

# Carol Marie Johnston (Pacholke) Mock

June 5, 1944 (Buffalo, NY)    December 14, 2022 (Ottawa, KS)



**Carol Marie Johnston (Pacholke) Mock**, 78, of Ottawa, KS, passed away Wednesday, December 14, 2022, at the Kansas City Hospice House in Kansas City, MO.

Carol was born June 5, 1944, in Buffalo, NY, the daughter of Robert S. and Nellie M. (Hopkins) Johnston. She graduated from high school at the age of sixteen and continued her education at Rockford College, IBM Career Academy, and studied to become a Registered Dental Assistant. She lived several years in Michigan City, IN before moving in 1978 to Ottawa. For many years Carol was employed as a Registered Dental Assistant working with Dr. Bell and Dr. Waldron in Ottawa. Following her dental career, she was employed as

a clerical worker at Skyhook Corporation and Scott Construction, both located in Ottawa.

On July 24, 1965, Carol was united in marriage to Joel Pacholke. They were later divorced but were blessed with two sons, Steven and Christopher. On April 18, 1981, Carol married Thomas B. "Tom" Mock in Ottawa. They were happily married 41 years until he preceded her in death on December 14, 2021. For several years Carol was a full-time caregiver for her mother. She enjoyed traveling with Tom in their R.V. and loved her dogs Max and Maggie.



She was also preceded in death by her parents and brother Larry Johnston. Survivors include three sons, Steven M. (Cynthia) Pacholke of Grain Valley, MO, Christopher Pacholke and significant other April Weems of Katy, Texas, and Steven B. (Maureen) Mock of Metairie, LA; sister-in-law Jacqueline Johnston of Machesney Park, IL; grandchildren, Lucas Roberts, Wyatt and Cheyenne Pacholke, Autumn Parrish, and Hudson Mock; nephews, Todd Johnston, and Scott (Tammy) Johnston.

## Reference:

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