



Brenda Carter

July 24, 1947 - April 21, 2025

Brenda Carter, 77, of McDonough, Georgia, passed away peacefully at home on April 21, 2025.

Affectionately known as “Mamaw”, she brought joy, laughter and unconditional love to everyone lucky enough to know her. She found her greatest happiness with her grandchildren at the beach, Jimmy Buffet playing in the background, and a smile on her face. A devoted lover of Bob Seger, The Eagles, reading, peace signs, and all things “moose”, she had a one-of-a-kind spirit that was equal parts fun, sassy and kind.

Her generosity knew no bounds – whether it was shopping to donate to seniors and children at Christmas or simply being the listening ear someone needed. She was the queen of witty sarcasm, fueled by Werther’s hard candies, A&W root beer, and a well-timed “It is what it is”. You always knew she would get the last word in, and she probably told you she was cold while doing it.

She was preceded in death by her beloved husband, T.J. McKissic; her mother Rachel Chastain Baker; her father Leon Johnson Carter, Sr.; and her brother, Leon Johnson Carter Jr.

Brenda is lovingly remembered by her children: Kimberlee Tolbert of

Jonesboro, Susan (Steve) Roberson of McDonough, and Tommy (Norah) McKissic of Hiram. She is also survived by her sister-in-law Pat McKissic and sister-in-law Lynda Carter, her cherished grandchildren: Kaitlyn Thacker, Kristyn (Josh) Wing, Kameron Thacker, Spencer Roberson, and Landyn Roberson; and her great-grandson, Fischer Wing. She also leaves behind many aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, and nephews.

She reminded everyone she loved them more, and she truly did. In honor of her memory, she wouldn't want tears – she'd want you to go have a drink, laugh a little louder, and remember the good times. That's how she lived, and that's how she'd want to be celebrated.

At this time, no formal services are planned – as she used to say, "I'll be right back".

Tribute Wall

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“ LOTS of memories going thru my head. Working with Brenda for 11 years.....was a trip. A whole lot of laughter and good times. My most favorite memory was when Brenda and TJ helped me move a sofa to my apartment. TJ killed a shrub as he fell on it then Brenda went down after that. We were all laughing so hard, I fell down and we all just sat in the grass and laughed it all out. Fun times. Susan and Kimberly, may you find peace in our Lord Jesus. Please know the Klett family will say a prayer for you to get thru this season.



Karen Klett - April 23, 2025 at 07:09 PM

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“ Jim and Berthene, Krista and Carey purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Brenda Carter.



Jim and Berthene, Krista and Carey - April 22, 2025 at 02:26 PM