



## Mrs Carolyn Bell McCain

December 13, 1955 - August 9, 2021

Carolyn ("Sister") Bell McCain was born December 13, 1955 in Okaloosa County, FL at Eglin Air Force Base to the late Fred Bell and Edwa Jo Stanaland Bell.

She passed away on Monday, August 9, 2021 in her home in Tallahassee, FL. Carolyn graduated from Lafayette High School in 1974.

She attended North Florida Junior College in Madison, FL graduating from the LPN Program in 1992.

During her career in nursing, she worked in home health, at the Leon County Health Department, and was currently working at the FSU University Health Services in Tallahassee, FL.

She loved traveling and spending time with her late husband, Joseph Scanlon McCain, Jr. She loved her friends, family, and her students.

Carolyn loved to read, cook, needlework, and, of course, the Seminoles.

She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Madison, FL.

She is survived by her brother, Darrel Reid Bell and her sister, Karen Marie Bell Redish (Lowell) both of Live Oak, FL. Along with her nieces and nephews: Denise Bell of Madison, FL; Elliot Redish of Live Oak, FL; Kenya Bell Padgett of Perry, FL; Collin Redish (Doris) of Wellborn, FL; Celeste Redish (Ramsez) of Duluth, GA, Patricia Bell of Live Oak, FL and Joey McCain of Bartow, FL. She was preceded in death by her brother, Daniel Roy Bell and her nephew, Jeremy Ryan Bell of Perry, FL.

In Lieu of Flowers, donations can be made to St. Jude Children's Research

Hospital (<https://www.stjude.org/give.html>). A graveside service will be held at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, August 28, 2021 at Oakridge Cemetery in Madison, FL.

# Cemetery Details

## **OAK RIDGE CEMETERY**

MADISON, FL 32340

# Tribute Wall

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“ Carolyn, I look forward to seeing you again when my time comes. Your cousin, Jan Stanaland



Janice Stanaland - August 24, 2021 at 10:54 PM

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“ I was Carolyn's teacher when she attended Nursing school North Florida Junior College. She was quiet, talented, a very good student, and the most gentle spirited person I think I have ever met. RIP sweet friend.  
Nita Fico APRN

Nita Fico - August 17, 2021 at 09:17 PM

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Doris Redish - August 16, 2021 at 08:38 PM

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"Sister" and the gang! We love you and look forward to a sweet reunion with you in Heaven one day!

Doris Redish - August 16, 2021 at 08:38 PM

“ Carolyn was a wonderful cousin. Although I grew up in Kentucky following the death of my parents, I didn't get the opportunity to spend a lot of time with my Father's side of the family in Florida until I was an adult.

*My favorite memories of Carolyn was prior to her first marriage when she was still living at home and was a Manager at McDonald's in Live Oak. When she would come home after work I was always amazed how cool her room was and how we would just laugh and talk as we were truly getting to know one another. Sometimes she, cousin Karen and Lowell would sneak away and catch a movie at the drive-in in Live Oak. That was fun!*

*My favorite memory, though, was the 3 month summer vacation between my Senior Year in High School and my Freshman Year in College back in Kentucky. I got my only fast food restaurant job working at Kentucky Fried Chicken in Perry, but whenever I wasn't working I was at Aunt Jo's and Uncle Fred's. While there Aunt Jo made a huge batch of her fabulous yeast rolls. I got to spend a lot of time with Carolyn that summer. Aunt Jo made so many rolls that she had enough dough left over to make hamburger buns. I swear, I gained 10 pounds in 1 week because I couldn't pass the bread basket without sneaking 1 or 2 away. Carolyn also knew how to sew and had some leftover material. Man it wasn't the prettiest fabric, but she could sure make a mean pair of shorts. So, she not only made me a pair, she made a pair for my cousin Lowell also, both sets of shorts with suspenders. She took a picture that was extremely funny. If I remember correctly we were both holding hamburger buns. Sadly, after all these years and many moves later unfortunately I can't find the picture but that's one memory that will never leave me.*

*You've earned your Angel's wings Carolyn so until we see each other again, give hugs to all of the rest of the family that's waiting for us and know I love you!*

*Randy Price*

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**Randy Joel Stanaland Price** - August 16, 2021 at 08:15 PM