



## Carol "Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson

April 6, 1960 - November 29, 2025

Carol "Kitten" Marie Zieschang Tomlinson, age 65, beloved mother to two, was sent to her eternal home on November 29, 2025, at her residence. She was born April 6th, 1960, El Campo, Texas, a daughter of the late A.R and Kathryn Zieschang.

Her journey on this earth was one marked by love, compassion, and faith in God. Her passing has left a void in the hearts of her family, friends, and many more whose lives were touched by her. She was a member of St. Philip Catholic Church. She had a love of flying, enjoyed volunteering for the community, and was a proud member of Texas A&M class of '90.

Carol is survived by her son William Tomlinson Jr., daughter Hope Tomlinson, sister Sarah Zieschang Bender, lifelong friend and former husband William Marshal Tomlinson; and beloved dog Peanut.

She is preceded in death by her parents and brother Allen Zieschang.

Visitation will begin at 5 p.m. on Wednesday, December 3 at Triska Funeral Home with a CDA Rosary recited at 6 p.m. The Funeral Mass will begin at 10 a.m. on Thursday, December 4 at St. Philip Catholic Church with the Rev. Dalton Ervin officiating.

Pallbearers are Craig Terrell, Dusty Roades, Gerry Mikeska, William Marshall Tomlinson, Alex Tamez, and Chad Graham.

There are no words that can express how grateful and blessed we are to our neighbors who were there for us. Also, a heartfelt thank you to the Knights of Columbus and Catholic Daughters.

Donations in memory of Carol Tomlinson may be made to the family to help defray funeral expenses.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 3. 5:00 PM (CT)

Triska Funeral Home  
612 Merchant Street  
El Campo, TX 77437-3440  
(979) 543-3681  
triskafh@sbcglobal.net

## Catholic Daughter Rosary

DEC 3. 6:00 PM (CT)

Triska Funeral Home  
612 Merchant Street  
El Campo, TX 77437-3440  
(979) 543-3681  
triskafh@sbcglobal.net

## Funeral Mass

DEC 4. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Philip Catholic Church  
304 W. Church Street  
El Campo, TX 77437  
<http://stphilipapostle.org/>

# Tribute Wall

CF

“ Carolyn Foegelle lit a candle in memory of Carol "Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson



carolyn foegelle - December 04, 2025 at 03:21 PM

SF

“ Sergio and Holly Molina & Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Carol "Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson.



Sergio and Holly Molina & Family - December 03, 2025 at 03:42 PM

SF

“ Sergio and Holly Molina & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carol "Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson.

Sergio and Holly Molina & Family - December 03, 2025 at 03:42 PM

PR

“ Peggy Reckaway lit a candle in memory of Carol "Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson



Peggy Reckaway - December 02, 2025 at 02:15 PM

VQ

“ *My thoughts & prayers are with you all that God will Comfort you in your loss! God bless your family & friends! RIP Carol ☐! She will be dearly missed by everyone who knew & loved her! Vicky Blair Ustynik Quijas*



Vicky Quijas - December 02, 2025 at 09:25 AM

VQ

“ *Vicky Quijas lit a candle in memory of Carol "Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson*



Vicky Quijas - December 02, 2025 at 09:20 AM

RJ

“ *Ray And Linda Jaksch lit a candle in memory of Carol "Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson*



Ray and Linda Jaksch - December 01, 2025 at 09:11 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Carol "Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson.*



December 01, 2025 at 08:33 PM

BF

“ Brannon Bianca Short & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carol "Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson.

Brannon Bianca Short & Family - December 01, 2025 at 08:33 PM

CM

“ My brother and I spent many days after school at her house. She would always make us pizza rolls and had spare batteries ready to go when the trainset that we played with so much would run out. So sorry for your loss, Will and Hope

Claire Hebert Meche - December 01, 2025 at 07:30 PM

IR

“ So very sorry to hear about the passing of Carol. My condolences to Sarah and her Carol's two children. May she rest in God's eternal peace.

Irma Rocha - December 01, 2025 at 04:31 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Carol "Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson.



December 01, 2025 at 03:05 PM

CC

“ To the family of Carol,  
My thoughts and prayers are with you as I've  
known Carol her entire life. I am so sorry for  
your loss. I know she will be greatly missed but  
never forgotten. God bless you all!  
Love,  
Cathie Cerny



Cathie Cerny - December 01, 2025 at 02:31 PM

PD

“ Pat Dybala lit a candle in memory of Carol  
"Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson



Pat Dybala - December 01, 2025 at 01:06 PM

BJ

“ Carol was a next door neighbor and childhood friend. I remember  
how she was so very talented with the Acrobatics she did on the  
family's trampoline!! I looked up to and admired Carol or "Kitten," as  
she was a year older than me. I always thought she was such a  
pretty girl. Carol, you will be greatly missed by your family and  
friends. Rest In Peace.

Brenda Aaron Johnson - December 01, 2025 at 12:46 PM



“ Carol and her family were next door neighbors when we were kids. I  
worked for her dad during harvest season driving a tractor pulling an  
auger cart. Great memories.

Paul Aaron - December 01, 2025 at 12:23 PM

AM

“ Carol was an amazing lady. She was a warm humble and giving person. Her number one priority was her children. Rest in peace my friend. You will be missed. Love you

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**Annette Meaux** - December 01, 2025 at 09:32 AM


JS

“ Julie Strnadel sent a virtual gift in memory of Carol "Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson



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**Julie Strnadel** - December 01, 2025 at 08:54 AM

KT

“ Carol was a kind hearted person who was always ready to help. May She Rest in Peace  




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**Kenny Trochta** - November 30, 2025 at 09:03 PM

GB

“ Gene And Sharon Bena sent a virtual gift in memory of Carol "Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson



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**Gene and Sharon Bena** - November 30, 2025 at 08:39 PM

DS

“ David & Charlene Linhart Smith lit a candle in memory of Carol "Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson



David & Charlene Linhart Smith - November 30, 2025 at 08:23 PM

DN

“ Debbie Nelson lit a candle in memory of Carol "Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson



Debbie Nelson - November 30, 2025 at 07:49 PM

SS

“ Sandra Sary lit a candle in memory of Carol "Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson



Sandra Sary - November 30, 2025 at 07:44 PM

LS

“ Liz Staff lit a candle in memory of Carol "Kitten" Zieschang Tomlinson



Liz Staff - November 30, 2025 at 07:14 PM

GG

*Carol along with her family live next door to my Son and she and Will were always at their family gatherings and always soo sweet and friendly, missed her on this Thanksgiving so now I know why. Rest in Eternal Peace Carol. Will my sympathy to you and your Sister and also Sara her sister.*

*Gerry and Eugene Graham*

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**Gerry Graham** - December 01, 2025 at 01:15 PM