



## Sharon Harenza

April 3, 1938 - January 20, 2026

Sharon Harenza

Age 87, passed away peacefully on January 20, 2026 with family by her side. She struggled with dementia for many years before she passed with pneumonia complications.

Sharon was born at the Swedish hospital in Minneapolis on April 3, 1938. She lived in North Minneapolis and went to Patrick Henry High School, where she met her forever love, Bob Harenza. They married after high school and raised three daughters. She was a devoted, mother, sister, grandma and friend. She loved music, gardening, tennis, golf, dogs and baking sweets.

Sharon was preceded in death by her late husband, Bob (Robert Harenza), and survived by her loving children, Beth (Rick) Sorley, Becky Shultheis, and Julie (Jeff) Pelletier; her sister, Jan Mozey; 4 grandchildren, Kaitlin Hatanpa, Robert Pelletier, Jenna & Marissa Shultheis; and 4 great-grandchildren, Isabella Skinner, Luke Dodge & Everly and Addison Anderson.

Sharon's sweet, kind, cheerful and unconditional love will be deeply missed.

A memorial service will be held on Thursday, January 29th at 11am with visitation one hour prior at Calvary Lutheran Church (7520 Golden Valley Rd., Golden Valley). Interment Glen Haven Memorial Gardens.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 29. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Calvary Lutheran Church of Golden Valley  
7520 Golden Valley Road  
Golden Valley, MN 55427

## Memorial Service

JAN 29. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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7520 Golden Valley Road  
Golden Valley, MN 55427

## Graveside Service

JAN 29. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

Glen Haven Memorial Gardens  
5125 West Broadway  
Crystal, MN 55429

# Tribute Wall

PS

“ We send our sympathy to the family of my cousin, Sharon. I have so many special memories of times spent with Sharon and her sister Jan and parents when our family visited relatives in Minneapolis while growing up. In the last 20 years we had a number of cousin get-togethers when traveling to or through Minneapolis. It was always special to visit with Sharon. Such a sweet, kind person. I will miss her. Good to know that she is at home with the Lord. Keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers. Love, Pat (Shelby) and Howard Schutte

Pat Schutte - February 03 at 12:27 PM

JS

“ I recall her being so easy to be around. She always filled any room she was in with joy and love for her family. (Joe and Donae)

Joe W Shultheis - January 29 at 10:05 AM

LF

“ Love, Chrissy & Rick, and family purchased the S imply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Sharon Harenza.



Love, Chrissy & Rick, and family - January 28 at 11:09 AM

TF

“ The Mozey family purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Sharon Harenza.



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The Mozey family - January 27 at 11:49 AM

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“ The Mozey family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sharon Harenza.

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The Mozey family - January 27 at 11:49 AM

CP

“ The memories of my sweet “Auntie Sharon” are a blessing I hold dear, warming my heart and bringing peace, especially as the tremendous void of having said our earthly goodbyes weighs heavy on my heart. To know her was to feel blessed and loved on so many levels! Her genuine caring ran deep in every phase of life that I was blessed to share with her. From birthdays and Christmas to weddings and babies....plus countless treasured cabin sharing times ! Sharon (& Uncle Bob) were always a huge and loving part of “family” to my children and I. Her positive demeanor was so cherished, even when she didn’t feel the best, she just kept smiling.



I greatly miss her every day, and will rejoice in the joys of Gods promise in John 3:16,  
one day ☩ ✨ 🌈.

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Christin (Chris) Penz - January 27 at 01:54 AM



“ Love, Randy & Deb Hatanpa planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sharon Harenza.

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Love, Randy & Deb Hatanpa - January 25 at 01:27 PM



“ Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Sharon Harenza.



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January 25 at 01:27 PM