

Carol (Soul) Burkhardt, (17 Feb 1937 - 25 Jul 2009), Perry County Times Wednesday, August 6, 2009

Carol Burkhardt, 70, of New Bern, N.C., died Saturday, July 25, 2009 in Raleigh, N.C.

She was born Feb. 17, 1937 in Lewistown to the late **George W.** and **Dorothy Coudriet Soutl**.

She had a passion for nursing and practiced for more than 50 years; graduated as valedictorian from Newport High School in 1955 and graduated from Harrisburg Hospital School of Nursing in 1958 and from Juniata College in 1961; was a lifetime member of Girl Scouts of USA, lifelong quilter and member of Twin Rivers Quilters Guild and a member of St. Andrew Lutheran Church, serving as Sunday school teacher, member of the bell choir and past president of the church council.

She was the widow of **William E. Burkhardt**, whom she met while on vacation in Puerto Rico. They married on Jan. 13, 1968. The couple moved to New Bern in 1995.

Surviving are a daughter, **Melanie Burkhardt** of Asheville; a son, **Christopher** of Raleigh; three grandchildren; and a nephew and two nieces.

She was preceded in death by two brothers, **Bill** and **Ned**.

A celebration of her life was held Aug. 1 in her church.

L. Harold Poole Funeral Service and Crematory, Knightdale, N.C., handled arrangements.

Memorial contributions may be made to her church, New Bern, N.C.

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