



## Carolee Yockey

June 30, 1936 - December 9, 2021

Carolee Yockey, 85 of Kearney passed away Thursday, December 9, 2021 at Good Samaritan Society – St. Luke’s in Kearney. Memorial services will be 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, December 14, 2021 at Faith United Church in Gibbon with Pastor Mike Evan officiating. Interment will be held prior to the service at Riverside Cemetery. The family will receive friends 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. Monday at the church.

Memorials are suggested to St. Luke’s Good Samaritan or to Faith United Church in Gibbon. Condolences may be shared online at [www.osrfh.com](http://www.osrfh.com). Services are entrusted to O’Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Service.

Carolee was born June 30, 1936 in Lincoln, NE to Bill and Ilene (Marquis) Carter. She grew up in Gibbon and received her education from Gibbon Public School, graduating with the class of 1954. Carolee was united in marriage to Dean Yockey on January 2, 1955 in Gibbon. This union was blessed with two sons, Dan and Bill. Carolee and Dean lived in various states while Dean was in the Air Force. During his career in the Air Force, Carolee provided childcare at Air Force Bases all over the country. After Dean retired from the Air Force, the couple returned to Gibbon, where Carolee worked as a secretary at Faith United Church and later worked at Parkview Grocery with her sister. Carolee enjoyed playing BINGO and most of all spending time with her grandchildren.

Carolee was a member of Faith United Church in Gibbon and the P.E.O.

Left to cherish her memory are her sons, Dan (Brenda) Yockey, Bill (Renae) Yockey, all of Gibbon; six grandchildren; 14 great grandchildren; sisters, Kay (Fred) Reed of North Bend, Pam (Don) Canady of Hastings; as well as many nieces, nephews, extended family and friends.

She was preceded in death by her husband; two great grandchildren; and her parents.

# Cemetery Details

## Riverside Cemetery

45400 85th Road  
Gibbon, NE

# Previous Events

## Family receiving friends

DEC 13. 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Faith United Church  
203 Garfield St  
Gibbon, NE 68840  
(308) 468-5521

## Memorial Service

DEC 14. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Carolee Yockey*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *Carolee was one of my very favorite little ladies. I love her dearly and will miss her greatly!*

**Ashley Guthrie** - December 30, 2021 at 01:31 AM



“ *Carolee was one of those amazing "Gibbon mom's". She was funny, kind, witty, and independent. She was such a great friend to our family and we enjoyed popping into see her. She will be missed by many. Thanks Yockey family for sharing your mom. She was great! Nancy and Deb Lasich (aka the cookie fairies)*

**Nancy Lasich** - December 14, 2021 at 03:12 PM



“ *Our hearts are saddened to hear of your loss. May God comfort your family as you endure this difficult time.*

**Fran** - December 13, 2021 at 07:22 PM



“ *Fran & Kelly Murr lit a candle in memory of Carolee Yockey*



**Fran & Kelly Murr** - December 13, 2021 at 07:20 PM

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“ *Carolee was a wonderful Aunt! I have nothing but fond memories of time with her. She was always very sweet to me & I have a lot of memories of laughter. She was quite a character!*

*Mark Canady*

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**Mark Canady** - December 13, 2021 at 09:44 AM

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“ *Sandy Hubbard lit a candle in memory of Carolee Yockey*



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**Sandy Hubbard** - December 12, 2021 at 11:13 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Carolee Yockey.*



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December 10, 2021 at 03:25 PM