



## Mrs. Carol Elaine Sotus

May 9, 1956 - January 4, 2024

Mrs. Carol Elaine Brown Sotus, age 67 of Savannah passed away on Monday, January 1, 2024. Mrs. Sotus was born in Dalton to the late, Wallace and Edith Ledford Brown. In addition to her parents, Mrs. Sotus was also preceded in death by her sister, Evelyn Brown.

Mrs. Sotus worked at Knoll Inc. in Atlanta, GA in the studio division, representing famous architects and designers. Then she resided in Savannah, GA remodeling several old homes by putting her creative skills and designs to work. Her passion for all creative design and décor was impeccable. She loved rescuing animals and was active in the feral cat rescue program. She was loved by all that had the grace to be in her presence. Her beautiful smile and gorgeous blue eyes could light up a room. Her spirit was kind, warm, and uplifting that made everyone feel welcomed. She also made the best perfect margarita and loved a good glass of wine with her friends.

The family expresses their gratitude to Pruitt Health Hospice for their dedicated care. The family also expresses their gratitude to Lindsay Payne, her niece, for the care over the past seven months. Lindsay was by her side all day and held her tight while playing their favorite song as she departed this world.

Mrs. Sotus is survived by her husband, Chris Sotus of Savannah; brothers,

Gerald Brown (Kathy) of Cohutta, Paul Brown (Barbara) of Gainesville, and James Brown of Calhoun; niece, Lindsay Payne (John) of Maysville; nephew, Andrei Brown of Dalton; great niece and great nephew, Henry and Lillie Payne.

Graveside service will be held Monday, January 8th at 11:30 AM from Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Cohutta, GA with Brian Jarrett officiating, with reading from The Prophet by Chris Sotus.

In lieu of flowers, donations made to Islands Feral Cat Project, [islandsferalcatproject.org](http://islandsferalcatproject.org) , 912-777-3289 or [ifcp.tnvr@gmail.com](mailto:ifcp.tnvr@gmail.com).

Little-Ward Funeral Home, Commerce is in charge of arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Olivet Cemetery

Mt. Olivet Rd.  
Cohutta, GA 30710

# Previous Events

## Service

JAN 8. 11:30 AM (ET)

Graveside at Mt. Olivet Cemetery  
Mt. Olivet Rd.  
Cohutta, GA 30710

# Tribute Wall

GW

“ Thinking of you and your family at this sad time. Praying for peace and comfort as you recall the sweet memories made with your aunt.

*Gail Westbrook*



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**Gail Westbrook** - January 07, 2024 at 10:10 AM

LP

“ Missing you so much this morning. It's time to take your coffee down with a homemade biscotti and you're not here. My heart is breaking without you but I know you are at peace finally. Much love - Lindsay



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**Lindsay Payne** - January 06, 2024 at 08:40 AM

MS

“ I have just learned of Carol's passing. This is news that I hoped to never receive. Carol was a kind, sweet, brave, and talented lady. I am fortunate to have called her my friend. I watched her transform many properties of which she had a natural and immediate vision for each. Often in the trenches of her remodeling projects, she worked closely with contractors from all walks of life resulting in her vision being realized. Another amazing transformation. Over the fireplace in her home, she had a huge painting of a beautiful, galloping white horse. Though small in stature, she embodied the spirit of this gorgeous animal and charged full force in life. She lived by the Golden Rule always aware of the plights of those surrounding her. She was a giver, and the recipients of her gifts of talent and kindness are many. A very bright light in this world has dimmed. I will miss you Carol and carry you with me in my heart. Most sincere condolences to Chris and the entire Brown family. Thank you Lindsay! She loved you so much.

*"Think not of her passing but more so the glory of her spirit"*

*Melinda Saunders/Savannah*

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**Melinda P. Saunders** - January 05, 2024 at 12:01 PM

LP

*Thank you so much for your kind words. She was so special to so many and such a beautiful soul that will be greatly missed.*

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**Lindsay Payne** - January 06, 2024 at 08:33 AM

AS

“ Carol was a beautiful soul and some of my favorite memories were shared with her in Savannah. Many fun times were shared and I adored her. I’m so deeply saddened to learn of her passing and send many prayers to Chris and her family.

-Amy Spencer

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**Amy Spencer** - January 04, 2024 at 08:14 PM

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“ Athena , Zoe, Alex and Chris Nawar purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Mrs. Carol Elaine Sotus.



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**Athena , Zoe, Alex and Chris Nawar** - January 04, 2024 at 11:45 AM