



Carol Lucille McCormick

March 18, 1924 - November 18, 2024

Carol Lucille McCormick of Springdale, Arkansas, passed peacefully into the arms of Jesus on November 18, 2024, at the age of 100 years and eight months.

Carol was born March 18, 1924, in Beverly, Kansas, to Henry and Blanche McCormick. Carol attended school in Beverly, graduating at the age of 17, received a teaching certificate, and began teaching that fall. Carol served as a teacher in five different one-room country schools in the area and taught a few students that were older than her.

Carol drove a Model A, for which she paid \$15, to a school five miles in the country. In the winter, Carol had to leave for school early to carry in wood and build a fire in the old wood stove so the school would be warm when her students arrived.

Carol then attended Moody Bible Institute in Chicago, Illinois, from 1947-1949. After graduating in 1949, Carol felt God's call to go into full-time Christian work and moved to Northwest Arkansas, where she began teaching children's Bible classes in country schools.

A year later, Jewel Horton joined her and they soon became known as "Miss Carol" and "Miss Jewel". They continued their ministry in the country schools

with daily Vacation Bible School during the summers, Christian camps, and after-school classes. Later they held women's Bible study classes, which Carol continued until just a few years ago.

Carol was active at Fellowship Bible Church in Springdale, making sure that deviled eggs were always at their church dinners.

Carol loved God with all her heart, mind, and soul. She was thoroughly and completely dedicated to doing His will and living for Him. Carol loved telling others what God had done for her and what He could do for them if they put their trust in Him. Generations of families in Northwest Arkansas had the privilege of hearing the Good News from Miss Carol.

Carol was preceded in death by her parents, Henry and Blanche McCormick; nephew, Dale Shogren; brother-in-law, Orin Shogren; and niece-in-law, Rita Shogren.

Carol is survived by her sister, Dorothy Shogren, of Lubbock, Texas; nephew Mark Shogren and wife Elaine of Lubbock, Texas; Gwen Shogren of Edmond, Oklahoma; five great nieces and one great nephew.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials to Fellowship Bible Church of Springdale, Arkansas, and Moody Bible Institute of Chicago, Illinois.

A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, November 20, 2024, at 10:00 a.m. at Fellowship Bible Church, 2000 West Emma Avenue, Springdale, Arkansas.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

NOV **20**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Fellowship Bible Church
2000 W. Emma Ave.
Springdale, AR 72762

Tribute Wall

SR

“ *Miss Carol will always have a special place in my heart. She was a prayer warrior.* ”



Suzanna Reed - November 19, 2024 at 06:36 PM

SR

She is wearing her favorite shirt in this picture.

Suzanna Reed - November 19, 2024 at 06:38 PM

DK

“ *I always loved going to Vacation Bible School at Silent Grove to be with them. They touched so many kids with their love and knowledge.* ”

Diana Mustain Krizan - November 19, 2024 at 05:54 PM

WW

*When I think of Miss Carol; Matt. 25:21 comes to mind.
Well done, thou good and faithful servant: thou has been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy Lord.
She lived her life for the Lord and has now been welcomed home to be with our Lord and Savior forever.
Miss Carol along with Miss Jewel taught me my sisters and brothers many Bible lessons at Vacation Bible School at Fishback (our two room schoolhouse) in Springdale, Ar.*

Wanda (Snider) Wooldridge - November 19, 2024 at 11:17 PM

WW

*What a lady! What a life living for the Lord!
Me and my sisters and brothers were taught so many Bible lessons
with Miss Carol and Miss Jewel at Vacation Bible School at Fishback in
Springdale. Good memories!*

Wanda (Snider) Wooldridge - November 19, 2024 at 11:21 PM

BA

*A life well lived for Christ ❤️ So glad to call her a sweet friend who
loved Christ and shown her light all thru her life!💕*

Bryan, Debbie, Annie - November 20, 2024 at 09:17 AM

DC

*I ATTENDED VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL AT PEACEFUL VALLEY
WHEN A TEENAGER. I WAS ONE OF THE THE KIDS IN MY AREA
WHO RODE OUR HORSES TO ATTEND. IT WAS THE HIGHLIGHT
OF THE SUMMER! LATER IN LIFE, WHEN WE WERE WITHOUT A
MINISTER, BOTH MISS CAROL AND MISS JEWELL CAME TO OUR
CHURCH TO TEACH TO ALL AGES. THEY USED A
FLANNELBOARD TO SHOW BEAUTIFUL CHARACTERS IN THE
BIBLE STORIES WHICH MADE THE LESSONS SO MUCH MORE
MEANINGFUL. THERE IS NO TELLING HOW MANY LIVES HAVE
BEEN TOUCHED AND CHANGED BECAUSE OF THEIR
FAITHFULNESS TO THE LORD. THEY WILL ALWAYS BE
REMEMBERED WITH GREAT RESPECT AND CARING TO SO
MANY IN NORTHWEST ARKANSAS.*

*DANELLE BELL CARPENTER (PEACEFUL VALLEY)
JOHNNY CARPENTER (ACCIDENT SCHOOL)*

Danelle Bell Carpenteer - November 22, 2024 at 06:54 AM