

Carmel O'Halloran

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So sorry to hear!! Sending you lots of love ❤■

- Aubrey Jenson

I’m so so sorry! She was the best ■

- Shantel Reitz

My condolences to the family.

- Pearl Tanielu Solo Masuisui

What a remarkable woman! She will be missed.

- Emily Rosten

So sorry for your loss. My thoughts are with you and your family.

- Bobbie Morgan

Awww my heart goes out to you during this difficult time.

- Cathi Hughes

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- Ang McConkey

Sending love and prayers for all of you.❤■

- Heidi Dow

I’m so sorry for your loss of your sweet mom Frieda ❤

- MaryAnn Howell Dean

An amazing Granny❤ we love your family!

- McCall Pierson

May you feel peace and comfort!■

- Julie Lambert

Oh Frieda. (HUGS) We are so very sorry for the loss of your mom. ■■

- Tracy Farley

So sorry to hear! She was a great lady!

- Chari Dickison

Oh Cailin…I’m so sorry! The love you two had for each other was always such an inspiration to me! Love to you, friend!

- Erin Cowley Mendenhall

Sending love and strength in this difficult time. And condolences. God bless you all.

- Scott Louis Briggs

Such a beautiful legacy and an amazing mother. Sending our condolences and love.❤■❤■

- Susan Hokanson Mecham

My heart is broken for you and your girls Cailin. She is such an incredible woman! So so sorry for this loss.

- Brooke Mullin Pohlman

Sending all the love and hugs, may you always be surrounded by those that love her to keep her memory alive.

- Charlie Darwin

Oh I’m so sorry ! She was always so kind to us. Hugs and prayers for all of your family.

- Pam Jensen

We are sorry for your loss. May God bless you and carry you through this difficult time.

- Dave & Sherrie Hoffman

I’m so sorry Frieda. Losing your mom is such a hard thing. You and your family will be in my prayers.■❤

- Kathy Berlin

We are so sorry to hear of the passing of your Mom. Sending our love to you, Scott and your family. ■

- Sandra Cook

So very sorry for your loss! ■■

- Blanca Farfan Wight

I'm so sorry you're going through this heartache. Sending love and peace to all of you. ❤

- Rosie Cressall

Sorry to hear about your mom. ❤

- Carol Bonner

I loved Carmel, had several conversations with her about Ireland. I admired her class and style. I also love how tidy her yard is. I am sincerely sorry for your loss.

- Tammy Nelson

Cailin I am so sorry for you. I remember how close you and your mom were. It breaks your heart and I am so sorry for the sorrow you are experiencing. Sending love

- Kirsti Boyum

I’m so sorry for your loss. Sounds like she was such an integral part of your life. I will keep you and your family in our prayers for comfort.

- Katie Carlson Robertson

I am so sorry for your loss. I remember what a sweet lady she was, still remember the cruise we all took.

- Joan Chitwood

I’m so sorry for your loss. Sending you love and condolences■

- Elisha Mitchell Chan

Please accept my condolences at the passing of your mom. I’ll be praying for comfort for you and your family

- Andrea Barlow Rounds

Thinking of you at this time. So grateful that families are forever ❤❤

- Leslie Carr

I am so sorry■ I always enjoyed chatting with your mom.

- Jenn Doughty Talbot

I’m so sorry Frieda! My heart aches for you. ((Hugs))

- Lori Michaelsen Harmon

May Heavenly Father’s blessings be with you at this hard time

- Shawna Davis Funk

Sending hugs and prayers to your family❤

- Cecilia Berry Armstrong

I'm so sorry to hear this, sending love your way ❤

- Tanisha Rene Hayes

How I loved her and all of her family. Please know we are thinking of you all at this difficult time!

- Debbie Murdock

Sorry for your loss.

- Marianne Steele Harrington

So sorry Frieda!

- Megan Peck Butler

I’m so sorry. Sending hugs to you and your family ❤

- Beverly Shedden

I'm so sorry

- Amy McOmie Nordgren

Oh Cailin. I'm so very sorry for your loss.

