



Carrie Milliner Morrell

July 4, 1957 - January 30, 2026

Carrie Milliner Morrell lived a joyful life. Carrie was born in Salt Lake City, July 4th, 1957, to Mary Coleman Milliner and Shirman S. Milliner. She was a bright light, and a firecracker from the beginning! She passed away peacefully after a courageous battle against multiple health challenges.

Carrie was full of personality, compassion, love, joy and generosity. She graduated from Cottonwood High School in 1975 where she was considered a friend to all. Many of whom were like family to her for the rest of her life. She went on to graduate from Westminster College and Tulane University in New Orleans with a Master's Degree in Social Work.

Carrie lived and worked in Price, Provo, and then moved to St. George Utah where she has lived for over 40 years. In all of these places and stages of her life, Carrie naturally and easily made friends to enjoy life with. She blessed countless people from babies to the elderly in her career. Though she was an administrator, her focus was always on giving aid to peoples' hearts and caring about their happiness.

For over 30 years she oversaw, staffed, and coordinated the first aid stations for the St. George marathon each fall. She was always so willing to volunteer her time and give her heart to the racers and those in need. Carrie provided aid to all in her daily life, both emotional and physical, and was a safe place

for people to stop and rest.

Carrie faithfully lived the two greatest commandments; she loved God and loved others. She was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints.

In 1986 Carrie married James Morrell. Together they were blessed with two incredible daughters, Madison and Josie. Her greatest loves were her two daughters and four granddaughters; they were her whole world and her greatest accomplishment. She loved them fiercely.

Carrie's life sketch would not be complete without mentioning her passion and love for her roots. Her beloved Heber Valley that she was at home in, where she lived the best childhood and made the sweetest memories with loving aunts, uncles and cousins. She had a special relationship with her maternal grandmother, who she was a twin to in her looks and compassion.

Carrie was preceded in death by her parents, Mary and Shirman Milliner; her beloved granddaughter, Gemma Mae Harmon; and her precious grandson, Gabriel Joseph Brostrom. She is survived by her daughters, Madison (Brett) Brostrom and Josie Morrell (Braxton Harmon); her cherished granddaughters, Jorja, Poppy and Parker; her sisters, Marty (Bryan) Richmond and Dana (Robert) Earl; and her nieces and nephews, whom she treated as her own and who adored her. She also leaves behind countless friends, coworkers, and in-laws who continually blessed her life, as well as the lives of her daughters and sisters.

Funeral services will be held on Monday, February 9, 2026, at 11:00 a.m. at 860 N. Fairway Dr. Washington, Utah 84780. Interment will be held at Tonaquint Cemetery following the service.

Cemetery Details

Tonaquint Cemetery

1777 S. Dixie Drive
Saint George, UT 84770

Previous Events

Funeral Service

FEB 9. 11:00 AM (MT)

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints
860 Fairway Dr
Washington, UT 84780
(435) 294-0618

Burial

FEB 9 (MT)

Tonaquint Cemetery
1777 S. Dixie Drive
Saint George, UT 84770

Tribute Wall



“ I had the opportunity to work with Carrie for many years. Carrie was an incredible lady and she taught me many things... but first and foremost she taught me (by example) how to truly care for one another. She taught me how to look at scenarios with kindness and compassion. . Her greatest joy in life was her two girls and her grandchildren- she was the best mom and grandma in the whole world. Carrie will be missed forever, but her legacy and her beautiful spirit will carry on reminding all of us to be loving and kind to each other. Thank you Carrie for setting such an incredible example. "There are some who bring a light so great to the world then even after the have gone, the light remains." Leigh Standley
Love, Christee Jorgensen

Christee Jorgensen - February 09 at 06:31 PM



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Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah - February 09 at 04:30 PM

KC

“ How I love wonderful Carrie! Such a bright light and welcoming friend to all. She always believed in you even when you doubted yourself, which I did many times. She always could make you laugh, even in hard times. She loved fiercely and completely. I'm so grateful to know Carrie's daughters, sisters, brothers in law, and grandchildren. I will cherish you forever and love you all. May we all be a little kinder to others like Carrie.

