



Carol Ann Doda

August 29, 1937 - November 9, 2015

Carol Ann Doda, passed away Monday, November 9, 2015 peacefully surrounded by her family and friends in San Francisco, CA.

Carol Doda was a San Francisco Legend & American cultural icon in the 1960s. A passionate entertainer who spent more than 50 years of her life as a song & dance lady in San Francisco and a diverse singer who covered everything from jazz, rock and pop. Carol performed with many legendary musicians throughout her years. She had her own band and they played regularly in the North Beach area of San Francisco. She also owned & operated "Carol Doda's Champagne and Lace Lingerie Boutique" for more than 35 years.

She was also a beloved cousin & friend too many and will be greatly missed. Preceded in death, by her parents Elmer & Doris Doda and her daughter Donna Smith Terzian. She is survived by her son Tom Smith (Karen) of Napa, grandson Westin T. Smith of Napa; cousin's Lois Moore (John) of Vallejo, Allen Doda (Kelly & Josie) of St. Helena, Leslie Gilton (Gregory) of Benicia, Dina Moore (Bill Poyser) of Suisun, John Moore of Vallejo, Mike Moore of Benicia, Ashley Caruolo (Clint) of Las Vegas and her god-daughter Lauren Laugen of Fairfield.

Burial will be private. Celebration of life to be held Sunday, November 22nd at Tupelo, 1336 Grant Avenue, San Francisco from 5 pm to 7 pm (family & friends) and 7 pm to closing open to the public.

Tribute Wall

LL

“ Carol took singing lessons in the 70s w the same teacher Judy of Oakland ca who helped Sinatra after her retired & then wanted to restart his career. She worked w my husband putting together a singing act but never came to fruition. They couldn't agree on for they had too many issues of phrasing & tempo of the songs she wanted to sing. The last time we had contact was purely by accident. We lived in the marina district & were taking a walk along the marina green. There was a bunch of reporters & photographers there when we saw Carol streaking nude across the green. Streaking was all rage @ the time.

Ib lordan - January 04, 2025 at 06:22 PM



“ Carol Ann Doda

November 29, 2022 at 08:20 PM

JN

“ I saw her at a club in San Francisco while I was in the Navy. She was such a lovely, nice sweet lady. May she Rest In Peace

John Nyman - May 29, 2022 at 05:02 PM

MG

“ Milagros Gonzalez lit a candle in memory of Carol Ann Doda



milagros gonzalez - April 17, 2016 at 01:53 AM

RM

“ I remeber growing in South City seeing her in our black and white console. She was a beautiful Woman. So very Sorry for the families loss and ours.

Respectfully,

Rosa Martinez

Rosa Martinez - November 24, 2015 at 09:27 AM

DE

“ Debbie lit a candle in memory of Carol Ann Doda



debbie - November 24, 2015 at 02:21 AM