbert Morgan and Aileen Davis Morgan.

Survivors include one son, Greg Morgan and wife Penny of Ralston, Oklahoma; one daughter, Lora Sumpter of Colcord, Oklahoma; one step-son, Jimmie Sumpter and wife Danielle of Hamlin, Texas; nine grandchildren; one brother, Danny Morgan of Sandusky, Oklahoma; and one sister, Wanda Ramsey and husband David of Colcord, Oklahoma. Pallbearers will be Brandon Morgan, Jesse Ramsey, Chris Tillery, Will Arnold, Hank Jenks, and Scott Billups. Honorary pallbearers will be Kevin Pittman and Darell Whitmire.

Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m., Saturday, December 5, 2009, at Wasson Memorial Chapel, Siloam Springs, Arkansas, with Mr. Larry Ellis officiating. Burial will follow at Dickson Cemetery, near Cherokee City, Arkansas. Visitation will be 6:00 to 7:30 p.m., Friday, December 4, 2009, at Wasson Funeral Home, Siloam Springs, Arkansas.

Tribute Wall

JS

“ So sorry to hear of Carols passing. Our deepest sympathy to each of you.

Joe and Janet Stansell - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

TG

“ You and your families are in my thoughts and prayers...

Tera (Mitchell) Gebhart - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

AM

“ To All, So sorry to hear of your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

Amy Mitchell - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

TC

“ Sorry for your loss ... my heart goes out to the family...

Trina Casillas - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

NT

“ I am so sorry to hear of Carol's passing. I worked with Carol in the 80's at Catrons she was wonderful to work with and a great person. She always had a smile on her face She will be truly missed My prayers go to her family in this sad time.

Nick Tussinger - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

TF

“ Dear Family - We are so sorry for your loss. Mrs Sumpter was a very special lady. Our son Jack was in her Reading Recovery Class. He loved her classes and looked forward to seeing her everyday. She has made such a huge impact on him and has given him a love of reading and books that he will carry through the rest of his life and for that we will be forever grateful. We will never forget her and know that Jack will miss her deeply. We feel very privileged to have known her and that our son had the opportunity to learn from such a wonderful teacher.

The Drennan Family - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

NR

“ Lora, Wanda and family:

So sorry about Carol. She will be missed. We all experience loss, but no one can understand exactly what you are feeling but I hope you know that many people are praying for you and thinking of you during this difficult time. Lean on God and also your family and friends. Let them help you thru this.

*Love,
Nancy, Mike and Shane*

Nancy Reed - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

SS

“ Lora and Greg,

Your Mom and I grew up together attended school together, as well as Church together.

Then we both worked together in school.

She was a true Christian, she never gossiped, never spoke badly of anyone.

She was first in line to help or give when someone was in need.

She truly loved her students and they knew it! They felt loved, and secure with her and therefore were able to do their very best with her. I used to love to get glimpses of her with them from time to time. Each time I did, I would say Lord, thank you for Carol and all she does for these dear children.

Once we were talking about retirement and she told me how she looked forward to it when Jim was alive, how they had talked about what they would do and places they would go. But after he passed away that all changed and it just mean't spending time alone now.

When I heard she had passed I thought Oh Carol, God didn't put you through retirement years alone! He brought you to the most beautiful place and you will spend it with your husband now.

Lora and Greg ~ I know you will sorely miss her and my prayers are with you both.

Sandy Staggs - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

TF

“ I am sorry for your loss.

Carol was such an inspiration to me. I always looked forward seeing her as we passed in the hallway. Occassionally, in our busy day, we'd have a chance to stop and visit. I loved our visits! She inspired me by her quilt making and she'd offered her advise and expertise when I needed it.

I only knew Carol for a few short years, but I feel so blessed to have known such a wonderful person. She touched my life and I will miss her.

My prayers are with the family during this time of sorrow.

