



Carol Ann Stiles

December 18, 1944 - December 9, 2018

STILES: Carol Ann Stiles passed peacefully with family by her side at the age of 73 on Sunday, December 9, 2018 at the Assiniboine Centre. Born in 1944, she grew up in Brandon where she lived with her parents and two younger siblings who were, from time to time joined by various cousins, aunts and uncles. In her late teens, she met her husband of 55 years, John, and the two married in 1963. She had a few jobs in her time but most of her working years were spent at Brandon General Hospital in the Radiology Department. Outside of work, Carol was a dedicated wife and mother. She enjoyed many years of traveling around the area watching her children, nephews, nieces, other family and friends compete in horse shows and rodeos. She was a groomer, chauffeur and one-woman cheering section for all she loved! Through this time, she became involved in the Provincial Exhibition, served many roles over the years and was ultimately appointed as the first female President of the Board in the groups 124 year history. As retirement came, Carol enjoyed more time with her family, golfing, boating at Clear Lake, winters in Arizona and to the surprise of most, took up riding a horse of her own. Carol was strong, determined, clear and kind hearted. She loved children, connected easily, would tell you what she thought you needed to hear and lived life to the fullest. Our individual memories of times with Carol are endless and we are blessed to carry these in our hearts through our lives and to pass down as well. Carol was predeceased by her parents Mike and Margaret, her brother Steve and tragically her son Todd. Left to cherish wonderful memories are her husband John; her daughter Tracie (Stephen); grandchildren Tessa and Brandon; sister Patty; special cousin "Cookie" and extended family and friends through the years – too numerous to mention but not to be forgotten. She also leaves behind her beloved Shih Tzu, Bubba, and horse, Roannie. A Celebration of Carol's Life will be held at the Central United Church, 327-8th Street, on Monday, December 17, 2018 at 1:00 p.m. A private family interment will take place at Rosewood Memorial Gardens. If friends desire, donations in memory of Carol may be made to CancerCare Manitoba, 1160-675 McDermot Avenue, Winnipeg, MB, R3E 0V9.

Events

DEC **Celebration of Life** 01:00PM

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Central United Church

327-8th Street, Brandon, MB, CA

Comments



“ A tribute video has been added.



Brockie Donovan Funeral & Cremation Services - December 19, 2018 at 12:02 PM



“ Dick McCormick and I just heard the sad news about Carl's passing. So very sorry for your loss.
Dick and Jean

Jean Byer - January 02 at 07:45 PM



“ John and family.
I am so sorry to hear of Carol's passing. My sincere sympathy to you all.

Matt McCarty - December 22, 2018 at 01:53 PM



“ John: I have just learned of the passing of your beloved Carol. My most sincere condolences for your loss. I pray time will ease the pain of her passing.
Brian Marshall,
Saanichton, BC

Brian Marshall - December 21, 2018 at 06:54 PM



“ Dear John and Family,
Don and I were so sorry to hear of Carol's illness and passing. As you all know only too well, she was very special. I'm glad to have had some time with you two down in Lake Havasu. I still have the cool golf shoes I bought from Carol...and now they will hold even more significance for me. They didn't help my game...but man, I looked really cool with them on! Love to you!

Deb Nye - December 20, 2018 at 10:07 AM



“ Dear John and Tracie,
We are very sad to hear of Carol's passing. We watched the videos and it brought back great memories. I really enjoyed being on the Provincial Exhibition Board with Carol and was so proud of her to become the First Lady of the Ex!
Carol is an inspiration to us all.

Be well,
Randy and Kim Mowat

Kemnay, Brandon, Calgary.

randy mowat - December 19, 2018 at 11:11 PM



“ Condolences to the Stiles family from Garth and Mary Hurl

Mary Hurl - December 18, 2018 at 11:02 AM



“ Condolences to you John Tracy and the entire Stiles family. I am so sorry to hear of Carol's passing. I will always remember her bright cheerful smile, and never forget her hugs she had for me every time I saw her. She will be missed. Thinking of you all.

Donna McMullan

Donna McMullan - December 17, 2018 at 07:07 PM



“ John and Family,
My heart goes out to you and your family at this very difficult time. Time will heal your broken heart, but you will always cherish your memories of Carol in all the days to come.

Sent with sympathy,
Margret and Ernie Neilson

Margret Neilson - December 17, 2018 at 03:55 PM



“ Dear John and the Stiles family,
I'm so sorry to hear that Carol passed away. She was good fun and I always enjoyed sharing a laugh with her. I send my condolences to you.
Sue Poole

Sue Poole - December 17, 2018 at 03:17 PM



“ My thoughts are full of Carol today. Over the 50 years I have been fortunate to be part of the Stiles family, Carol played a part in many of those visits. Many good memories spending time with her and John at the Lake, Lake Havasu and Arizona City. She will be missed by many. Cherish the memories as we will. Cal & Debbie

Debbie Patterson - December 17, 2018 at 12:14 PM



“ Dear John and family- we are so sad to hear of your loss. We hope Carol did not suffer much as cancer has taken so many we loved and cared for. Take care, Elaine and Cliff.

