



Marie Shea

January 11, 1929 - July 10, 2012

Albany-Marie Catherine Shea, 83, passed away Tuesday, July 10th, 2012 surrounded by her loving family. Born in Toronto, Ontario, Marie was predeceased by her parents Albert and Doris Smith. She was the beloved wife of 60 years of Norman Shea, and dear mother of Catherine Newell of Guilderland (David, Albany), Laura Shea of Delmar, Maureen Shea of Guilderland, Peggy Franciosa of Downingtown, PA (Gerry), and Mary Ellen Shea of Voorheesville. She is survived by nine grandchildren; Jillian Price (Michael Schwabe), Mark Price, Casey Newell, Benjamin Newell, Michael Field, John Franciosa, Kate Franciosa, Alison Franciosa, and Tarryn Franciosa, and her great grandson, Jasper Schwabe. Marie is survived by her sisters; Marjorie Ball, Maggie McDowell, and predeceased by her brother Albert (Bud) Smith, and her sister Madeline Leprich (all of Toronto, Ontario). Also survived by her sister-in-law, Peggy Casey of Vancouver, brother-in-law, Barry Shea (Pat) of Toronto; and many nieces and nephews. She is also survived by many dear friends and former co-workers.

Marie was a Cornell Cooperative Extension Master Gardener since 1994, and a member of the Capital District Irish American Association. She was also a talented artist, who loved spending time with her family. She and her husband enjoyed traveling together to England, the Caribbean, Cape Cod, China, the Panama Canal, Arizona, Spain, and Canada.

Funeral services Monday, July 16, 2012 at 8:15 am from the McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 North Allen Street, Albany thence to the Historic Church of St. Mary on Capitol Hill, Albany at 9:00 am where a Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated.

Relatives and friends are invited and may call Sunday, July 15, 2012 4:00 to 7:00 pm in the funeral home.

Interment St. Agnes Cemetery, Menands.

Those wishing to remember Marie in a special way may send a contribution to Northeastern Association of the Blind, 301 Washington Ave., Albany, NY 12206.

To leave the family a special message on their guest book, obtain a prayer card or directions, or share a photo with them, please visit www.McveighFuneralHome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Marie Shea*



McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Marie Shea*

October 08, 2023 at 09:24 PM



“ *That's a cleevr answer to a tricky question##imported-begin##Darwish##imported-end##*

September 09, 2012 at 04:40 AM



“ *Norm: Our sympathy to you and your family on the passing of Marie. She was a treasure in your heart. When things settle down, we would love to hear from you*

John & Peg Barry

Our very best to you.##imported-begin##John and Peg

Barry##imported-end##

August 22, 2012 at 06:26 PM



“ Dear Norm & Family, My thoughts and prayers are with you at this very difficult time. It's been a pleasure to have known her over the years. She was a beautiful person who loved her family. She will be missed.##imported-begin##Peggy Tremblay##imported-end##

July 22, 2012 at 09:48 AM



“ Dear Norm and Family,
Having seen you and Marie so recently at the Hibernian we were so sad to hear the news.
Please accept our condolences.
Maureen and Mike Dolan (Joe's D's brother)##imported-begin##Maureen Dolan##imported-end##

July 17, 2012 at 08:28 AM



“ I am so sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##Kathryn Martin##imported-end##

July 15, 2012 at 02:42 PM



“ Norm,

Our deepest sympathies to you and your entire family.

Chris and Dan##imported-begin##Christine and Daniel Hyer##imported-end##

July 15, 2012 at 01:14 PM



“ Dear Shae family I am a friend of Peggy & Jerry from UMC of Thorndale Penna. I am so sorry to her about the loss of Mrs. Shae. I just saw Peggy last week and I know she was looking forward to going to New York and seeing everyone. Your family will be in my thought's and prayers. God bless.

Sincerely

Beth##imported-begin##Beth A. Barnes##imported-end##

July 13, 2012 at 02:18 PM



“ Dear Mary Ellen and the Shea family.

Our sincerest sympathies for the loss of your mother. Our prayers and thoughts are with you.

Sincerely,

Renee and Dan Devine##imported-begin##Renee and Dan Devine##imported-end##

July 13, 2012 at 09:48 AM



“ Kathy & family...I am so sorry to hear about your loss...may your happy memories help you during these troubled times...Peace##imported-begin##Terry Shea##imported-end##

July 13, 2012 at 08:00 AM



“ Dear Norm and girls-

When I think of Marie, I picture a bright, beautiful and funny woman whose presence in this world made it a better place to live for her being here. That will never change...her great soul leaves a mark on all who knew her. Please know I grieve with you all.

With love-Mary Catherine##imported-begin##Mary Catherine Daniels##imported-end##

July 13, 2012 at 06:45 AM