- Debbie Kim-Caro

Oh Frieda I’m so so sorry ! I can’t imagine how you’re feeling losing your sweet momma! This pic is so sweet . Sending hugs love and prayers to you and the family!■■■■

- Misty Mecham

Oh Frieda, I am so sorry. What a sweet, classy woman. You and the girls are all in my prayers.

- Krista Mecham

So sorry for your loss! Mom's are so special! It's hard to have them go no matter what! ❤ Prayers to you!

- Lisa Mayfield Dunton

Caramel was the best visiting teacher I've ever had. She was always so sweet and loved Connor's name because it was Irish. I loved her so much and missed seeing her over the years.

- Shayla Nieves Christofferson

Sorry for your loss Frieda.

- Billie Jo Nelson Gray

So sorry to hear of her passing. Prayers for all of you.

- Ranae Christensen-Thornton

So sorry. God bless your family ■

- Denny Stewart

Cailin! I’m heartbroken ■■ I’m so very sorry for this incredible loss.

- Kim Fallgatter

Comfort and love prayers to you and your family❤

- Wendy Holland Job

I'm so sorry to hear about this. You all are in my thoughts and prayers!

- Kim Shedden Noel

Sending you all peace❤

- Cari Bobo

■■■ Sending my love!

- Lori Christiansen McBride

Sorry for your loss

- Owen Westover

What an amazing woman. Love you, Ash. Sending love to you and your family.

- Dalisa Villalobos

I am so sorry Ashley.

- Mindi Thompson-Parker

I am so sorry Frieda. I’m glad that she held on to the end to spend time with her family. What a special bond you share with her. Sending love and prayers your way. What a wonderful tribute! Our hearts go out to you all ❤

- Renee Romulus

I only met her 5 or 6 times (College graduation, pinning ceremony, wedding, Mayan restaurant, your house, etc.) but she was always so fun. She had a sharp sense of humor and was very proud of you. May you find comfort and peace in what you know.

- Trent Brown

I’m so sorry to see this. Sending so much love to you all. ❤

- Angela Barron

On to glory Carmel! The exit is always harder than the entry. Have everyone write a favorite memory. Love to all❤

- Arja Warren

I’m so sorry for your loss ❤■

- Summer Jackson

Sorry Beautiful

- Sherry Hampton

She’s an amazing woman I’ve been lucky to know my whole life❤

- Kate Pierson

I’m so sorry for your loss❤■

- Amber Ruoti

Sorry for your loss ❤

- Rex R Richardson

I am sure she will be missed by all of you.

- Lorraine Bourne

I am so sorry for your loss. ■lots of love for your family.

- Melinda Anderson

I’m heartbroken ■ granny was was so involved in your family’s lives, she is so incredible❤ I’m so sorry friend. Love you!

- Marci Danielson Hill

I’m so sorry for your loss!

- Kisti-Jo Harris Christensen

Cailin, you and your family honored your mom and cared for her so lovingly! She was blessed to have so many people who loved her to the end!

- Linda Griffin

Prayers for comfort and peace!

- Julie Lambert

Cherish her… ❤

- Perry de Vlugtn

So sorry for your loss. Sending strength and prayers for comfort for you and your family ■

- Debbie Bakken

I am so so sorry for your loss.

- Rebekah Gerona

Sending you good vibes and prayers

- Scott Breen

I’m so sorry. Sending love to your family

- Kara Diston Pape

Offering sincere condolences on your loss ■

- Beth Butler

Sending prayers for you and your family

- Matt Lambert

Sooo sorry Frieda for your loss.

- Tom Bingham

We are sorry about the passing of your mom, Frieda. We pray for you to feel peace and comfort with each day.

- Paula Snyder

I'm so sorry for your loss. What a beautiful woman. ■

- Tasha Thompson

Prayers for you today and in the coming weeks.

