



Carol Louise Savakinus

January 11, 1958 - March 29, 2026

Carol Louise Savakinus, 68, passed away peacefully at home on March 29, 2026 after a long battle with cancer. Carol was born to Harold and Ethyl Rustay on January 11, 1958. Carol and her husband, John Savakinus, raised three boys, John, Brian, and Jason, in Wilkes Barre, Pennsylvania. Carol also worked outside the home as a switchboard operator, and later obtained her license in practical nursing.

In 1987, the family left Wilkes Barre for Cape Coral, Florida. There, Carol joined the medical staff of Cape Coral Hospital.

After losing her beloved husband John in 2001 Carol spent many years living with, and close to her sons John and Jason. Tragically, Carol lost both John and Jason in 2015 and 2018 in New Bern, NC. In 2020 Carol was diagnosed with cancer and moved to Fort Myers, Florida to live with her son Brian and his wife .

There, Carol spent her last years enjoying the company of Brian and Sarah, sitting outside in the Florida sun, listening to oldies, and playing cards. She was cared for and loved by Brian and Sarah and their family and friends.

Carol is preceded in death by her mother and father, sister Dottie Serra(Rustay), brother Robert Rustay, her husband John, her sons John and Jason, and her grandson Chasen Savakinus. She is survived by her son Brian, daughter-in-law Sarah (Lawson), her sister Linda Rustay, and grandsons Bryson, Colton, Carson, and Jayden Savakinus.

Tribute Wall

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“ Carol had a special place in my life. I will always treasure the times Carol and I visited on the lanai. When Brian and Sarah were traveling out of town, I would pick up our favorite dinner from Outback, and we would have a visit. Even when she was not feeling well, Carol made an effort to smile and be a good friend. I will miss her and send my hugs and love to her family, especially Sarah and Brian. I like to think that Carol and Sarah's Mom, my sister Margaret, are hugging each other and smiling peacefully in heaven. Much IAunt Patty, Uncle Neil, and Jessi.

Aunt Patty - April 30 at 06:59 PM

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“ I'm very sorry for your loss. I went to high school with Carol. I remember her fondly, as a sweet, quiet, kind girl who had a beautiful smile.

juanita eby kriegler - April 24 at 08:19 AM

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“ Sorry for your loss, but she is pain free now and truly at rest.

Susan Bayak - April 01 at 09:24 AM

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Beautiful ❤️

Pam kuras - April 23 at 07:33 PM