



Shirley Ann Munkittrick

April 6, 1930 - June 15, 2014

Shirley Ann Munkittrick, 84

Shirley Ann Munkittrick of Sayre, Pa., and formerly of Towanda, Pa., and Lake Zurich, Ill., passed away on June 15, 2014, after a short illness. Shirley was a loving wife, mother and grandmother and always the light and life of the party. All who knew her already lovingly miss her.

Shirley was born on April 6, 1930, to the late Carl Tanner and Lydia (Haber) Tanner, in Schuylerville, N.Y. A 1947 graduate of Towanda High School, she received her nursing degree from Robert Packer Hospital, Sayre, in 1950, and then worked with Dr. Guthrie in the Guthrie Clinic in Sayre.

Shirley cared for patients at the Ithaca County Hospital before doing industrial nursing in Buffalo, N.Y., and then Carol Stream, Ill. While in Illinois, Shirley was active with St. Michael's Episcopal Church in Barrington Hills, serving on the Altar Guild. Prior to retiring to Sayre, Shirley was a member of the Towanda Country Club and was active with Christ Episcopal Church, serving on both the Altar Guild and the Vestry.

Left to cherish her memory are her beloved husband of 51 years, Robert E. Munkittrick, Sr., and her three children, Bruce Lee Sprinkle and his wife Victoria of Hendersonville, N. C., Sue Ann Comfort of Cherry Hill, N.J., and

Robert E. Munkittrick, Jr. and his wife Michele of Wilmington, Del. Shirley is also survived by her dear sister and brother-in-law, Faye and Karl Muchow of Buffalo, N.Y., for whom her loss is especially poignant. Four grandsons – Samuel Comfort, Tanner Comfort, Robert Comfort and Robert Munkittrick III – and two granddaughters – Erin Munkittrick and Lauren Munkittrick – also carry special memories of Shirley in their hearts.

In addition to her parents, her sister Mary Elizabeth Stepanik and brother-in-law Thomas Stepanik of Buffalo, N.Y, predeceased her.

Relatives and friends are invited to a memorial service in her honor at 11 a.m. on Saturday, June 21 at the Alteri-Bowen Funeral Home, 314 Desmond Street, Sayre. A reception will follow at Tomasso's Restaurant in Waverly. Donations in her memory may be made to Christ Episcopal Church, One Main Street, Towanda, Pa, 18848.

Memories and condolences may be expressed and shared by visiting www.bowenfuneralhomes.com.

Previous Events

Service

JUN 21. 11:00 AM (ET)

Alteri-Bowen Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall



“ *Shirley Ann Munkittrick*

October 22, 2023 at 08:10 PM



“ *Shirley Ann Munkittrick*

October 08, 2023 at 10:34 PM



“ *Shirley Ann Munkittrick*

October 06, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ *Shirley Ann Munkittrick*

October 06, 2023 at 03:29 AM



“ *Shirley Ann Munkittrick*

October 05, 2023 at 02:02 PM



“ *Serene Green™ Bouquet For Sympathy was purchased for the family of Shirley Ann Munkittrick.*



June 20, 2014 at 01:11 PM

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“ I was saddened to see Shirley's obituary in today's paper . Her and Bob were one of the "regulars" at The Villa when they lived in Towanda . She was always smiling, and had a great sense of humor . I'd see them walking across the parking lot and always tried my best to have her Beefeaters on the rocks ready to go (along with Bob's Smirnoff) ! Many years of nice memories there . I will be out of town Saturday, and will miss the services, and I apologize for not being able to attend . My condolences to Bob, Bobby, and the rest of the family, she will be surely missed .

Sincerely,
Mike Sena

Mike Sena - June 17, 2014 at 03:19 PM