



Sharon A. Patterson

December 27, 1957 - September 23, 2023

Sharon Ann Patterson, age 65, went home with the Lord on September 23rd, surrounded by her family after a short battle with cancer. Born and raised in Newark, DE she was the daughter of the late James Paul and Eleanor Marie (Horn) Hardy. She graduated from Saint Mark's High School, class of 1975. Sharon worked for Pathmark grocery store for nearly 41 years, starting at the Concord Pike store then transferring to DuPont Highway in 1988. She made many friends there, customers and colleagues alike until the store closed its doors in November of 2015. In her spare time, she enjoyed playing board games, especially Scrabble and completed many beautiful counted cross stitch pictures. Sharon also enjoyed baking, crossword puzzles, watching her family's baseball games, musicals, and watching The Lawrence Welk Show.

As a mother, grandmother, daughter, sister, aunt, and friend she treasured every moment spent with people she loved. She was the middle child of three, older brother James Paul Hardy, Jr. (Margaret) and younger sister Teresa Marie Ulrich (Russell). Sharon has now been reunited with her husband of nearly 40 years, Ronald E. Patterson, Sr. They met in 1977 and were married May 24th, 1980. Together they cherished their four children: Ronald E. Patterson Jr. (Amy), Christine Ann Wolf (Barry Sr.), Michael Paul Patterson (Katherine) and Nina Marie Darone (Joshua). Sharon was survived by her eight grandchildren: Jagger Wolf, Barry Wolf, Jr., Kaylea Patterson, Evan Darone, Karter Patterson, Kolton Patterson, Bailey Patterson and Ellie

Patterson. Also dear to her heart were her many nieces and nephews, cousins, and friends.

Family and friends are invited to a viewing on Wednesday, September 27, 2023 from 6 to 8 PM at the Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home, 635 Churchmans Rd., Newark, DE 19702. An additional visitation time will be offered on Thursday, September 28, 2023 from 10 to 11 AM at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Roman Catholic Church, 345 Bear Christiana Rd, Bear, DE 19701, where a Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 AM. Burial will follow at Cathedral Cemetery in Wilmington.

Cemetery Details

Cathedral Cemetery

2400 Lancaster Avenue
Wilmington, DE 19805

Previous Events

Viewing

SEP 27. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home
635 Churchmans Rd
Newark, DE 19702
(302) 731-5459
info@stranofeeley.com

Viewing

SEP 28. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church
345 Bear-Christiana Road
Bear, DE

Mass of Christian Burial

SEP 28. 11:00 AM (ET)

St Elizabeth Ann Seton Church
345 Bear Christiana Rd
Bear, DE 19701
(302) 322-6430

Burial

SEP 28. 12:45 PM (ET)

Cathedral Cemetery
2400 Lancaster Avenue
Wilmington, DE 19805

Tribute Wall

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“ Sharon was a wonderful lady whom I'm happy to call my friend. May you and Ron watch down on us til we meet again. Love you my forever friend

Karen - September 27, 2023 at 06:54 PM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Sharon A. Patterson.



September 27, 2023 at 02:37 PM

CJ

“ To the Patterson Family, I graduated with Sharon in 1975 SMH. I remember talking with Sharon at the Pathmark Store in New Castle, we often talked about our children! Sharon was a very proud and devoted mother. Sending prayers of comfort and strength to the entire family. Sharon take your well deserved rest in God's loving arms! Carol Jefferson and Regina Jefferson

Carol Jefferson - September 27, 2023 at 11:15 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sharon A. Patterson.



September 26, 2023 at 10:14 PM

JK

“ I was extremely lucky enough to meet Sharon and get to work with her. We made cookies for Christmas together. She was funny about how she liked her lunch meat stacked, but that's another story. Every week, we had a hilarious time, and we enjoyed each other's company. She was a dear friend and brought happiness in my life. I loved everything about her. She was so generous with her time, kind, friendly, funny, and beautiful inside and out. I can say I thought she was just perfect! I will miss her!💔

Jennifer Kinsey - September 26, 2023 at 09:22 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sharon A. Patterson.



September 26, 2023 at 01:38 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Sharon A. Patterson.

September 25, 2023 at 09:25 PM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sharon A. Patterson.



September 25, 2023 at 09:25 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Sharon A. Patterson.



September 25, 2023 at 06:34 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sharon A. Patterson.



September 25, 2023 at 05:19 PM



“ Sherry V. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sharon A. Patterson.

Sherry V. - September 25, 2023 at 04:30 PM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Sharon A. Patterson.



September 25, 2023 at 03:44 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Sharon A. Patterson.



September 25, 2023 at 02:50 PM