- Brenda Crawford Gerard

Cailin, I am so sorry for your loss. What a blessing you have had all these years to have your Mom with you and your family. Our prayers go out to you all.

- Bill Griffin

Oh Cailin, I'm so sorry. I know your sweet mom was your world. I am thinking of you and your family, now and in the months to come.

- Susan Leavitt Hager

I'm sending you and your family all the love ■

- Kate McCune

She was wonderful Sending prayers of comfort and peace for your family.

- Jessica Hurst Turcsanski

Cailín, that was so sweet! She was a great lady. I loved her honesty. You will be lost for a while but there won't be a day you don't think of her! Love to you and yours!

- Kim Lenharr Thompson

I'm so sorry Cailin! Your mom was such a sweet and elegant lady. Sending some hugs and prayers your way ❤

- Beverly Shedden

Oh Cailin, your mom was such a sweetheart. I’m so sorry for your loss! Sending all my love! ❤

- Valerie Waldron

So sorry to hear this. Our live and prayers are with you all ■■■❤❤❤

- Ranae Christensen-Thornton

Sending love to the whole family as they navigate this immense loss. ❤■■■

- Brianna Wardle

So sorry to hear of Carmel passing. A lady always and my godmother

- Martina and Liam O Halloran

I met Carmel in 1990 when I started at Keybank. We immediately became friends for which I am so grateful. I loved to hear her talk about her kids (especially Baby Brian ■) and her grandkids. She was so proud of you all. She loved you very much, it was so obvious in the way she talked about you all. She was a great friend whom I will miss so very much. Love your guts Carmel.

- Chantel

So so very sorry .

- Fred mckewen

I have so many sweet memories of visiting with your family. Aunt Carmel was always welcoming. I know when I visited you in Orange Park Florida I was probably a big pain. It was my first time staying away from home and I am sure my melt downs weighed on her but she was very patient. Praying for your family. I know you will miss her very much. I am thankful for facebook so we can still be connected in each other‘s lives.

- Kathi Boner Smith

Sorry for your loss. She was an amazing lady!

- John Miller

Oh I am so sorry Cailin. I will be praying for you, Carl and the girls as you navigate this. I am heartbroken for you.

- Courtney Griffin

Cailin, I’m so sorry for you loss. Your mom holds fond memories for me. In the window where we crossed paths, she was always a figure of finesse, love, and warmth. Her presence was certain when your girls had any kind of school event, and I considered her a friend. She always asked how my family was doing, and took time to carry on

a heartfelt conversation. She was a woman I admire and aspire to become more like. ❤ My heart is with you and your family through this loss.

- Kristi Pulsipher

What a lovely tribute❤ Oh Frieda I am so sorry to hear this, I loved your Mother! Please let me know if you will be having any type of service or memorial. I will include all of you in my prayers❤■ Cailin I am so sorry to hear this. How lucky you were to have her be such an integral part of your little family's lives. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

- Shelly Carlile

She's so cute! I'm so glad you had such a great Granny, and my thoughts and prayers are with you

- Jamee Tate

She's the cutest grandma, and loved hearing what you learned from her.

- Andrea Fitzgerald

So sorry for your loss. My prayers are with your family.

- Hope Page

So very sorry for the loss of your Granny. She was a sweet special lady. Sending hugs and prayers of peace and comfort to you and your family. May the memories (and the lessons learned) help heal your hearts. I'm so very sorry to hear about your sweet mom's passing Cailin. Sending our deepest sympathies, thoughts and prayers to you and your family. May the wonderful memories you have of her help heal your broken hearts. Oh Frieda, I am so sorry to hear of your sweet Moms passing. Sending hugs, love and prayers of peace and comfort to you and your family during this difficult time.

- Laura Deschler

Sending love to you all! So sad Ash! Such a great woman! Sending you all loves!

- Kristy Allred

Granny was a sweet lady. I'm glad that she was around for as long as she was sending all my love to the Westover sisters and their families

- ShayLee Helquist

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sorry for your loss

- Lindsey Daisson

I'm so sorry for your loss.