Teresa Ferguson - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

CP

“ *Carol was a kind and gentle soul. She had a true passion for teaching small children to read. I loved the time I had with her at Allen Elementary.*

Please be proud of the differences she made in so many children's lives.

Cecilia Peer - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

JH

“ **LORA AND FAMILY,**
SO SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT CAROL. SHE WAS A VERY NICE LADY AND WILL BE GREATLY MISSED. MAY GOD AND YOUR GOOD MEMEORIES COMFORT YOU IN THIS TIME OF NEED. IF YOU NEED ANYTHING PLEASE DON'T HESITATE TO ASK. YOU ARE IN MY PRAYERS. WITH MUCH LOVE MARCY HENDREN.

JOHNDA (marcy) HENDREN - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

TF

“ I am very blessed to have known Jim & Carol for most of my life and being neighbors with them. It is with great sadness as i write this cause i am going to miss seeing Carol on that riding lawn mower having a big smile as she rode around her yard. She took so much pride in keeping it looking so beautiful. She always made a point to wave REAL big every time we drove by. Laura, if there is anything we can do for you--we are ALWAYS here for you hun. Love your mom and will miss her dearly.

The Edgett Family - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

GR

“ May Almighty God of tender mercies
Comfort the Sumpter family (2Co.1:3,4),

*When the last enemy strikes grief may
be great and make the heart yearn for
Comfort, Almighty God gives HOPE and
PROMISE at (JOHN 5:28, ACTS 24:15 and
REVELATION 21:4) His HOPE and PROMISE
SOON TO BE ATTAIN, May these thoughts Be of some Comfort.
gingerrobinsont@bellsouth.net*

Ginger Robinson - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

BS

“ We are so sorry to hear of Carol's death. We have many wonderful memories of teaching with her in the Gentry schools. She was such a dedicated, hard working person. She truly loved the children she taught. Then we were blessed again to work with her in the Siloam Springs Schools. We will always have fond memories of her.

May you find peace and comfort in God's love during this time.

Ben & Betty Southerland - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

CW

“ Dear Family, I attended Reading Recovery training with Carol and feel so blessed that I got to know her. She was always such a sweet person and I enjoyed talking with her when we were together. She was a well respected educator and I know that many children's lives were positively impacted by her teaching. You all will continue to be in my thoughts and prayers.

Cloy Winn - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

LH

“ To all of the family--we are so sorry for your loss. Carol was such a sweet person who will be missed by all who knew & loved her. May your memories & God's love bring you comfort at this difficult time. If we can help in any way, please call.

Larry & Lana Hurt - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

JH

“ We will greatly miss Carol. She was a fun person to be around and we loved playing cards and exchanging quilting tips with her. She is with the lord and we are blessed to have been able to know Carol the way we did.

Joe and Amber Hightower - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

AR

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I am so glad I am fortunate enough to have fond memories of Carol. I am thankful that Carol got to make a big impact in my daughters life she was such a great teacher and helped a lot of children. She will be greatly missed. Lora if you need anything at all please don't hesitate to call. Just remember she is in a better place now strong and healthy.

April Renfro - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

CB

“ Lora and family we were so sorry to here about Carol. She was really a sweet lady and she will be missed but she is in a so much better place now. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Lora if you need anything Mike and I are here for you.

Carolyn Binam - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

RH

“ You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Rick & Suzy Harrington - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

SB

“ Greg, Penny Amber..Kate.. and of course Lora....

our deepest sympathy and thoughts and prayers...

Love you guys..

Scott, Vicki, Brittany and Shelby...

Scott & Vicki Billups - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

KM

“ Lora, Jimmie & Greg,

My prayers are with all of you. Carol was a wonderful person. I'll always have good memories of her. If there is anything I can do just let me know. It's going to be hard for all of you but "time" will help.

Kate

Kate McKain - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM

JS

“ We were so sorry to hear about Carol and for your loss. She was a very sweet person. We are thinking of you all at this time.

Jack & Sharron Simmons - September 19, 2012 at 12:00 PM