

CAROL RHINEBARGER AMOS BESSLER

Jan. 4, 1947 - Sept. 29, 2008

Carol Rhinebarger Amos Bessler, 61, Dunnellon Fla., died Monday, Sept. 29, 2008, from complications suffered from cancer. Carol was born Jan. 4, 1947, to Robert and Adah Rhinebarger in Kokomo; Carol was the third of five children.



Carol
Rhinebarger
Amos Bessler

She graduated from Kokomo High School in 1965 and attended Indiana University, where she met and married Leo Amos in 1968. During their 17-year marriage, they had two sons, Todd and Brett Amos. In 1995, she married Joseph Bessler.

In 1996, she retired from Delco Electronics after 32 years of service. She then attended World Harvest Bible College and later became a published Christian writer. In 2002, Carol and Joe moved to Dunnellon, Fla. There she published her

first book, "Angel Over My Shoulder" in 2005, and was an active member of First Assembly of God Church.

She was preceded in death by her father, Robert Rhinebarger; and sister, Jane Ellen Rhinebarger.

She is survived by her husband, Joseph Bessler, Dunnellon, Fla.; two sons, Todd Amos, Phoenix, and Brett Amos, Chicago; her mother, Adah Rhinebarger, Inverness, Fla.; two brothers, Gary Rhinebarger, Inverness, Fla., and Jim Rhinebarger, Arcadia; one sister, Linda Lovelady, Voorhees, N.J.; and four granddaughters, Brian-na, Jacquelin, Katelyn and Cameron.

A memorial service will be conducted at 5 p.m. Thursday at Sunset Memory Garden Funeral Home with the Rev. Jim Bradley officiating. Entombment will take place at Sunset Memory Garden Cemetery. The family will receive friends 4 p.m. until the time of service Thursday at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to the American Cancer Society. Online condolences to the family may be made at www.mem.com.