



Carolyn S. Royall

April 6, 1939 - April 23, 2016

Carolyn Sue (Mariott) Royal, was born April 6, 1939 and passed away of complications from a stroke, April 23, 2016, at age 77. She was born in Paragould, Arkansas to father Maurice Mariott and mother Edna (Hanley) Mariott. Carolyn had two sisters and three brothers. Carolyn moved with her family to Bakersfield, CA at the age of 5. She attended grade school until she developed Rheumatic Fever. Staying home in bed was thought to be the best cure at that time. She was home schooled until the age of 15. She attended Bakersfield High as a sophomore. She developed a love for reading that lasted throughout her lifetime. She loved spending time with her family, and was always there for them when they needed her. She was a fabulous artist and had a wonderful sometimes wicked sense of humor. If you needed a warrior on your side she'd put on the war paint and go to battle for you. She was fiercely independent. Carolyn volunteered for literacy programs where she tutored. She enjoyed camping at the beach, her beautiful home and garden, crossword puzzles and catching up with her many friends whom she loved dearly. She married her husband, James Royall, in 1956 and they celebrated 60 years of marriage. Preceded in death by her parents, Maurice and Edna, sisters Linda Edwards, Brenda Childress and brother Ron Mariott. She is survived by her loving husband James, sons Jim (Alan), Steve (Stacey), Kevin (Diane), grandchildren Grant, Zach, Hannah, Caitlin, Max, Weston, and her brothers Dennis (Debbie) Mariott and Mike (Brenda) Mariott. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, May 14, 2016 at 11 a.m. at

Salser and Dillard Funeral Chapel. In Lieu of flowers donations can be made to the ASPCA. A memorial tribute may be offered by logging onto www.salseranddillard.com

Previous Events

Memorial

MAY **14**. 11:00 AM (PT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *To a true gentleman - Jim - Please accept my sincere condolences in the loss of your wife, Carolyn. Sixty years together! No doubt she cherished every moment with you. I wish you comfort in these coming days. --- Wayne Luallen*

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