



Valerie A. Larsen

February 7, 1949 - March 16, 2025

Larsen, Valerie A.

Age 76, passed away on March 16, 2025 at our Lady of Peace Hospice, Saint Paul, Minnesota.

Preceded in death by her grandparents, parents Bernice Wilson, Raymond Lee, husband David E. Larsen, grandson, Brendan Sheehan. Survived by her son Gregory Sheehan, daughter-in-law Karla (Byrne) Sheehan, granddaughters Sydney and Alaina Sheehan, her siblings that she was happy to find later in her life Joseph Shelledy, Cheri Rossi, Darlene Trout, Darrell Lee, many other relatives and special friends.

In 1991 Valerie received her B.A. in Public Policy/Community Studies, Minor: Indian Child Welfare. Valerie spent her career in many social service positions, from the MN state health department to educating youth and advocating for the American Indian Community. She retired from Columbia Heights school district as a Native American Advocate in 2023. Valerie enjoyed participating in Pow wows, she enjoyed travel with her son and family. She also dearly loved her kitties Arrow and Flannery.

Service Friday, April 4, 2025 2pm with visitation 1 hour prior at Washburn McReavy Glen Haven Chapel, Crystal MN. Interment at a later date.

In lieu of flowers the family kindly requests memorial contributions to assist with final expenses. If you wish to make a contribution, donations can be sent directly to: Greg Sheehan at 10699 Wellington Lane North, Maple Grove, MN 55369. Your generosity is deeply appreciated during this difficult time.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 4. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Glen Haven Chapel
5125 West Broadway
Crystal, MN 55429

Memorial Service

APR 4. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Washburn-McReavy Funeral Chapels created a Memorial Service for Valerie Ann Larsen in memory of Valerie A. Larsen



Washburn-McReavy - March 19, 2025 at 06:36 PM