



## Carolyn Y. Lewis

July 22, 2019

LEWIS, Carolyn Y., age 69 of Westwood, NJ passed away on Monday, July 22, 2019.

Beloved wife (for 43 years) of Fred. Cherished mother of William and Elizabeth (Willie). Devoted grandmother of Jaeden, Zaira, Trinity and Keilani. Loving and very close sister of her 11 brothers and sisters: Robie (Lena), Lynwood (Lynn), Nina (Femi), Jerry, Candy, Dwight (Jean), Johnnie, Josephine (Donald), Dalephine, Sheila and Bryan.

Carolyn was born in Durham, NC and moved north to Englewood, NJ to attend High School. She eventually went to Morningside College in Sioux City, IA. She was a Lab Technician, for over 30 years, for Lever Brothers in Edgewater, NJ.

Carolyn was a very social person who made friends wherever she went. It was sometimes hard for her to say "goodbye" to her friends, and she would love to talk ... and talk ... and talk; she knew no strangers. Additionally, she was extremely caring. Every year she would shop for under-privileged families so that they would have a better Christmas. Being very family oriented, she would plan the family reunions every year ... along with Thanksgiving or Christmas with the family in North Carolina. She also planned trips to Las Vegas every year with her beloved sisters, along with trips to Fred's brother's

house in Florida ... to see Charlie and Mary Lewis as well as Grace and Sarah Lewis. She will be deeply missed by all those who knew her and loved her kind spirit.

Friends and family are invited for visitation this Friday from 2-4PM and 7-9PM at Volk Leber Funeral Home, 789 Teaneck Road, Teaneck, NJ. A funeral service will be held this Saturday at 10:30AM at Grace Lutheran Church, 1200 River Road, Teaneck.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL **26.** 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Teaneck  
789 Teaneck Road  
Teaneck, NJ 07666  
(201) 836-0202  
info@volkleber.com  
<https://www.volkleber.com>

## Visitation

JUL **26.** 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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789 Teaneck Road  
Teaneck, NJ 07666  
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## Service

JUL **27.** 10:30 AM (ET)

Grace Lutheran Church  
1200 River Road  
Teaneck, NJ

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JUL 27. 12:00 PM (ET)

Vitale's Restaurant & Caterers  
293 Queen Anne Road  
Teaneck, NJ 07666  
(201) 836-1195  
<https://www.vitales.com/>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Volk Leber Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Carolyn Y. Lewis*



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**Volk Leber Funeral Home** - July 25, 2019 at 12:07 PM



“ *Carolyn Y. Lewis*

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October 08, 2023 at 09:59 PM



“ *Carolyn Y. Lewis*

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October 08, 2023 at 06:27 PM



“ *Carolyn Y. Lewis*

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August 30, 2022 at 02:48 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Missy Elfers** - July 27, 2019 at 09:08 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Carolyn Y. Lewis.*



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July 26, 2019 at 09:22 PM



“ *KEITH FRANCIS purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Carolyn Y. Lewis.*



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**KEITH FRANCIS** - July 26, 2019 at 06:54 PM



“ *Kisha Williams purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Carolyn Y. Lewis.*



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**Kisha Williams** - July 26, 2019 at 03:15 PM



“ *Kisha sent a virtual gift in memory of Carolyn Y. Lewis*



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**kisha** - July 26, 2019 at 02:43 PM

MM

“ Dear Family of Carolyn Lewis:  
My deepest and sincere sympathy on the passing of Carolyn. She and I bowled in the same league for over 30 years. She was fun and one of the kindest persons I have ever known. She was proud of her family, loyal to her friends, and generous to those less fortunate. I am so sorry for your loss.

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**Marion Mueller** - July 25, 2019 at 10:08 PM

MM

“ My deepest sympathy on the loss of Carolyn. We bowled in the same league for more than 30 years and she truly was one of the kindest persons I'd ever known. Carolyn was quick to lend a hand to anyone who asked, charitable to those less fortunate and devoted to her family. I was fortunate to know her and call her friend. May she enjoy everlasting peace. Marion Mueller

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**Marion Mueller** - July 25, 2019 at 05:51 PM

RA

“ 1 file added to the album *LifeTributes*



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**Rich Abrahams** - July 25, 2019 at 05:48 PM

MD

“ *My deepest sympathy. Ms. Shawlin Dunn purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Carolyn Y. Lewis.*



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**My deepest sympathy. Ms. Shawlin Dunn** - July 25, 2019 at 04:29 PM



“ *103 files added to the album LifeTributes*



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**Volk Leber Funeral Home** - July 25, 2019 at 12:05 PM

BR

“ *Barbara(Mom) and Ralph Ruggiero purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Carolyn Y. Lewis.*



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**Barbara(Mom) and Ralph Ruggiero** - July 25, 2019 at 11:24 AM

KA

“ Carolyn made being in any situation light and fun. Her humor and personality lightened the most uncomfortable situations. She was a generous individual and I know her family will miss her enormously. I pray for their hearts to be healed and the memories last forever.



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**keesher A.** - July 25, 2019 at 09:32 AM

ME

“ Dear Fred, Elizabeth, William and family, There are no words to express our sympathies. Carolyn was a force that was bigger than life in everything that she did. She was a cherished colleague, mentor and sister for my 21 years at Lever, and beyond. Her selfless generosity was boundless. Her incredible strength and persistence were only outmatched by her huge heart. I will miss her terribly. xxx Melissa Elfers

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**Melissa Elfers** - July 25, 2019 at 07:58 AM

GB

“ Dear Fred and Family  
Hearing such sad news was such a shocker. Such a vital, fun loving and caring individual should not have passed so soon.  
So many frond memories .  
May she rest in peace  
Gail and Lynne

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**Gail Button** - July 24, 2019 at 05:19 PM

BH

“ We would always look forward to Carolyn visiting us at Santander Bank and sitting and talking and bringing in the Easter and Halloween candy bags she made up for each of us every year. We were sad to hear she was ill, hopeful that she was getting better and now very sorry to hear of her passing. Our sincere condolences to Fred and the family.

*Barbara, Sue Ella, Christian and Gus @ Santander Bank*

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**BARBARA HAAS** - July 24, 2019 at 03:10 PM

ND

“ Oh my, our dear Carolyn. I haven't seen her since we closed the Unilever site in Edgewater, but remembering her and her light hearted, good nature makes me smile. She was special, a larger than life, warm personality who brightened all of our work days. I suspect her loss leaves a giant hole in the lives of Fred and the kids and all of those who loved her.

*Rest in peace, Carolyn  
Nancy Clopton Diaz*

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**Nancy Clopton Diaz** - July 24, 2019 at 02:52 PM

MC

“ On behalf of The Thursday Night Bowling league,  
I want to extend our sincere condolences to Fred and the whole Lewis family..  
On a lighter note "Carolyn" never missed a ten pin!!!



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**Marcy Criscione** - July 23, 2019 at 01:24 PM

MC

“ *Dear Fred and family,  
There are too many memories and  
stories..Carolyn was my friend through  
bowling, an occasional phone call, e-mail but  
most of all we had great times at the bowling  
alley!!! We shared many a laugh together..  
Till we meet again..  
Marcy & Vito Criscione*



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**Marcy Criscione** - July 23, 2019 at 01:10 PM