



Carol Ann Waligorski

August 20, 1940 - September 17, 2025

Carol Ann Waligorski, age 85 of Sherrard, WV passed away Wednesday September 17, 2025, at Peterson Rehabilitation Center.

She was born August 20, 1940, in Wheeling, WV daughter of the late Harry and Stella Rushinski Porter.

She was retired from West Point Products in the collections department; a member of Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church, Mozart, WV; enjoyed woodworking, fishing, and feeding the birds.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband Joe Waligorski, and brother Bill Porter.

Survivors include; daughter Carrie (Eric) Kreitzer of Sherrard, WV; 2 grandchildren; Kelsey Kreitzer of Sherrard, WV, and her twin brother Tyler (Lexie) Kreitzer of Moundsville, WV; brother Gary (Beckie) Porter of Allentown, PA; niece Michelle (James) Green; and nephew, Michael (Liliana) Porter.

Family will receive friends on Saturday October 4, 2025 from 10:00am until time of memorial service at 12:00pm at Grisell Funeral Home and Crematory 1 Ridgecrest Rd. Wheeling/Bethlehem, WV.

Private interment at the convenience of the family.

Memorial Contributions can be made to Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church Ladies Circle, 2 Richmond Ave, Wheeling, WV 26003.

Sympathy expressions at grisellfuneralhomes.com

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 4. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory- Wheeling/Bethlehem
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Tribute Wall



“ *Grisell Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Carol Ann Waligorski*



Grisell Funeral Homes - September 19, 2025 at 04:22 PM

BB

I worked with Joe, I thought he was a very special person. It was good to see the special person he spent his life with. Thank you for the memorial of Carol. Joe married her, she had to be a very special person.

Bill Booher - December 25, 2025 at 01:19 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Carol Ann Waligorski.

October 01, 2025 at 04:19 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Carol Ann Waligorski.*



October 01, 2025 at 04:19 PM

BL

“ CARRIE I am also so sorry for your loss. I would like to share the following: Carol and I became friends when she transferred to Clay school. We were on the girl's basketball team. We played each other not other school and noon dancing after lunch. Also carried thru to Wheeling High. She worked at Kauffman's Bridle shop, I worked at Mccory's--sometimes we walked to work after school om Mondays. She found me a beautiful blue/white gown to wear to a formal. She had the store hold it for me until I could pay for it and back then the store gave you a pair of free shoes--heels. During our school years, I had a car available, Your Mom, Susie Volen and I would drive to Ohio pick up Shirley, another friend then went to the lake to swim many Saturdays in the summer. After graduation, we 4 girls had dates, many fun parties, Christmas, HALLOWEEN dress up. then--- We all went our separate ways--I spent many times at Carols home and loved her mother--sorry I was living in Florida when she passed. I did spend some hours with Carol meeting her in the hospital when she took Joe to the hospital, my husband Paul Fisher was there same time and he did survive Moved to North Carolina ,Florida(20 years) and came back to Wheeling 7 years ago with my new Husband, classmate Charlie Lohr---. You mother was a wonderful, thoughtful friend !!!

Barbara (JASKO-Fisher) LOHR - September 29, 2025 at 11:55 AM

YK

“ Your cousin Kerri purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Carol Ann Waligorski.



Your cousin Kerri - September 21, 2025 at 02:23 PM



“ Carol was my "other Mother" growing up. I could fill pages and pages with memories! My brother, Eric, had been cutting her grass, came home, got me, and took me to meet Carrie. We were about 3 and 4 years old. Who knew it would be the beginning of a lifelong, best of friendship, but it has been. Carol included me in so many family things. She took me and Carrie to drive in movies like Benji when it first came out. She took us square dancing, a Johny Cash concert, camping, and so much more! Carol was a go get 'er. She was one of my first great examples that if you want something done, you CAN figure it out, and you can do it yourself! I could go on and on. I'll just say that I am so thankful that Mom and I got to see her and Carrie the last time we were in Wheeling. We shared memories, laughs, and many smiles and hugs. Carol, you will definitely be missed by so many! I love you!

Julie Vandyne-Bondurant - September 20, 2025 at 11:08 AM

MV

“ I remember going to the Outer Banks with Carol and Joe and sometimes our granddaughter Crystal. Joe taught me how to bait my hook and how to cast. Surprisingly I caught a fish or two. I was hooked! So glad I got to spend some time with her the last time I was in town. She will be missed. Mary VanDyne

Mary VanDyne - September 20, 2025 at 09:22 AM

DG

“ I will never forget Carol .We hit it off the first day I met her ,I will miss her I pray for strength for the family .



Dawn Gunto - September 19, 2025 at 10:11 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Carol Ann Waligorski.*



September 19, 2025 at 07:22 PM



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“ 122 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Grisell Funeral Homes - September 19, 2025 at 04:18 PM

MD

“ Carrie, EB and family, I will always remember Carol and how much she loved my nephew Levi and her godchild, my niece Paige. Her and a Joe helped Levi catch his first little sunfish at Seneca Lake. She was so proud to hold Paige at church. Then she beamed with the twins! No doubt she will be missed. Lots of special memories for everyone. Prayers for all of you at this difficult time. Love, Melanie Donofe

Melanie Donofe - September 19, 2025 at 01:38 PM

DB

Carrie I am so sorry for loss I will keep you and your family in my thoughts and prayers I would like to attend the memorial but I am having health issues I am on continuously care until October 21

Dale beaver - September 24, 2025 at 04:32 PM

SU

“ Carrie I am so sorry for your loss.

sue - September 19, 2025 at 12:19 PM