- Shandie McKenna

Such a great obituary.. She sounds like my kind of person ...so beautiful and caring..I loved the part about her dressing and her perfect clothes..and her home..I'm so sorry for your loss and thanks so much for sharing this beautiful ladies life.sending you hugs and prayers.

- Teresa Hytien Iverson

Such a pretty lady. She loved the happiest life loving you and her grandkids Ash!!

- Karie Hughes

That obituary perfectly captures Granny. She will be missed by many, including me, sending you love. Breaks my heart for you, so sorry, I loved like my own. I’m so sad for you too loved granny like my own! I’m so sorry.

- Britt Bezz

So sorry to hear this

- Ariesa Christensen

Hugs from Uncle and me. Such a pretty lady. She loved the happiest life loving you and her grandkids Ash!! Sorry for your loss. Hugs from Uncle Lou and me

- Linda Miley

Oh that’s so sad. I know she is very important to you.

- Heidi Daniel

What beautiful words written about here she lives an amazing wonderful and inspiring life. Keep close to those who love and knew her, and hug everyone!.

- Charlie Darwin

Beautiful tribute to a wonderful lady. Absolutely beautiful. Cailín... My deepest condolences to you on your mums passing. I loved Aunty Carmel, her stern outward presence but just a real softie underneath. You were an amazing daughter to her (those words don't do it justice) but she was so lucky to have you by her side all these years and at the end. May she RIP alongside uncle Ray now, her brother. Love to you all x

- Jane Bridgeman

Prayers for you!

- Crawford Gerard

We are all so sad here in Ireland at the loss of my dear sister Carmel. I knew she was an amazing person and that tribute captured her perfectly . Well done Frieda and Cailin You are in our hearts Tricia and all the Bridgeman family We are all devastated here in Ireland to hear of my dear sisters passing . She was an amazing person so kind always putting everyone s needs before hers. She was my big sister and hero. Carmel fought the good fight and deserves eternal rest now. With our love to you all Tricia ,Paul and family

- Tricia Bridgeman

What a beautiful tribute. Sending you and yours love and light and wishing you comfort in the memories and lessons learned from such a remarkable woman.

- Jody Dipo Sailor

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- Joelle Banford

I’m so very sorry for your loss. It’s never easy losing a parent, especially one you are so close with❤ lots of love to you and your family at this time ❤

- Natalie Chemin

Sending you our love and deepest condolences and prayers for comfort! ❤■It’s so hard to say goodbye to those who have been an integral part or our mortality! Love you, friend! ■

- Debbie Gordon

Oh Cailin, I am so sorry for your loss. Sending lots of love your way.❤

- Lyndsay Fait

Oh I'm so sorry for your loss! I know how close you were to her, may her memory be a blessing. Sending you so much love

- Brittany Luna Bailey

I’m so sorry for your loss.❤

- Rochelle Dipo

So sorry! It’s so hard.

- Joey Brough

I am so sorry.❤❤❤

- Amber Anderson

I’m so very sorry to hear of your mom’s passing, Frieda. I didn’t have the pleasure of knowing your mom, but I’m sure she was a special person just by how loved she is by her granddaughter in this tender image alone. Sending our love to you and your family.

- Maylynn Mayfield Steiner

I’m so sorry for your loss! She will watch over you all and be so proud.

- Ally Sweeney

Such a kind hearted woman, so sorry for your loss!

- Heather Burnett Brady

I am so sorry for your loss! May I love your mom! What a wonderful woman and family she has. My heart hurts for you all. May you feel the comfort of the Holy Spirit to comfort you during this time . ■you guys.

- Angela King Warner

I am so sorry to hear of you passing of your mom. Sending hugs!!

- Tammy Passey Anderson

So very sorry!

- Lisa Dixon McGrath

Thoughts and prayers. Sure will miss Granny.