Love,
Kali Church

Kali Church - February 09 at 03:33 PM

PK

“ I'll always cherish knowing Carrie! She was definitely full of life and made others feel like we were worth a billion dollars. She had a beautiful voice! Great memories when she came to Brigham City to visit Aunt Shirley. Great times were had by all! My heart aches that she had the health problems that she did that took her so young. Wishing I could be there to pay my respects in person. Deepest sympathies to her family! Sending my love.

Philip (PJ) Kraus

Philip Kraus - February 09 at 11:32 AM

DS

“ James, Maddie, Josie, Marty and Dana, We have always loved how close you three sisters are and how genuinely kind each of you is to everyone.

I'm still having a hard time understanding that Carrie is no longer with us. Some of the happiest times in my life were spent with her. I have so many fond memories from Dixie with her and James. She always teased me about being from small-town Hyrum, and I remember laughing longer and harder than I ever have. She had a way of making me feel like I truly belonged in your family.

She gave the funniest, most memorable speech at our wedding dinner. Our kids are heartbroken too—they loved her so much, just as they love Josie and Maddie.

I have always loved Carrie and James's relationship. I'm not sure a love story could be written that would match the way their friendship grew into love and a partnership so open, humorous, honest, and full of joy.

Please pass on our love to James, Maddie, Josie, and Dana. We love you all so much. We are currently in Ann Arbor on a mission, teaching Institute at the University of Michigan, and are so sad that we can't be there to celebrate Carrie's life with you.

*Please accept our heartfelt condolences.
Deby Miller Smith and Dave*

Deby Smith - February 07 at 03:07 PM

LF

“ Love, Val & Janie Robinson Family purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Carrie Milliner Morrell.



Love, Val & Janie Robinson Family - February 06 at 10:41 PM

LF

“ Love, Val & Janie Robinson Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carrie Milliner Morrell.

Love, Val & Janie Robinson Family - February 06 at 10:41 PM

LC

“ Larry and Stacey Cox purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Carrie Milliner Morrell.



Larry and Stacey Cox - February 06 at 08:49 PM

LC

“ Larry and Stacey Cox planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carrie Milliner Morrell.

Larry and Stacey Cox - February 06 at 08:49 PM

JK

“ John and Lynda. Kevin and Kathy purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Carrie Milliner Morrell.



John and Lynda. Kevin and Kathy - February 05 at 11:24 PM

JK

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John and Lynda. Kevin and Kathy - February 05 at 11:24 PM

CB

“ Madison, Josie and Jim: We cherish the time we had in our Green Valley neighborhood. Carrie was always the fun one! Madison and Josie your mom adored you. Please know that we love this family and pray you will feel peace in the fact that she was an example to us all.

Chris Bundy - February 05 at 02:02 PM

DW

“ Carrie was such an amazing person, we couldn't have asked for a better neighbor when we lived in Green Valley. She always made you feel like you were the most important person in her life whenever you visited with her. She had a way of making you feel like family not just a neighbor. We congratulate you on your graduation from this mortal realm of life.
Until we meet again,
The Westwoods

Dan Westwood - February 05 at 01:40 PM

TG

“ Carrie was the most kind and compassionate person. I had the privilege of spending 8-10 hours a day with her for 25 years. She had the ability to take the most stubborn of patients (and employees) and make them feel like they were the most important person in the world. It was fun having a ringside seat watching her raise two beautiful young women. Carrie, you will be greatly missed and I am grateful for the friendship we have. Families are forever. -
Teresa Gubler