elaine and cliff baker - December 17, 2018 at 11:22 AM



“ John, Tracie and Family...so sad to hear of Carol's passing. We were glad we had a chance to visit with her in the hospital. She was a remarkable woman who set her sights high. As the first woman president of the Provincial Exhibition she was a trailblazer for things to come. We will miss her..Sincerely Ron and Mona

ron kille - December 16, 2018 at 10:50 PM



“ I met Carol shortly after I moved to Brandon, would have been 1970 and of course it was at a Light Horse Show where I was working the canteen with Myrna Couling. Debbie Grimshaw had asked us to look after the food. It was a beautiful summer day and I remember Carol as being so kind and helpful. Always enjoyed a visit with Carol when we would meet at the Winter Fair. She will be missed by many people in the Brandon Community.
Sincere sympathy to the Stiles family.

Pat Davis (Quintaine)

Pat Davis - December 16, 2018 at 06:29 PM



“ John and family, so very sorry to learn of Carol's passing. Comfort will be found in the many wonderful memories you have.

Sincerely, Linda Lidster

Linda lidster - December 15, 2018 at 12:03 PM



“ For John and Tracie my condolences and my thoughts and prayers are with you at this of great sadness. Carol was always fun at family gatherings.

Ron Chumola

Ron Chumola - December 14, 2018 at 04:53 PM



“ Dear John and family, I was so sorry to hear of your loss. I am glad I had the opportunity to share time with Carol last year. I will always remember her for the warm and wonderful person she was.

Your cousin, Tom Charles

Tom Charles - December 14, 2018 at 11:45 AM



“ Tom and Denise Charles purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Carol Ann Stiles.



Tom and Denise Charles - December 14, 2018 at 11:32 AM



“ I knew Carol from the hospital and from the Provincial Ex. Whether she was working with a patient, a fair or supporting John with the rodeo committee, she was good natured, efficient and cheerful. Seems to me that she enjoyed a party, too. Condolences to John and all the family.

Beth Smale - December 14, 2018 at 09:10 AM



“ I last seen Carol at a meeting we both attended. She was simply doing what Carol always did- paying attention and asking reasoned and pertinent questions. I am so sorry to hear of her passing. She will be missed.

Ken Young

Ken Young - December 14, 2018 at 12:03 AM



“ Dear John, Tracie and family, we send our heartfelt sympathies and love to you in the loss of your beloved wife and mother. We will always carry wonderful memories of time spent together at Clear Lake, riding our horses, sharing laughs and visits in the yard and out in the wilderness on the trail. xxxxxxxoooo
Laurel and Bob Hyde, and our daughters Ali and Stef

Laurel Hyde - December 13, 2018 at 07:53 PM



“ John- We are so sad to read of Carol's passing. She was such a vibrant gal with a huge smile and zest for life. Our condolences to you and your family. Don and Carol Hawking

Don and Carol Hawking - December 13, 2018 at 07:52 PM



“ Erickson Living Regional Team purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Carol Ann Stiles.



Erickson Living Regional Team - December 13, 2018 at 01:57 PM



“ John we are so sorry to hear about the loss off Carol , may memories of days gone by give you comfort . Our sympathy John & Audrey

John & Audrey Ewasiuk - December 13, 2018 at 01:40 PM



“ John and Tracie
I am so sorry to hear about Carol . My thoughts are pray are with you.
Kim Baraniuk

kim - December 13, 2018 at 01:03 PM



“ Dear John and family...
We were so sad to read of Carol's passing. Please know that we will keep you in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.
Ken & Hellen Burnell

Hellen Burnell - December 13, 2018 at 12:16 PM



“ Dear John and Family, I'm so saddened for your loss, please know your in my thoughts and prayers

Shelann Keelan - December 13, 2018 at 11:08 AM



“ John and Tracie,

I was so very shocked to learn of Carol's passing. I have such fond memories of her throughout many years, she was like a second Mom to me. I am so glad I got to see her and visit briefly with you guys a few months ago. Please accept my deepest condolences to you and your family.
With all my love, Pam Robertson (McClure)

Pam Robertson (McClure) - December 12, 2018 at 11:01 PM



“ Dear John and Tracie, We are so sad to hear of Carol's passing. She was a good friend and a support as I (Karen) worked for the Provincial Exhibition. She loved to have fun; we will always remember the jokes we shared and her warm smile. Please accept our sincere sympathy- she was a great woman.
Karen Oliver& Hani Riad

Karen Oliver - December 12, 2018 at 09:18 PM



“ Sorry for your loss our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. Condolences to John, Tracie and the Stiles family.

Elva - December 12, 2018 at 07:21 PM



“ We are so sad to hear of Carol's passing. Memories of her strength and humour are inspirational. Our thoughts and prayers go out to John and Tracie.

