



Carol M. Locker

January 28, 1943 - April 15, 2024

Carol M. Locker (nee Graeber), age 81, a resident Upper Darby passed away on April 15, 2024.

Carol was born in Philadelphia to the late Max and Marie (Nagowski) Graeber. She loved people and had a great sense of humor always making others laugh. Carol was an avid cat lover. She was very handy and resourceful enabling her to do anything she put her mind to. Most of all, Carol loved spending time with her family. She was a loving mother, grandmother, great grandmother and sister who will be dearly missed by all her family and friends.

Predeceased by her husband, John Locker.; Daughter, Diane Locker; brother, Matthew Graeber.

Survived by her children, Walter S. Locker, John T. (Laura) Locker and Denice (Mark) Campbell; grandchildren, Jonathan, Jessica, Destiny, Mark, Paul, Marisa and Allyson; great grandchildren, Jordyn, Evelyn, Cienna, Noah, Carter and Celina; siblings, Tripoli Reale, George (Nancy) Reale and Tina (John) Haydamacha; sister in law, Grace Graeber. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Visitation: Friday, 11:00 am at Williams Lombardo Funeral Home 33 W. Baltimore Avenue.

Mass: Friday, 12:00 pm at Williams Lombardo Funeral Home.

Interment: Private

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the ASPCA at <https://secure.aspc.org>

Condolences: www.lombardofuneralhomes.com

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 19. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JY

“ I just found out you passed Aunt Carol. I was wondering why I haven't heard from you. I tried calling and I sent you a Christmas card. I will miss you dearly. To my cousins, I'm so sorry for your loss. May God give you peace within yourselves.
Love Joanne

Joanne Young - January 22, 2025 at 09:52 PM

WJ

“ I just found out Mrs. Locker has passed. My heart is broken. My thoughts are with her family and friends, and everyone she made laugh!

Walter Peter Duch Jr - May 06, 2024 at 03:47 PM

TH

“ The most endearing quality my sister Carol possessed was her magical relationship with animals big and small, a selfless act that lasted a lifetime. I stayed over on occasion only to find her one morning on her front porch surrounded by birds, squirrels, cats, and even a raccoon amazingly huddled together enjoying the morning breakfast she had set out for them. It was truly a sight to see, but then came the human strays she would provide shelter for over the years who were down on their luck. She was compelled to open her door and did so even when the outcome was not a favorable one and even when her funds were low, because she understood life's trials and tribulations.
Just to be clear, she was a feisty and matter of fact kind of girl which could be off-putting to some, but for me was a testament to the way she marched to the beat of her own drum throughout her life. But deep down, she held the love for her children close to her heart despite the hard times which she shared with me privately on many occasions. Although she practiced a “tough love” kind of demeanor, she loved all her children and grandchildren especially, when they requested her famous potato salad which she often dropped off to her daughter's even when she was unwell. She even made hot platters to go to drop off to people she knew because she felt a sense of comfort in helping a friend in need. What I will take away will be the love and care that her daughter Denice and her husband Mark displayed 24/7 to my sister during the most difficult time in her life. Furthermore, my sister was shown kindness, empathy, and unconditional love by her son John and his wife Laura throughout her last days and an outpouring of love and compassion from all her grandchildren, close and far away.
I leave you with a final request that I am certain would be a “wish come true” for her as she looks down upon us this day, and that is if you can find a way to donate to your local animal shelter who are in desperate need. Please do this in her honor to help carry on her legacy and compassion for her furry friends.

Tina Haydamacha - April 20, 2024 at 11:34 AM



“ 1 file added to the album Carol M Locker



Franny Ward - April 18, 2024 at 02:20 PM

TG

“ Love from Tina and Monica



Tina Graeber - April 17, 2024 at 02:11 PM

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“ Love from Tina and Monica



Tina Graeber - April 17, 2024 at 02:10 PM

MJ

“ Carol , I haven't seen you in years . But I have Fond memories. You were always a friend to me .

michael b johnston - April 17, 2024 at 01:38 PM

TR

“ Tripoli purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Carol M. Locker.



Tripoli - April 16, 2024 at 07:54 PM

SG

“ Stephanie Gustafson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carol M. Locker.

Stephanie Gustafson - April 16, 2024 at 05:51 PM

SG

“ Stephanie Gustafson purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Carol M. Locker.



Stephanie Gustafson - April 16, 2024 at 05:51 PM

MA

“ A light from our family is gone.
A voice we loved is stilled.
We mourn the lost of one we loved to keep
but God who surely loved her best has finally made her sleep.
After a lifetime of her love and joy and jokes to fill out ears
God leaves us these wonderous memories to help us through our tears. I love you so much my beautiful angel you will forever be in my heart💜
Love Marisa



Marisa - April 16, 2024 at 05:21 PM

KG

“ Don't know where the time went Carol seems you had your first Son and i was helping changing his Diaper then was your turn to changed my Son John's we had a rough life when we were younger but you were strong and we move on with our Lives Rip Carol you will be miss by so many Hugs Honey Love you

Kate Gordon - April 16, 2024 at 03:55 PM

GR

“ My sister Carol was a very helpful, caring, and giving woman. She helped anyone and everyone in their time of need. She is a shining spirit of resilience and get it done attitude. She loves all her grandchildren and fur babies of all kinds. Under that tough exterior was a soft and gentle heart always looking for comfort and understanding from her family and her many friends she made over all her years. She is at peace now and a beautiful and loving angel. Sis, you are that special individual in life that will never be forgotten and remembered fondly for your gentle soul. I will miss you most of all. George

George S. Reale - April 16, 2024 at 03:53 PM

KC

“ Love you mommom



Kiersten Campbell - April 16, 2024 at 02:17 PM