



Carolyn Sue Vernon Leake

October 24, 1942 - December 5, 2023

Carolyn Sue Vernon Leake, 81, passed away Tuesday, December 5, 2023. Carolyn was born to the late Flora (Gentry), and James Vernon in Louisville, Ky. She was a member of Kenwood Heights Christian Church and was a Kentucky Colonel. Carolyn loved country music and loved to sing and play the accordion.

She was preceded in death by her parents, long-term companion, George McCue, and siblings, David Vernon, Edward Vernon, Jean Duvall, and Louie Vernon.

Carolyn is survived by her children, Terry Elstone (Greg), Trina Childress, and Robbie Childress; 2 granddaughters, and sister-in-law, Sandie Vernon. Her funeral service will be at 1:00 p.m. Wednesday, December 13, 2023, at Owen Funeral Home, 5317 Dixie Highway with burial at Louisville Memorial Gardens West. Visitation will be from 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday at Owen Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Louisville Memorial Gardens West

4400 Dixie Hwy
Louisville , KY 40216

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 13. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Owen Funeral Homes - Dixie Highway
5317 Dixie Highway
Louisville, KY 40216
(502) 447-2600
<https://owenfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

DEC 13 (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Oh No!!!! Just found out today May 27 2026. Loved Carolyn. We were fellow entertainers and great Friends for a long time!

David Newman - May 27 at 12:20 PM

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“ Torrey, Brandi, and Addyson Aiken planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carolyn Sue Vernon Leake.

Torrey, Brandi, and Addyson Aiken - December 09, 2023 at 02:21 PM

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“ Torrey, Brandi, and Addyson Aiken purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Carolyn Sue Vernon Leake.



Torrey, Brandi, and Addyson Aiken - December 09, 2023 at 02:21 PM