TERESA GUBLER - February 05 at 09:49 AM

BL

“ Aunt Carrie,
Thank you for your love and kindness always.
You taught me so much by the way you lived your life. I watched as you constantly gave to everyone around you and smiled along the way. You were the most generous and giving angel. It was always fun at aunt Carrie's house! You made sure to have all the treats, let us pick out movies, late night snacks, and games. You took us on rides, to all the stores, green valley market, and always cooked a full breakfast spread. With you it was never ending LAUGHS!! Your sense of humor was like none other! You made everyone feel so special and loved. You sincerely cared so much! I'm so grateful for you and will miss you always!
- Love, Blakely

Blakely - February 05 at 01:52 AM

TA

“ *The Draper Family (Andrea, Alisha, Jason) purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Carrie Milliner Morrell.*



The Draper Family (Andrea, Alisha, Jason) - February 04 at 11:29 PM

AB

“ *I met Carrie when Madison and Brett started dating, at one of Madison's pageants. She brought her sweet dad with her and we chatted the whole time. I felt like I had found a long lost friend. I think anyone who met Carrie would consider her their friend. She spent her whole life, personally and professionally caring for others. Her home was so warm and radiated with her caring spirit. I always felt better about everything after spending time with her. She is so funny and had endless stories! She is a bright light, now and always. I am lucky to have Madison in my family, who is so like her mother, always considering other's feelings, and always the life of the party. I will miss Carrie, until we can laugh together again.*
Allison Brostrom

Allison Brostrom - February 04 at 06:14 PM

DI

“ *Danna Ivory purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Carrie Milliner Morrell.*



Danna Ivory - February 04 at 12:06 PM

KR

“ Kathryn McQuaid, Rebecca Florez Rouselle purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Carrie Milliner Morrell.



Kathryn McQuaid, Rebecca Florez Rouselle - February 04 at 11:48 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Carrie Milliner Morrell.



February 04 at 11:38 AM

LH

“ Lyndon Johnson, Jil Hale planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carrie Milliner Morrell.

Lyndon Johnson, Jil Hale - February 04 at 11:38 AM

TB

“ Tom and Maureen Bennett purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Carrie Milliner Morrell.



Tom and Maureen Bennett - February 04 at 01:50 AM

TB

“ Tom and Maureen Bennett planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carrie Milliner Morrell.

Tom and Maureen Bennett - February 04 at 01:50 AM

LJ

“ My Dear Friend Carrie, I will love you forever! To Madison, Josie, Marty, Dana and extended Milliner family, my sincere condolence's. Thank you for sharing your mother/sister with so many of us, although incredibly busy, Carrie seemed to have time for us all. I'm sure I spent more time at the Milliner's house from the age of 13 - 19 years than at my own. My memories of Shirm, Mary, Carrie, Marty and Dana are priceless and they truly made me feel like family. Rest in Peace, and know one day we will all be together once more. Lyndon Johnson

Lyndon Johnson - February 03 at 09:20 PM

BC

“ Baker and Carter purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Carrie Milliner Morrell.



Baker and Carter - February 03 at 07:58 PM

HF

“ Harry & Shirley Hardman Family purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Carrie Milliner Morrell.



Harry & Shirley Hardman Family - February 03 at 05:20 PM

HF

“ *Harry & Shirley Hardman Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carrie Milliner Morrell.*

Harry & Shirley Hardman Family - February 03 at 05:20 PM

TD

“ *Carrie was a beautiful light in this world, and I feel so blessed to have been graced by her spirit. We first met in 1986 on a girls' trip to the Shakespeare Festival that Tami Huntington organized, and I will never forget sitting together after the play. She was so effortlessly funny that she made me laugh until my drink came out of my nose!*

That was the magic of Carrie, she turned every ordinary moment into a joyful memory. I always looked forward to our annual trips and be around her fun energy. My family also cherished the times we spent visiting the Morrell family in St. George. Carrie's kindness, wit, and beauty will be missed and the world feels a little dimmer without her. My love and prayers are with her sweet family.

Tammy Davis

Tammy Davis - February 03 at 03:23 PM