



## Shirley Anne Williams

July 18, 1936 - February 24, 2022

Shirley Anne Williams, 85, of Plymouth; passed away peacefully on February 24, 2022. Beloved wife to both James Work, who preceded her in death in 1969 and Bill Williams, who preceded her in 2014. Dear mother of Lloyd (Amy) Work and Sheryl (Pat) Jenkins. Proud grandmother of Isaac Work, David Work, Matthew Jenkins, and Jonathan Weirmeir. Caring sister of Lynda (Murray) Pigeon, Sue (Stan) Langlois, and the late Mary Lou Bezaire. Born in Harrow, Ontario, Canada to Lloyd and Irene Bondy, Shirley eventually settled in Michigan where she got married, raised her family, and worked as a Dental Technician. She retired from Bookwalter, Fee, and Wright Orthodontics in Plymouth.

The Funeral Mass will be held on Saturday, March 12, 2022, at 10:30 AM at St. Kenneth Catholic Church, 14951 N. Haggerty Road, Plymouth, MI 48170. The family will gather at the church beginning at 9:30 AM to greet friends until the time of Mass. There will be no visitation at the funeral home.

The Funeral Mass will be live streamed via Facebook beginning approximately 15 minutes before the start of Mass.

The address to join is: [www.facebook.com/vermeulensajewskifuneralhome/live/](https://www.facebook.com/vermeulensajewskifuneralhome/live/)

Memorial donation envelopes will be available at church for Mass Intentions in Shirley's name.

To share a memory with the family, please click on the 'Share a Memory' tab on this web page

Arrangement entrusted to the Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home, 46401 Ann Arbor Road W., Plymouth, MI 48170 (734) 459-2250

# Previous Events

## Gathering of Family and Friends

MAR 12. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

St Kenneth Catholic Church  
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## Funeral Mass

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Shirley Anne Williams*

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ *Love, Mike, Jo Ann, Jackie, & Marcy purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Shirley Anne Williams.*



**Love, Mike, Jo Ann, Jackie, & Marcy** - March 08, 2022 at 12:12 PM



“ *My Husband and I moved from Amherstburg, Ontario 16 years ago to Our home next to Shirley's. And, surprised to hear that she was from Amherstburg too. We would talk about our favorite restaurant over there Riccardo's...and how good the food was there. Shirl and I became good friends and she would drive me here and there although I drive, but she always liked to tease me that I'd get lost going to downtown Plymouth. She would come over for dinner once or twice a week and always left after Jeopardy as her favorite shows would be coming on. I am sure going to miss my friend Shirl. She was great and I liked to tell her I was her Favorite Neighbor. Phyllis and Emil*

**Phyllis Green** - March 08, 2022 at 08:55 AM

MS

“ I went to high school with Shirley in Amherstburg. I knew her as a fun loving and caring person . We had a few parties at her place and all were welcome.  
Since graduation we touched base from time to time when she visited her class reunions. More recently and before COVID some of us gathered for lunch. She was always upbeat and enjoyed herself We will certainly miss her..My sympathy to her family  
Sincerely Marilyn Suttprn

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**Msrilyn Sutton** - March 07, 2022 at 06:57 PM

DB

“ Shirley Williams was a wonderful person to work with bringing a smile to the office and always a cheerful and engaging manor every day. She created orthodontic study models that were admired by patients, parents and other doctors with great artistry and precision. Shirley cared deeply about her friends and always offered to do more for everyone around her. I wasn't shocked at all when I received a call from Shirley recently during my recovery from a medical issue...Shirley having the strength to see how I was doing from her own hospital bed in her home. That is Shirley! Shirley and her family will always be part of the Drs. Bookwalter, Fee, and Wright family. She is being missed! Dr. Roger Bookwalter

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**Dr Roger Bookwalter** - March 06, 2022 at 07:36 PM

AW

Our family thanks you for your very kind words. She is so missed and we appreciate you taking the time to share your experience with us.

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**Amy Work** - March 07, 2022 at 11:13 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shirley Anne Williams.*



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March 06, 2022 at 06:57 AM



“ *Shirley was such a vital force for her friends and family. Always will to drive people to appointments or out to lunch just for fun. She kept us moving, and at the end we kept her spirits moving. Glad her ship finally sailed with Bill just waiting patiently for her. Always had wind in her sails. Our gal was spunky and determined to live a full life. Amen, Pixie*



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**Anne Hedlund** - February 28, 2022 at 12:36 PM



*Thank you Pixie. I know you will miss her along with the rest of us. Hugs.*

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**Amy Work** - March 01, 2022 at 10:58 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Shirley Anne Williams.*



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February 26, 2022 at 11:49 PM

SL

“ So sorry to hear of the passing of Shirley, she was such a loving, generous and strong person. I enjoyed many years as friend and neighbor to Shirley and Bill.

*May God's Love and Peace be with her family. Love from Sue Lieser*

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**Sue Lieser** - February 26, 2022 at 10:29 PM

AW

*Thank you for your kind words, Sue.*

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**Amy Work** - February 27, 2022 at 05:57 PM

SJ

*Thank you Sue, she will be missed by all!!*

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**Sheryl Jenkins** - March 01, 2022 at 10:04 PM

JB

“ I dont have whole lot of memories with Aunt Shirley. What I do remember is the many stories my grams would share of her and Uncle Bill. We had only been together a few times and every time, I remember her beautiful, infectious smile and the positiveness of every word she spoke. Our last visit was a few months ago, and it was wonderful to sit with her. The stories and laughs we shared were very memorable. We spoke more through Facebook, and I enjoyed all her posts and comments. She will be missed, but Im happy she is now with the love of her life, and now they are holding each other and get to be with each other every day. And even better, they will be able to visit my grams and grandpa. Im sure they are laughing and talking up a storm. I'm sure I speak for the entire Garavalia side that our thoughts and prayers are, will continue to be, with her family and loved ones.

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**Jennifer Block** - February 26, 2022 at 10:10 PM

AW

*Thank you, Jennifer. Sweet memories.*

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**Amy Work** - February 27, 2022 at 05:56 PM

LM

“ *I am so very sorry for your loss. We loved Shirley and she helped my Mom so much. She was a blessing to us all. Wonderful lady! We will miss her.*

*The Lundy Family (Phil and Sharlene)*

*The Modjeski Family (Mike, Laura, Griffin and Jordan)*

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**Laura Modjeski** - February 26, 2022 at 10:01 PM

AW

*Thank you for your kind words, Laura. She and your mom did have a special friendship.*

*Amy (Shirley's daughter-in-law)*

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**Amy Work** - February 27, 2022 at 05:55 PM