Norine & Don Mitchell - December 12, 2018 at 06:49 PM



“ So sorry to read of Carol's passing! I have many great memories of Carol coming to help me at Sweet Temptations Bakery! She did it just to help out and have some fun she'd say. We all enjoyed chatting with her while we got the baking done. I will miss her fabulous smile! Sharon Alexander (owner of Sweet Temptations Bakery)

Sharon Alexander - December 12, 2018 at 06:43 PM



“ John and family
So sorry to hear of Carols passing. I enjoyed our visits, she had a great sense of humour.
My prayers and thoughts are with you all

Lorraine Baraniuk-Lenton - December 12, 2018 at 05:39 PM



“ My deepest condolences John, Tracie and entire Stiles familyalways enjoyed my visits with Carol over the years , she was a kind and wonderful soul with a great sense of humourshe will be missed very much

mary lou klassen - December 12, 2018 at 03:56 PM



“ So sorry to hear about Carol. My thoughts are with you . Bev Schott

Bev Smart - December 12, 2018 at 02:10 PM



“ John and Tracie,

I am very sorry for your loss. May fond memories of Carol bring you comfort during this difficult time.

My condolences.

Will Myers - December 12, 2018 at 01:49 PM



“ Joanne Bettano, Judy Bettano, Gabby and Ben purchased the A Full Life for the family of Carol Ann Stiles.



Joanne Bettano, Judy Bettano, Gabby and Ben - December 12, 2018 at 12:35 PM



“ John and Tracy,
Ron and I were so sorry to hear about Carol's passing .

Lorette Benson - December 12, 2018 at 12:03 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Carol Ann Stiles.



December 12, 2018 at 11:54 AM



“ John and family :
Please accept our heartfelt condolences on your loss of Carol .We won't be home in time for her service but we will be with you in heart and soul .
Larry and Suzanne Clark

Larry and Suzanne Clark - December 12, 2018 at 11:38 AM



“ John & Family

Our Thoughts & prayers are with you at this time. Carol was a wonderful lady to know & will be missed dearly.

Sending Sincere Condolences

Paul & Gayl Crane

Gayl Crane - December 12, 2018 at 11:34 AM



“ Dear John. We are so saddened to hear of Carol's passing. She was such a beautiful and vibrant person. We always enjoyed chatting with her, as she was always so upbeat and happy and always so interested in hearing our news. We hope it helps to know that others are thinking of you at this terribly sad time. Take care.....

Sincerely

Deb Long and Mel Clark

Deb Long - December 12, 2018 at 10:47 AM



“ So sorry for your loss John & Tracy, Darlene and I are sending you prayers and love.

Len & Darlene Skinner

Len Skinner - December 12, 2018 at 10:37 AM



“ Sending my deepest sympathy John, Tracie and all of the Stiles families . . . Carol was always a gem, always so kind with her spark of humor added in! She will surely be missed. . . I'm so very sorry for your loss.

Shelley Livingstone

Shelley Livingstone - December 12, 2018 at 09:49 AM



“ Tracie and John ... I have fond memories of Carol over the years, first from the laundry department at BRHC where she kept the conversation lively and lots of fun was had! Later, Tracie, you were one of my very first students at Oxford, and I soon met your mom and dad at interview time! Many a visit was had on the street, in Diagnostic Imaging, or wherever our paths crossed. Cherish her smiles and the love she had for others! Take care. Lori (Robinson) Denbow



“ So sorry for your loss John, Tracie and Family. I always had great chats with Carol and John when I saw them in passing. She will be missed. Tina Stanley (Davies)

Tina Stanley - December 11, 2018 at 06:08 PM



“ So very sorry to hear of Carols passing. We will always remember the good times we had in Lake Havasu for many years. She will surely be missed by many friends and family. Brian vividly remembers when he and Carol were Johns assistants in tiling Heather and Hugh's house in the Su, and had many moments of laughter, along with their hard work.
Sincerely Brian and Irene.

irene - December 11, 2018 at 01:46 PM



“ My thoughts are with the Stiles family at this sad time

Olive Robertson - December 12, 2018 at 05:00 PM



“ John, Tracie so very sad to hear of Carol's passing. She was an awesome person and will be missed by many. So many wonderful memories of her during our days volunteering at winter fair. Thoughts and prayers with you at this time

janice walker - December 12, 2018 at 07:38 PM



“ To John and the Stiles family may we offer our condolences as we take in the news about Carol's passing. Terry and Dorothy Brown

Terry and Dorothy Brown - December 12, 2018 at 08:47 PM



“ John Tracy and all the Stiles Families, Barb and I send our sincere sympathy. On behalf of the Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba as well, please know that there are many many people thinking of you and sending their strength your way. Cherish the memories and let them ease your pain. Ron Kristjansson

ron f KRISTJANSSON - December 12, 2018 at 09:52 PM



“ So very sorry for your loss John, Tracie and Family. I have many fond memories of Mrs. Stiles while growing up with Tracie. My thoughts and prayers to you all.

Chantal Paddock (Lorenowicz)

chantal paddock - December 13, 2018 at 10:39 AM