



Carolyn M. Tator

April 18, 1928 - May 17, 2015

Carolyn M. Tator, age 87 of Highland, IL, died Sunday, May 17, 2015, at Saint Luke's Hospital-West in Chesterfield, MO.

She was born April 18, 1928, in Pana, IL, the daughter of Oscar H. and Marie A. (nee Siegert) Maisch.

On June 16, 1951, she married Donald W. Tator who passed away on October 17, 2000.

She was a member of Evangelical United Church of Christ. She was also a member of Highland Country Club; Highland Garden Club; Highland Women's Club; Women's Guild of the Church; Elmhurst College Alumni Association; St. Joseph Hospital Aux.; Highland Country Club Women's Golf League; Special Olympics Committee in Highland.

Mrs. Tator was born in Pana, IL and graduated from Pana High School in 1946. After attending Elmhurst College, with a degree as a Medical Technologist, she worked at Allen Medical Labs in St. Louis, MO. She moved to Connecticut in 1978 and then made Highland their home in 1991. She and her husband enjoyed traveling; taking trips to New England, California, and Bermuda. She was an avid golfer and belonged to the Highland Country Club Golf League. She also delivered meals for Meals on Wheels. She enjoyed the

company of others and helping those in need and was always very proud of her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren.

Survivors include :

Daughter - Janet L. "Jan" (Wes) Wathey, South Huntington, NY

Daughter - Nancy M. Baker, Saint Charles, MO

Grandchild - Gary J. (Sarah) Baker, St. Charles, MO

Grandchild - Stephanie M. (John) Simpson, Webster Groves, MO

Grandchild - Christopher W. "Chris" (Caroline) Wathey, South Huntington, NY

Grandchild - Kimberly L. (Fiance Douglas Camberis) Wathey, Brooklyn, NY

Great Grandchild - John L. "Jack" Baker, St. Charles, MO

Great Grandchild - Charlie L. Baker, St. Charles, MO

Great Grandchild - Abigail G. "Abbey" Baker, St. Charles, MO

Great Grandchild - Addison M. Simpson, Webster Groves, MO

Brother - Weldon F. (Sue) Maisch, Louisville, KY

She was preceded in death by :

Father - Oscar Herman Maisch

Mother - Marie Auguste Maisch, nee Siegert

Husband - Donald W. Tator (Died 10/17/2000)

Brother - Rev. Robert S. Maisch

Arrangements are being handled by Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, Illinois.

Visitation will be held from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Thursday, May 21, 2015, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL, and from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM, on Friday, May 22, 2015, at the Evangelical United Church of Christ in Highland.

Funeral service will be at 11:00 AM on Friday, May 22, 2015, at Evangelical

United Church of Christ in Highland, IL, with Rev. Christopher W. Hill officiating.

Interment will be at Mound Cemetery in Pana, IL at a later date.

Memorial contributions may be made to Evangelical United Church of Christ.

Tribute Wall

LB

“ Love, Liz and Rich Brazzano purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Carolyn M. Tator.



Love, Liz and Rich Brazzano - May 21, 2015 at 03:29 PM

SA

“ Dear Nancy and family, We were so sorry to hear of the loss of you Mother. I know how close that you were. Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers.
Gary and Sharon Andrews

Sharon Andrews - May 21, 2015 at 03:19 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Carolyn M. Tator.



May 21, 2015 at 10:41 AM

KS

“ Kevin and Debbie Schallenberg purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Carolyn M. Tator.



Kevin and Debbie Schallenberg - May 21, 2015 at 10:22 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Carolyn M. Tator.*



May 20, 2015 at 03:16 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Carolyn M. Tator.*



May 20, 2015 at 01:19 PM



“ *What a wonderful lady! She was absolutely great to play golf with because could you relax and enjoy the game with Carolyn in your group. Carolyn and that glorious smile of hers will be missed.*

Brenda Ford

Brenda Ford - May 20, 2015 at 01:09 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Carolyn M. Tator.*



May 20, 2015 at 11:55 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Carolyn M. Tator.*



May 20, 2015 at 11:46 AM



“ *LUKE, WENDY, & ROD, STEPH & CHRIS AUSTIN, COURTNEY & FAMILY purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Carolyn M. Tator.*



LUKE, WENDY, & ROD, STEPH & CHRIS AUSTIN, COURTNEY & FAMILY - May 19, 2015 at 10:43 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Carolyn M. Tator.*



May 19, 2015 at 07:06 PM

PM

“ I was so saddened to hear of Carolyn's passing. She was a good friend and would do anything for anyone!! I met Carolyn at the Highland Country Club and was on many different committees with her there. She loved playing golf on Wednesday mornings.

We formed a group of women to meet once a month to celebrate our birthdays from that Wednesday morning golf group.....Carolyn never missed one of them!! Well, we were all to meet yesterday evening just because we all enjoy having our monthly meeting even though there were no birthdays this month. We went knowing that is what Carolyn would have wanted us to do. We had that celebration.....and celebrated Carolyn!! She was a class act!! And we will miss her dearly!!

Pam Morgan

Pam Morgan - May 19, 2015 at 04:11 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Carolyn M. Tator.



May 19, 2015 at 03:57 PM

MB

“ Carolyn was my friend. She was a sweetheart and always had a smile on her face and a laugh to share and always asked people how they were. I am going to miss her and her wonderful smile. she was a treasure and a wonderful friend.



Mary Beth Broughton - May 19, 2015 at 12:01 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Carolyn M. Tator.*



May 19, 2015 at 10:30 AM



“ *So sorry to hear about Carolyn. We became friends through the Highland Garden Club. Also saw her at Hospital Auxiliary meetings and Meals on Wheels. Wherever I saw her, she always greeted me with that beautiful smile and a cheerful hello. She was a wonderful, caring person and will be missed.*

Marylin McDevitt - May 19, 2015 at 07:19 AM



“ *PRAYERS ARE BEING SAID FOR CAROLYN`S FAMILY. SHE WILL BE MISSED BY MANY. WE WERE WITH HER ALMOST EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT GOING OUT TO EAT AND JUST SOCIALIZING....A VERY TRUE WOMEN`S GUILD MEMBER ALSO. SO ENJOYABLE TO BE AROUND.
DALE & RITA RINDERER*

RITA RINDERER - May 18, 2015 at 07:46 PM



“ *I knew Carolyn thru church. She was always a friend to everyone and always had a smile on her face. The community of Highland will miss her very much for all her volunteering and friendship. RIP Carolyn*

Pam Ulrich Lecerf

Pam Ulrich Lecerf - May 18, 2015 at 06:36 PM

GK

Carolyn was a special person and a great friend. We played golf together, had dinner on Friday nights and breakfast together after church on Sun. She will be missed by so many people. Her family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Gloria Klaus

Gloria Klaus - May 20, 2015 at 03:56 PM