

## My Great Grandma Carter

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I LOVE to cook and so did my great grandma Evelyn Joyce Brister Carter ( Dec 9,1930-Mar3,2011 ). She was born in a place called Shreveport Looouisiana. Oh and I'll tell you why Louisiana is spelled wrong later.

My great grandma Carter, first name Evelyn, was the middle child with 1 older brother and 1 younger sister. Her older brother called her Baby. Oh here's the reason Louisiana is spelled wrong. When you said Louisiana around her, she would say, "oup it's Looouisiana." Also that is how I decided to write this essay about her.

Speaking of family, one of my great grandma's hardest challenges. Was to move away from her family in Louisiana to a small ranch in Colorado. She even had her first baby there and changed his diapers in the sheets of her bed in the winter because it was so cold. Also the baby's name was Doug he's still alive.

She was also a GREAT cook and made the best southern fried chicken and banana pudding. Also she had a pool and when my mom would go up there she would give her buttered toast and watermelon. But they weren't supposed to eat in the pool so my mom would hang her head over the pool's edge and eat the toast

and watermelon. Also she always wanted to host family parties and when you walked into her house it always looked very messy especially when you walked into the kitchen it looked like a BOMB had just blown up in there.

Here is something I did not expect to find out about my grandma, but it is pretty cool. She was actually a convert to the LDS church after she married my great grandpa Jack. Which means that after she married she started to go to church. Also when my grandpa Jack took my grandma to a place called Minersville, the people there (the men in particular) said that she was the most beautiful woman they had ever seen. When my Grandma Paula told me this, my mom said that my "grandpa likes a pretty lady."

As you can see my great grandma Carter was a very good mother, cook, and wife and I want to be just like her. Even though she passed away a few months before I was born in 2011, but I still want to be like her.