



Lorel Christiansen Bolté

May 10, 1932 - April 3, 2009

Lorel Christiansen Bolté, 76, of Warrior Creek Drive, died at Oconee Medical Center on April 3.

Born in Richmond, California, she was the daughter of the late Major General and Mrs. James G. Christiansen. She graduated from high school in Japan and attended the University of Missouri. During her 56 years of marriage to retired U.S. Army Brigadier General Philip L. Bolté, she traveled with her husband on Army assignments to Kentucky, Germany, Georgia, Canada, New Jersey, Maryland, and Virginia. After twelve years in Burke, Virginia, in 1993, the couple settled into retirement in West Union, SC.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two sons, Christopher, his wife Elizabeth and two children, Danielle and Nicholas; Andrew, his wife Afifa and daughter Laila. She was predeceased by sons David and Timothy. She is also survived by two granddaughters, Amanda Bolté and Andi Lynn Thompson, their mother Robin Holland, and two great grandchildren, Jorden and Savannah Thompson.

Burial will be in Arlington National Cemetery.

Because Mrs. Bolté was a life member and frequent volunteer of the U.S. Cavalry Association, the family asks that in lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to:

U.S. Cavalry Association, P.O. Box 2325, Ft. Riley, KY 66442-0325

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Tribute Wall



“ Lorel Christiansen Bolté

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ I was sorry to hear of Lorel's illness and death. it was all so sudden! my thoughts are with you in your time of mourning.##imported-begin##Laura Budd##imported-end##

April 12, 2009 at 04:18 PM



“ Our condolences and heartfelt sympathies in this time of mourning.

Michelle and Scott Ganjon##imported-begin##Michelle and Scott Ganjon##imported-end##

April 07, 2009 at 02:33 PM



“ Phil,
Danny and I are sorry to hear about Lorel. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Danny and Vanessa Penton##imported-begin##Vanessa Penton##imported-end##

April 07, 2009 at 12:35 PM



“ Mr.Phil,
I was so sorry to hear about Mrs.Bolte.
It was always good to see her & you when my sister Gerline & I cleaned for you.
She was always in good spirits when we were there and enjoyed talking to her .
Please know that you & your family are in our thoughts & prayers.##imported-begin##Norma Baumgarner##imported-end##

April 07, 2009 at 10:26 AM



“ The Fridelle family expresses our sincere condolences at the passing of a Cavalry Lady. The Bolte family is in our prayers.##imported-begin##Anthony Fridelle##imported-end##

April 06, 2009 at 12:02 PM



“ Dear Andrew and Family,

I'm so sorry for your loss of your Mom. My love and prayers go out to you. May God keep you close and grant you peace. Call me when you get back to VA.##imported-begin##Michele Robinson##imported-end##

April 06, 2009 at 10:58 AM



“ Phil, I am so sorry to have read in the Post about your loss of Lorel. My sincere sympathy to you and your family and know that she will be greatly missed by all.##imported-begin##Emily Frady-Norris##imported-end##

April 05, 2009 at 06:43 PM



“ Phil, Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this time. We pray for your strength and well being. We consider you both as special friends and share in your sorrow at the passing of Lorel. If there is anything we can do, please let us know.

Reba and Bill Butts##imported-begin##Reba Butts##imported-end##

April 04, 2009 at 07:12 PM



“ ##imported-begin##Paul and Ann Alman##imported-end##

April 04, 2009 at 07:05 PM



“ General Bolte and family,

I cannot tell you how sorry I am for your loss. I will miss Mrs. Bolte very much. It was my pleasure to know and take care of her at Dr. Axson's office. My thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Lynn Morgan##imported-end##

April 04, 2009 at 06:40 PM