- Troy Hamilton

Hugs to you and your family at this difficult time ■

- Tammy Taylor

I'm so sorry for your loss.

- Judy Prosser

I am so sorry for your loss. Sending love & sympathies to you. ■■

- Jana Evans

I’m so sorry for your loss. I hope you all can feel some peace at this time.

- Julie Brown Petersen

I'm so sorry. ❤■■

- Kristen Andersen Nielsen

I am so sorry for your loss!❤

- Melissa Gee Meyerhoffer

Love and prayers for the family ■❤

- Paula Ellis

Oh Frieda. What a tremendous, temprorary loss of your mother. She was a force to be reckoned with. You two had a special bond and I know you will miss her terribly until your sweet reunion. I imagine your mother in heaven insisting that her calling needs to be continuing to watch over her family. May you feel the peace from The Comforter as you are taking care of the funeral etc. and life beyond as you adjust to her being gone from your presence.

- Julie Ann Russell

I am so sorry for your loss.Sending love and prayers■

- Margarete Diamond

I’m so sorry for your loss. Sending prayers for peace.

- Louise Olsen Atkinson

Cailin, I so sorry to hear about your mom. She loved all of you so much Frieda,so sorry to hear about your mom.

- Jean B. Boner

I'm so sorry.

- Ray Daniels

Our deepest sympathies to you all. She was an amazing woman! I loved that she decided she was gonna take piano lessons as an adult. ❤■

- Norma Wolfe

I'm so, so sorry for your loss. ■

- Melissa Limb Eichelberger

Sorry, for your loss ❣ Blessed to have had for 60 years! May she rest in peace.

- Remie Ige

I’m so sorry. There’s nothing like losing your mom. Prayers for all of you. ❤

- Heather Stone Kitchen

I'm so sorry for your loss, Cailin

- Erin Griffin

I'm sorry to hear you lost your mother and grandmother, I was her visiting teacher at one time and enjoyed our visits. Peace and love for your family.

- Pam Soelberg

I’m so so sorry again for your loss! I’m always here for ya friend! ■ lots of love and prayers for you and your family. ■

- Kasey Tufts White

I am so sorry, Cailin ■❤■■■

- Susan Wrathall

Oh, Cailin I am so sorry to read this. Thinking of you and your family as you navigate through this loss. How lucky to have had her for 60 years. ❤

- Natasha Woodside

Cailin, I’m so so sorry for your loss. Sending prayers for you and your family

- Carolyn Aramburu Charleson

So sorry for your loss. ■

- Mindy West Simon

Hi Cailin, I’m so sorry to hear this news. It is so hard to say goodbye. I know you have lots and lots of good memories, even though the last years were so difficult. It was much the same for my mom and myself. She and I were very close and while I am relieved for her not to have to suffer anymore, I do miss her. How wonderful that she was able to hold on long enough for your girls to graduate high school. I am certain she wanted to be there for you and for them for that milestone. ■■❤

- Emily Rosten

I feel your loss to a small degree too. She was an important part of my life too and I will miss her. Did I ever tell you she came to the hospital while I was working to give me support and advice when I was going through my divorce? She was always thoughtful and compassionate to those around her. I'm so sad for you and the rest of the family. Love and hugs to all.❤ Beautifully written and represents your mom perfectly. So sorry for your loss.■ Such a great lady. So sorry for your loss.■

- Sally Fandek Epperson

I’m very sorry for your loss.

- Michele Schulthies

I'm so sorry Cailin.

- Noelle Reynolds Perry

I'm so sorry. May your memories bring you Joy amidst the sorrow.

- LaDawn Dalley

I'm so sorry Cailin - prayers for you and your family

- Lauren Burney Stoddart

I'm so sorry! What a beautiful tribute and so glad your girls had so many memories with her. Prayers for peace for your family.

- Alicia Chris Jensen

I am sorry for your loss. Please accept my sincere condolences. May she rest in eternal peace.

