

Shirley R. Kreie
July 26, 1942 - June 27, 2019

Shirley R. Kreie, 76, of Fond du Lac, went to be with her maker on Thursday, June 27, 2019, at her residence with her family at her side.

She was born on July 26, 1942, in Evanston, IL, the daughter of Roy and Alpha Valentine Rateike. She graduated from L.P. Goodrich High School, Class of 1960. She continued her education, and graduated from U.W. Oshkosh in 1964. On August 21, 1965, she married her high school sweetheart, Ronald W. Kreie, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Fond du Lac.

Shirley taught school for 43 years in the Lomira School District. She was an active member of First Presbyterian Church, where she served in many areas including choir, elder, mentor, usher, greeter, enrichment class teacher, and a member of hands praise, during her 50 years of membership. She was a volunteer for Red Cross Blood Drive as a donor and distributing refreshments in the canteen area. She enjoyed playing softball up through the age of 70, reading, dancing and spending time with her children, grandchildren and let's not forget her grandpets.

She is survived by her husband, Ronald "Ron" Kreie of Fond du Lac, her three children, Tina M. Sommerfeldt of Fond du Lac, Ken (Lisa) Kreie of Rochester, NY and Kevin (Jeanette) Kreie of Barstow, CA; seven grandchildren: Jessica (Jeff) Burmeister of Fond du Lac, Tyler (Alyssa) Sommerfeldt of Fond du Lac, Parker Kreie, Cassandra Kreie, Michelle Rouke, David Rouke and Darrly Rouke,; ten great grandchildren, two sisters: Bonnie Rateike of Fond du Lac and Alpha Rateike of Sana Cruz, CA; two sister-in-laws: Karen Kreie of Manitowoc and Lori (Dave) Nicollette of Two Rivers and brother-in-law Phill (Lisa) Kreie of Manitowoc and many nieces and nephews and her special friend Mary Council Austin.

She is preceded in death by her parents, her in-laws: Earl and Marion Kreie, and her nephew Erik.

VISITATION: Friends may call on Monday, July 1, 2019, from 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. at First Presbyterian Church, 1225 Fourth Street, Fond du Lac.

FUNERAL: Funeral services will be held on Monday, July 1, 2019, at 11:30 a.m. at First Presbyterian Church, with Rev. Jack Harrison officiating. Entombment will take place at Shrine of Rest Mausoleum in Ledgeview Memorial Park.

A memorial is being established.

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Events

Shrine of Rest Mausolem

N6250 County Road K Fond du Lac, WI,

JUL Visitation

09:30AM - 11:30AM

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First Presbyterian Church 1225 Fourth Street, Fond du Lac, WI, US, 54935

JUL Service

11:30AM

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Comments



66 Dear Ronnie and family,

Oh, how she loved you. Shirley was a beautiful person in all ways. We went to elementary school, jr. high, high school and college together. We tore it up on the dance floor at the Center and at every reunion. I feel so fortunate to have had her in my life. I just wanted her a little longer so we could dance and laugh one more time. Now she is in my heart and I see her smile.

Jan Judson McCain

Jan McCain - July 15, 2019 at 08:09 PM



Dear Ron, My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Shirley and I shared many moments in high school filled with joy and laughter. I will hold them dear to my heart forever. Rest in peace dear friend.

Bette Hupfer Eyers - July 01, 2019 at 11:37 AM



Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Shirley R. Kreie.



June 30, 2019 at 01:08 PM



Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Shirley R. Kreie.



June 30, 2019 at 10:30 AM



Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Shirley R. Kreie.



June 29, 2019 at 11:10 AM



66 Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shirley R. Kreie.



June 29, 2019 at 09:25 AM



66 Shirley will be sadly missed. I loved working with her in Lomira. Her students and the teachers loved her. She always had a smile on her face and was a thoughtful and caring person. She was always so proud of her family and her faced beamed with joy, when she talked about them. Hopefully the wonderful memories will get you through this difficult time.

Cindy Hoffmann

friend of Shirley's and 5th grade teacher at Lomira Elementary School

Cindy Hoffmann - June 29, 2019 at 08:53 AM



Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Shirley R. Kreie.



June 28, 2019 at 07:58 PM



66 Ron and family,

Please accept our sincerest sympathy in the loss of Shirley. May she Rest In Peace and may you always have the fondest memories of her.

Jeanne and Chuck Bloedorn

Chuck Bloedorn - June 28, 2019 at 04:11 PM



66 Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shirley R. Kreie.



June 28, 2019 at 01:24 PM



Tammy Richter lit a candle in memory of Shirley R. Kreie



Tammy Richter - June 27, 2019 at 10:57 PM



I have many wonderful memories of Shirley... Playing softball with her, sitting on the back deck and drinking a few beers and telling teacher stories, block parties, running into her at Blanck's Supper club, and just laughing with her. She loved to have a good time. She loved telling stories about her kids and her grandchildren. She was so proud of all of you! She will be missed by many. Such a wonderful person. My condolences.

Tammy Richter - June 27, 2019 at 10:52 PM



I remember when I was little I admired her so much! I thought she was so beautiful and I wanted to be a teacher like her..I am so sorry to hear of her passing. I will always remember what a beautiful marriage she and my cousin Ron have had. All my condolences to the family and keeping them in my prayers.

Donna Boomsliter Pehowski - June 27, 2019 at 09:34 PM



I had her as a teacher in lomira. She was wonderful and I also got the chance to play softball against her as an adult. She will be missed. Rest in peace.

Danelle Flury - June 27, 2019 at 08:50 PM



Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Shirley R. Kreie.



June 27, 2019 at 08:43 PM