



Sharon L. Johnson

January 4, 1951 - February 5, 2024

Sharon L. Johnson, 73, of Amsterdam, passed away early Monday morning on February 5, 2024 at Trinity West Hospital in Steubenville, Ohio.

A daughter of the late Isaac D. and Leona B. (Williams) Poling Sr., she was born on January 4, 1951 in Canton, Ohio.

Sharon found joy in the simple pleasures of life, using her hands to bring life to intricate patterns through the art of crochet. Her evenings were often filled with laughter as she indulged in her love for cartoons and online games. A devoted reader, Sharon could often be found engrossed in the pages of her favorite novels, escaping into different worlds with every turn. Yet, her greatest source of happiness came from the moments spent with her family, creating cherished memories that will be treasured for generations to come. She also adored her two faithful canine companions, Lexie and Sydney as their wagging tails and loyal presence brought so much warmth to her heart.

Along with her parents, Sharon was preceded in death by her husband, David Johnson; granddaughter, Sierra Randalson; brother, Isaac Poling Jr.; sister, Athena Poling; and nephew, Isaac D. Poling III. Her legacy lives on through her three children, Michelle Garkie, Skip (Maryjane) Reed, and David (Julie) Poling; step-son, Travis (Jennifer) Johnson; ten grandchildren, Cyteria Randalson, Melanie Reed, Cassandra Reed-Takoda Kmatz, Isaac Reed, Todd (Kristen) Poling, Lindsay (Tyler) Rowell, Emily Poling, Gracie Rowand, Zach Rowand, and Drew Rowand; six great grandchildren; and Kester Reed, who was both an amazing friend and ex-husband.

It was Sharon's wishes that no formal services be held, and cremation has taken place. In celebrating Sharon's life, let us remember the love she gave, the laughter she shared, and the countless memories that will forever be etched in our hearts.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in Sharon's memory to the ASPCA online at www.aspca.org or mailed to P.O. Box 96929 Washington, DC 20090-6929.