- Josette Campobasso-Espinosa

Oh Cailin, I'm so sorry for your loss! What a beautiful relationship you had with her!

- Kelli Fredrickson Beazer

Praying for peace. I’m so sorry for your loss!!

- Joan Linnstaedter

Just as she loved you so fiercely in this life, she will love you even more so where she’s at. I truly believe this. Find a quiet place and just reminisce and enjoy her near you. As I have lost both of my parents, when I need to fill close to them, I have found solace in this.

- Scott Murdock

You were the best daughter and caretaker to her. Thinking and praying for you all ❤

- Luanne Fakler Borgmeier

I'm so very sorry

- Natalie Evans

Such a loss for all of us. I'll miss her for sure .you were her constant care giver. Thank you for all you do for our family.

- Scott Berlin

Dear Cailín, I am away at present and just learned of Carmel’s passing. Myself, Sarah, Kate and Lily send our deepest condolences to you, Frieda, Brian, Derek and the extended family. I have fond memories of your mum. She was such a vital part and ever present member of your family. Your lives were entwined and you both gave so much to each other. May Carmel rest in peace. Sending you our love and prayers at this very sad time.

- Simon Bridgeman

So sorry to hear of your mams passing Cailin. She was an absolute lady. I have no doubt your heart is shattered in a million pieces, but hold on to the many many wonderful memories. You were all so lucky to have shared lives in such a very special way.

- Helen Fleming

Sending lots of love to your family❤■■

- Leanne Kemp Seckinger

Your Mom is beautiful, so sorry you have to go through this. It’s so hard and you will miss her every day but you will see her again and you have lots of memories to comfort you until then. ■

- Karen Douglas Anderson

I am so sorry for your loss

- Kolbey Casper

Sorry kiddo. Parents are hard to lose.

- Lloyd Shell

I'm so sorry for your loss ❤■

- Laurie Griffin McKinney

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so very sad to hear this! sending you love and big hugs. She was quite a character and she was so lucky to have you all! love you friend!

- Rachel Baird

I’m so sorry to hear about the loss of your beautiful mom. I hope your heart will find abundant peace and comfort. Sending you lots of love!

- Carolee Jaynes

I’m so sorry! Losing a parent is so hard.

- Bonnie King Fernelius

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so sorry to hear about your mom. ■

- Carol Bonner

So sorry for your loss Cailin. Hugs■■

- Christy Werts Ryan

I know she is missed. I have fond memories of spending time with your family ❤

- Kathi and Michael Smith

Cailin! I’m so sorry to hear this! Hugs to you and your girls!

- Triscia Morley Callister

Always love Granny!!

- Jay Kirk

So very sorry for your loss. Your Mom was a truly beautiful lady

- Lu Keele

I'm so sorry and please accept my condolences in your families loss.

- Julene Mathews

Love to you Frieda and your sweet family. What a wonderful woman! What a life she led! May Frieda be comforted at this tender time. It is so hard to lose your precious mother■■ ■

- Kristy Avery Huber

So sorry for your loss.Love and prayers for you and your family. ■❤

- Margarete Diamond

So sorry for the loss of your mother in law. Lots of love coming your way.

- Shelia Meredith Carty

Oh my - I am so so sorry for your loss! I love ■ your mom dearly. This makes me so so sad however happy she can be free of any pain from this earth life . I just love your whole family with all my heart. May you all feel the comfort of the Holy Spirit and call me if you need anything . Please let us know all the funeral and celebration of life . ■you guys !

- Angela King Warner

I’m so sorry for your loss ■❤

- Kami L. Hughes

I'm so sorry for your loss.

- Vickie Rowley Cowan

So sorry to hear of this. Hugs and prayer for you, Frieda and the family.

- Devina Eddington

Sending love to your wife and you at this time Scott…■■■■■

- Luanne Savage

She was a beautiful woman and leaves behind a great posterity!! So sorry for your Loss!

- Ruth Whipperman

So sorry for this loss… my thoughts are with you.

