



Valeska "Val" Carson Elrod

March 13, 1933 - June 7, 2020

Valeska "Val" Carson Elrod, 87, St. Augustine, passed away June 7, 2020 at her home with her family at her side. She was born in Bedford, Indiana, daughter of the late John K. and Ethel Henderson Carson. John and Ethel divorced shortly after Val was born and Ethel was remarried to Stoddard Brinegar. She had been a resident of St Augustine since 1992, moving here from Bedford. Val graduated from Bedford High School and then began her 41 year career with Indiana Bell (AT&T) working as a service representative until her retirement in 1992. She was a stylish career woman and mother, as well as a talented artist.

She is survived by her son, Daniel D. Cobb (Joy) of Noblesville, IN; grandsons, Tyler D. Cobb (Megan) of Fishers, IN, Brady G. Cobb (Brooklyn) of Chesterfield, IN, Allen D. Scheuer of Indianapolis, IN; great-granddaughter, Andi Elizabeth Cobb; and a brother, Gene Brinegar of Newburgh, IN.

Val is also survived by her many friends and neighbors at Anastasia Condos in St. Augustine where she had lived for 28 years. She never met a stranger, and many considered her the honorary queen and social director of the community. Her smile, fashion sense, and baked treats will be missed by many. A very special thank you to Bob and Judy Galbert and Peter and Lynn Cunningham for all of their care and attention and to others that have not been named but were very special to her. Also enough cannot be said about

the excellent care provided by Community Hospice (nurses Shana & Shannon) and the entire team of in home care givers from Courtesy Care (you are all angels).

In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by her first husband, Dennis E. Cobb, second husband, Tobe H. Elrod, and two brothers, Bob Carson and Robert Brinegar.

A celebration of her life will take place at the club room at Anastasia Condo on Saturday June 27, 2020 at 1:00 p.m.

A private service will be held at a later date in Bedford, IN.

St. Johns Family Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ You’ve been gone 2,192 days now. There hasn’t been a single one I have not thought of, missed, and loved you. I can’t imagine the hug you gave Gene when he arrived back in January. Just realized you 2 got to watch the Hoosiers make history together. I will miss and love you forever. Andi knows all about you, and she loves you so much.

Tyler Cobb - June 10 at 02:21 PM



“ Happy 93rd birthday in Heaven, Love Tyler and Andi.

Tyler Cobb - March 13 at 07:34 AM



“ 5 years Mamaw. You’d probably be so upset with me right now but i’m trying. i know you are proud of the Daddy i am to Andi. Every pink sunrise she doesn’t hesitate “Daddy, there is Mamaw!”. I love you. I wish you never had to go. And I miss you every day.

Tyler Cobb - June 07, 2025 at 03:53 PM



“ I miss you so much Mamaw! Andi and talk about you all the time! I cannot until I see you again. I love you so much, i wish you never had to go.

Tyler Cobb - March 27, 2024 at 12:53 PM

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“ We were so sorry to learn of Miss Val’s passing. She’ll be missed, and the place won’t be the same. As fellow owners, we knew her for over 18 years. She always had a pleasant smile and disposition. We stayed in communication, and she and Chuck were friends on Facebook. Our deepest sympathy to her family. Chuck & Salina Augenstein, Unit 601

Charles Augenstein - June 17, 2020 at 11:35 AM

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“ We enjoying being upstairs neighbors to Ms. Val at Anastasia condos for the last 18 years when we visited our place from NC. We will miss seeing her smiling face upon our arrival and chatting with her on the sundeck. She was so sweet and there will definitely be a sadness when we return. Our deepest sympathy, The Jeff Scott Family, Unit 211

Beverly Scott - June 16, 2020 at 01:50 PM