



Shirley Gardener

May 1, 1937 - June 7, 2025

SHIRLEY GARDENER, AGE 88, passed away on Saturday June 7, 2025. Shirley is survived by her daughter, Valerie S. Johnson. Shirley was born in Detroit, Michigan on May 1, 1937 to the late Frank and Florence (Russell) Gardener. Frank and Florence had two children, Shirley and her older (predeceased) brother Milton (Christine) Gardener.

Shirley graduated from Jane Addams High School in 1954 and later spent much of her career working for Cuyahoga County as a typist. She cherished her independence and lived for many years at Schnurmann House in Mayfield Heights where she had many friendships and a rich social life. She took part in many of the community activities at Schnurmann House. These included their Wii bowling league and playing Mahjong.

Shirley will be laid to rest on Thursday June 12, 2025 at 2:00 PM at Knollwood Cemetery in Mayfield Heights (1678 SOM Center Road). Memorial contributions in Shirley's honor may be made to the Chevra Kadisha of Cleveland (jsscleveland.com or (216) 371-5717)

Cemetery Details

Knollwood Cemetery

1678 SOM Center Road
Mayfield Heights, OH 44124
<http://www.knollwoodcemetery.net>

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JUN 12. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

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