- Kimberly Diamond-Smith

I'm so sorry for your loss. Love and prayers for you and your family ❤

- Jalene Thorne

I'm so sorry about your mom. Such a great lady. I know how hard it is to lose a parent. How are you and your family doing? We are here if you need anything. I wanted to share one of my favorite quotes with you, in hopes that it might bring some measure of comfort: "Along with the bright colors of happiness and joy, the darker-colored threads of trial and tragedy are woven deeply into the fabric of our Father's plan. These struggles, although difficult, often become our greatest teachers." (Neil L. Anderson)

- Dave Pierson

Oh I am so sorry to hear that she leaves behind a beautiful family and she's in peace now, no more pain. I would like to thank you so much for letting me be part of your team and know your mom. She was a strong woman and very kind. She worried about everybody. I remember her telling me "I pray for you because yesterday you looked so tired," she was amazing!! Thank you again for trusting me with your mom. It was a pleasure to go and have those long talks. My prayers are with your family, everyone in the family takes the loss of relative in a different way. I always tell them to take a time to say bye bye to your mom before her body is taken. Some people like to have a private moment and other ones, doing it all together helps a lot for your grieving, but not everyone likes to take that time. Tell me if you need anything, please. My prayers are with your family.

- Blanca

Yesterday a dear friend, several years my senior, slipped from this life into the next peacefully. She was a petite spit fire of a woman. She spoke her mind: If it was a spade, she would call it a spade, not a heart or Diamond, just a

spade. She would not push anything on you, yet somehow you knew if you ever needed anything, she had your back. She had a quick wit and always, always a kind word. Just a few minutes in her company you would be laughing and feeling invincible. Everyone should have such a friend. I am grateful she has been a force in my life for more than two decades. Thinking of you, and missing you, Carmel.

- Scott Murdock

I’m so sorry, Frieda. What an excellent obituary and a fantastic lady.

- Randy Chappell

Y’all did a great job on her memorial page as if she wrote it herself.

- Derek

Granny's obituary is beautiful ■

- Maren Brown

Dear Frieda We are so sorry about the passing of your Mom. It is not easy losing a Mom. ■ May you find peace and comfort through her painful loss. May you focus on the good times and memories you have shared. ♥■♥■♥■

- Joan and Jeff

Cailin, here are a few thoughts about your mom. I hope her journey on the other side will have her crossing paths with my mom. My mom would love her as much as I do. We really looked up to your mom. Carmel O’ Halloran She has always welcomed me into her home, with much love. When I went to visit her and her daughters, I always felt like I was the one that received therapy and love when I went into their home. Carmel was one of the most hard-working women I have ever known. Most of her life she had worked two jobs. Carmel spoke what was on her mind, she was very opinionated, and well versed. She was very proud of her grandchildren especially with her granddaughters that lived with her. They always had to play the piano, and spoke of what they were doing so that I would know what they were up to. How they excelled. She wanted to know whenever I came into her home what my family was doing and how things were with us in my home. She cared about everyone. She was a true friend and I will always be a better person because of her friendship. She was an inspiration for us. At times when feeling sad or blue, thinking of her and her quick wit was a sure remedy to brighten the day. I loved always knowing where I stood with her. She had a talent of exactness. Whether she felt it or not, she was a great example of confidence. Not arrogance, just sure of herself. I was never around her, but what she made me feel and think better of myself. What a gift. For a few short months she and my husband rode the bus together downtown for work. Oh the conversations they had. She was always the bright spot of his mornings. She had that knack, the ability to talk with anyone, and make them feel better for having had the conversation. Her life stories were a delight to hear. Her wisdom was far reaching. The way she told stories was as if you were right there as a spectator. She will be sorely missed.

- Debbie & Scott Murdock

What an amazing family matriarch. So beautiful! We were blessed to be her neighbors for many years. I love how she stood for truth and shared her honest opinions. I saw her give so much care to Lauren.

- Jayne Corbett