



Carolyn Brown

February 1, 1950 - September 1, 2014

Carolyn Moore Brown, 64, of Athens, Georgia died on Monday, September 1, 2014 at Athens Regional Hospital. Carolyn was born at Charity Hospital in New Orleans, LA on February 1, 1950. She was the daughter of the late Dr. Stewart D. Brown Jr. and Mrs. Roberta M. Brown of Royston, Georgia. Carolyn was afflicted with Cerebral Palsy. Carolyn had a severe disorder, but she was quite astute and aware. She was able to use her intelligence to help with technology in communicating with an augmentative communication board. She was able to tour the state of Georgia demonstrating her communication and cognitive skills and she was an integral part in helping doctors prove that people with Cerebral Palsy do have cognitive abilities.

Carolyn is survived by her siblings, Barbara Brown Whitney of Clemson, SC, Stewart D. Brown III and Katie P. Brown of Gainesville, GA, Dr. Robert M. Brown and Debbie B. Brown of Moultrie, GA, Tyrus C. Brown and Myra O. Brown of Gainesville, GA, Sandra Brown Ward and Dr. Tim Ward of Thomasville, GA as well as 12 nieces and nephews. Her dear friend and personal caregiver of twelve years Ms. Judy Barksdale of Athens, GA also survive Carolyn. Carolyn was predeceased by her parents, a nephew, and brother in law, Dr. David F. Daniel.

Carolyn's life was made easier and most certainly improved thanks to the care she was given by the wonderful people at Gracewood State School and Hospital, Georgia Options, and especially Ms. Judy Barksdale. The family extends their gratitude and appreciation to everyone who contributed to the care of Carolyn. Friends of Carolyn are received at the home of Ms. Judy Barksdale, 2032 Allen Drive, Athens.

Memorial service for Miss Brown will be held at 2:00 PM Sunday, September 7, 2014 at the Pruitt Funeral Home chapel with Mr. Stewart W Caldwell and Rev. James Bocian officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to the non-profit organization dedicated to serving people with disabilities:

Georgia Options, Inc.
160 Ben Burton Rd.

Bogart, GA 30622

(706) 546-0009

Pruitt Funeral Home in Royston, GA is in charge of arrangements.

Comments



“ Dear Tyrus & Myra,
We were so sorry to hear the news that dear sweet Carolyn has passed away this week. Please accept our deepest sympathies for you and your family. We are praying to help you cope with this difficult time. Be strong and keep dear to your hearts all of those good memories of Carolyn and the unconditional love that bound you all together.
I will never forget Carolyn and that beautiful smile she had. She is now in the presence of our Savior singing and rejoicing with the angels.

Love Dianne & Tim

Dianne Russell - September 10, 2015 at 08:39 AM



“ I attended Royston Elementary, in the same grade as Stewart. Your Dad, Dr. Brown, Jr., removed my tonsils way back when. Because I always had the sore throat, I easily remember his clinic and the playroom/waiting room for kids and the separate entrance/waiting room for black folk. Guess that tells you *my age*. My husband and I offer your family our condolences and sympathy in the passing of your beloved sister. May God provide comfort and peace to you and yours during this time of sadness. Teresa (Bennett) and Mike Shirley

Teresa Shirley - September 10, 2015 at 08:39 AM



“ Please remember we're thinking of you. Mrs. Roberta and Dr. Brown were always so nice to Sammy as he ran his Small Engine Shop nearby, and we will always appreciate all of you for this. We're sorry about Carolyn. With Sympathy, Gail & Sammy Johnson

Gail and Sammy Johnson - September 10, 2015 at 08:39 AM



“ Barbara, I am so sorry to hear of Carolyn's passing. I only heard today. My prayers and condolences to you and all your family.

Jackie Whiten - September 10, 2015 at 08:39 AM