



Sharon M. Fitzgerald

January 27, 1940 - August 28, 2025

Sharon M. Fitzgerald, 85, passed away on August 28, 2025.

Sharon was born on January 27, 1940. She was raised in NE Minneapolis and graduated from St. Margaret Academy. Sharon entered the Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet in 1958, graduated from St. Catherine University (BA 1963) and Northwestern University (MA 1970). She taught English for 14 years at St. Mary's HS in Bird Island, St. Anthony of Padua HS in Minneapolis, and Derham Hall HS in St. Paul, followed by 29 years at St. Francis HS in St. Francis, MN.

Sharon was an active member of AAUW St. Paul, the St. Francis HS Language Arts Good Friends Coterie, several book clubs, and a season ticket holder at the Guthrie Theater. She was a gracious host, an avid gardener, and an enthusiastic traveler.

Sharon will be remembered for her kindness, evident in her neighborliness, loyalty to friends, and helping strangers in need.

Sharon is preceded in death by her parents, William and Dorothy, and brother Peter.

Sharon is survived by her brother Daniel, sisters-in-law Cheri and Jan,

nephew Sean, and nieces Kari Olson and Becky Muczko.

A memorial service will be held at St. Albert the Great Catholic Church, 2836 33rd Avenue South, Minneapolis, MN on October 23 at 12:00 noon with visitation at 11:00 a.m.

Luncheon to follow the memorial service at St. Albert the Great.

Memorials may be given to St. Catherine University, 2004 Randolph Avenue, St. Paul, MN 55105.

Sharon's family wishes to extend their sincere thanks to all of Sharon's caregivers.

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Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **23**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

The Church of St. Albert the Great
2836 33rd Avenue South
Minneapolis, MN 55406

Memorial Service

OCT **23**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Sharon had a Very Strong Positive Spirit. Always Calming and Kind. She was ready to help in any way. We know she is at Peace and will Be Watching Over Us. Love You Cousin.

Douglas Thoreson - September 26, 2025 at 06:03 PM

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“ Sharon was at St. Anthony when I arrived there for my first year of teaching. She helped me make lesson plans, comforted me when they didn't work as we hoped, and was there for me the next time. Always funny, always loving, such a wonderful person to have by your side. Therese Sherlock

Therese Sherlock - September 12, 2025 at 09:33 AM

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“ Gracious, considerate, thoughtful and kind describe Sharon. This was true during our days at St. Margaret's Academy and I'm certain throughout her life. A simply lovely woman who gifted us with her presence is now with the angels.
Judy Quinn Scheider, Class of 1958

Judy Scheider - September 10, 2025 at 07:15 PM