

Carole Harris Miller Obituary



Carole Harris Miller, 78, of Carlisle passed away peacefully on June 21, 2022 at the home of her daughter in Cazenovia, NY. Born in Harrisburg, she was the daughter of the late Robert and Luella Harris of Camp Hill.

Carole graduated from the Harrisburg Polyclinic Hospital School of Nursing in 1964 and then began her 44-year career at the Carlisle Hospital in the maternity department.

Carole was blessed with a true affinity for animals. As a child on Packard Lane, she would bring baby chicks home to live in her bedroom. Her first 'sheltie,' Lady, was adopted by her parents, Bob and Luella. Lady inspired many namesakes, one of which was the inspiration for the Foxy-Lady Kennels. Though the kennel was named for her dogs, Carole was always the ultimate "foxy-lady" and was widely known for her genuine love of and hospitality towards all pets placed in her care. Carole owned the kennel until March 2020.

Carole loved her shelties, and many families were able to benefit from the beautiful puppies. She held sheltie reunions at her farm where the puppies could be reunited for a day of playtime with siblings and cousins.

Carole also took in animals who needed a place to go. No animal was ever turned away from her kennels or cat apartments. She had several long-term residents, rescue animals waiting to find a family, and animals who had lost their home and needed a place to live out their lives. Chickens, llamas, goats, horses, sheep, donkeys, and alpacas all had a place at her farm, and she loved and cared for them all.

Carole is survived by her husband of 58 years, Richard L. Miller of Lafayette, GA; son Eric Miller and his partner Weldon Seyb also of Lafayette; daughter Elaine Yorks and her husband Thad of Cazenovia, NY; sister Kaye Wishard and husband Bill of Mechanicsburg; grandchildren Connor and Delaney Yorks of Cazenovia, NY. She will also be missed by her nieces Melissa Frank, Jennifer Parks, and Jessica Wishard; great-nephews Juan and Matthew Carrion and great-niece Kaylyn Parks.

A Celebration of Life will be held at the Carlisle First Church of the Brethren, 1340 Forge Road, on July 16. Visitation with the family at 11 AM; Celebration of Life at 12PM.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to Speranza Animal Rescue at <https://www.speranzarescue.org/donate> or 1216 Brandt Road, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055.