



Sharon D. Pearson

October 28, 1947 - January 13, 2025

Sharon D. Pearson, 77, of Washington, passed away after a long, courageous battle with illness, on Monday, January 13, 2025, at OSF St. Francis Medical Center in Peoria. She was born in Peoria on October 28, 1947, to Leslie and Maralee (Taylor) Bechtel. She married Daniel J. Pearson at Forest Hill United Methodist Church in Peoria, on December 19, 1981; he survives.

She is also survived by her 4 children, Tammy Dotson of Naperville, Tonya Lempesis of Peoria, Maralee (Paul) Whitesell of Hoagland, IN, and Jason (Sara) Pearson of Middlegrove; her 3 siblings, Greg, Teri, and Patty; 7 grandchildren, Ashley, Amanda, Alyssa, Amber, Sarah, R.J. and Chloe, and 6 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her brother, Donald.

Sharon dedicated her life to caring for her family. She was an avid plant and bird lover.

She attended Forest Hill United Methodist Church.

The family will receive friends at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, January 21, 2025, at Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Service in East Peoria, with a Memorial Service beginning at 6:00 p.m.

Online condolences may be left at www.GaryDeitersFH.com.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

JAN 21. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Services Inc. - East Peoria
444 E. Washington Street
East Peoria, IL 61611

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Sharon D. Pearson



Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Services - January 22, 2025 at 09:53 AM

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“ Greg and Lori Bechtel purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Sharon D. Pearson.



Greg and Lori Bechtel - January 21, 2025 at 09:56 AM

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“ The Weiland Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Sharon D. Pearson.



The Weiland Family - January 20, 2025 at 10:07 PM



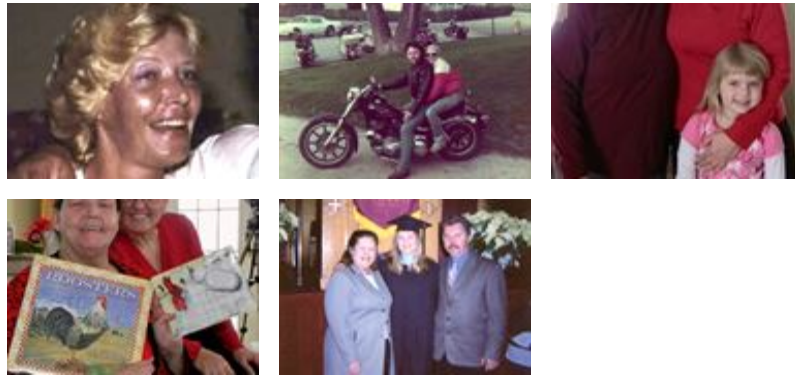
“ *The Passenheim Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Sharon D. Pearson.*



The Passenheim Family - January 18, 2025 at 10:27 AM



“ *32 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Services - January 17, 2025 at 06:54 PM