



Carol Gant

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Carol Larson Gant, 83, of Huntersville died January 20, 2025. She was born on December 25, 1941 in Elmhurst, IL to the late Ben and Bernice Larson.

Carol was born in Elmhurst, IL. There she spent her early childhood with her Mother and Father, brother David, and sister Linda. Ice skating and visiting her grandparents at “The Farm” were some of her happiest times. In 1951 her family moved to Winter Park FL. More memories were made sitting in the orchard eating fruit, swimming in Lake Killarney with the alligators, and at age 11 she gave her life to Jesus. In 1954 the family moved to Charlotte, NC where she graduated from Central High School in 1959. After high-school she attended and graduated from Queens College and earned a BS degree and a certification with the American Society of Clinical Pathology which she applied to her work at Memorial Hospital. Soon after, she met and married the love of her life Bob Gant in 1963. Carol worked at Emory University Hospital in pathology while Bob finished up his seminary degree. Carol moved to Santuc, SC when Bob became the full-time minister at Cane Creek Presbyterian Church. In 1974, she moved to Sumter, SC and spent 20 years raising her 3 children. She loved her time in Sumter and was highly involved at the Fraser Memorial Presbyterian Church where Bob was the minister. Carol loved to write and began documenting her child raising experiences in a journal that she named “The Sumter Swamp.” After Sumter, Carol & Bob lived in Greensboro, NC, Rock Hill, SC, and finally Huntersville, NC.

Carol was active in the Christian Women’s Club, Church activities, Habitat for Humanity, and took up Square Dancing with Bob. Carol was a good neighbor. Every where she lived, she made life-long friends. The last few years of Carol’s life were enriched by Wanda Faschino. Carol first met Wanda as a caregiver to Bob in his declining years, but over time Wanda became not just a dear friend, but part of the family.

Carol’s hobbies included spending time in her gardens caring for flowers and tomatoes, photography, genealogy, and journal writing. She self published a book called “The Meeting Place.” which incorporated family history.



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She was preceded in death by her husband Rev. Robert (Bob) Gant, Jr.

Survivors include daughter, Robin Coble and husband John of Huntersville , sons, Stephen and wife Gina of Lethem, Guyana and David Gant and wife Kim of Perkasio, PA; grandchildren, Jack, Ashton, Gabrielle, Kaitlyn, Joey, Jesse, and Kami; and great-grandchild, Lady.

A funeral service will be held at 4 PM Saturday, January 25 at Huntersville A.R.P. Church with visitation 3-4 PM prior. Burial will take place at 3 PM Sunday at Alamance Presbyterian Church in Greensboro.

Memorials can be made to the Huntersville A.R.P. Discipleship ministry, P.O. Box 316 Huntersville, NC 28070 or a mission dear to Carol's heart, her son Stephen's ministry, Legacy Guyana at <https://www.modernday.org/profile/steveandgina-gant/>

James Funeral Home of Huntersville is serving the family.



Events

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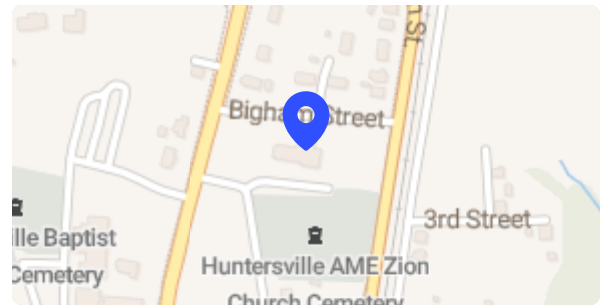
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Visitation

Saturday, January 25, 2025

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM ET

Huntersville A.R.P. Church
200 N. Old Statesville Road , Huntersville NC
28078

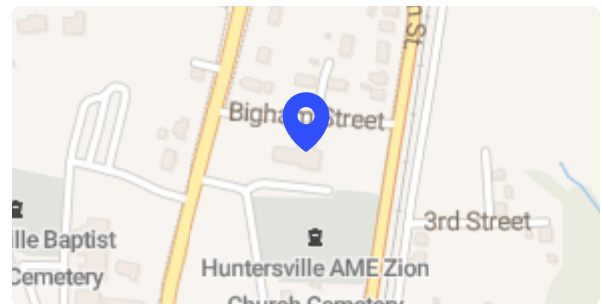


Funeral Service

Saturday, January 25, 2025

4:00 PM ET

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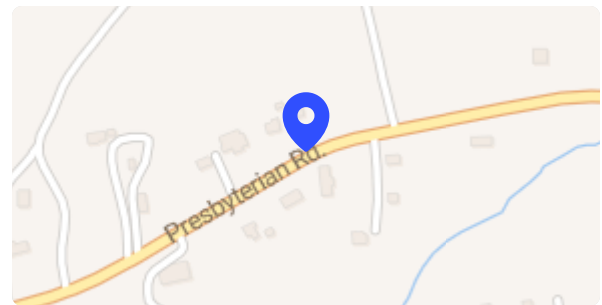


Graveside Service

Sunday, January 26, 2025

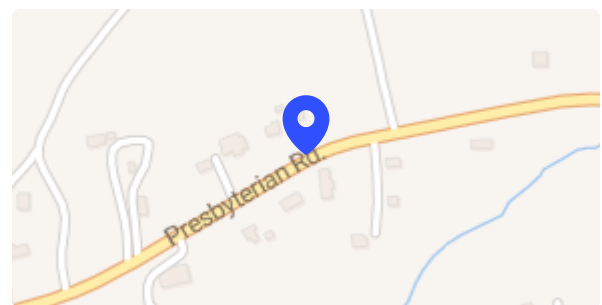
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Alamance Presbyterian Church Cemetery
Presbyterian Road, Greensboro NC



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Allan White posted:

I was so saddened to learn of Carol's passing. I met her at the Laurels where she frequently attended a volunteer program I ran called "Chats with Allan." She always impressed me with her sweet smile and peaceful disposition. When I first met her she said she "was Carol...just like a Christmas Carol." Only later did I learn of her 12/25 birthday. Wishing the entire family peace.

January 24 at 1:35 PM



Robin Coble January 24 at 3:24 PM

Thank you Allan for the memories you shared of my mother. When Carol first arrived at The Laurels you were one of the first "activities" she attended. I was with her that day.



The Hartness Family sent a Beautiful Dreams to the Gant family.



January 24 at 8:01 AM



Pat And Bruce posted:

Robin, Stephen, and David and families, We are so sorry for your loss. We enjoyed having your parents as neighbors. They were wonderful neighbors and always so thoughtful. Asking God to enfold you in his faithful love and comfort you with the cherished memories that you hold dear.

January 23 at 12:07 PM



Robin Coble January 24 at 3:20 PM

Thank you Pat and Bruce. In what city were you neighbors?



Anonymous sent a Your Light Shines to the Gant family.



January 23 at 9:11 AM



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Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Carol.



January 23 at 9:11 AM



Ralph H. Coble posted:

On behalf of the William Henry and Frances Hill Coble family, I want to express our sincere sympathy. Especially to Robin Coble who is the wife of our nephew John Coble and to Jack Coble, their son. Our thoughts and prayers are with you now and the ensuing days ahead. May the Lord give each family member comfort and fortitude. Thanks Robin for everything you did during your mother's declining health and being a wonderful caregiver!

January 23 at 8:31 AM



Robin Coble January 24 at 3:22 PM

Such kind words. Thank you Uncle Ralph.



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Carol by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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