



## Carol Sue Shaw

July 19, 1945 - July 13, 2024

Carol Sue Shaw of Chestertown, MD passed away on July 13, 2024. She was 78 years old.

She was born in Webster Springs, WV, the daughter of the late George A. and Willa Forinash Douglas. She was raised there and graduated from Webster Springs High School in 1963. She went on to attend Shepherd University and later graduated from West Virginia University in Morgantown, WV. During this time, she met Lowell Shaw through their involvement in 4-H, and the two were married in 1968.

In 1975 Carol and Lowell moved to Parkersburg, WV, where their son Doug was born. In 1988, the family moved to Chestertown, MD, where Carol became a member of First United Methodist Church where she remained a pillar of the church until her death. She worked at Drayton Retreat Center in Worton, MD until its closing, and then at the Imperial Hotel in Chestertown until retirement.

She enjoyed cooking, cross stitch, traveling, and reading. Carol will be remembered as an excellent cook and a woman of abiding Christian faith.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Lowell Shaw, and her brother, Steve Douglas and his wife Donna.

She is survived by her son, Doug Shaw; brother, Scott Douglas (Jeannie); brothers-in-law, Charles Shaw (Ginger) and Lynn Shaw (Carrie); sister-in-law Phyllis Douglas, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Services will be held Saturday, July 27, 2024, at 3pm at First United Methodist Church in Chestertown, MD. Interment will be held later at Sunset Memorial Gardens in Parkersburg, WV.

In remembrance of Carol, donations may be made in her name to Christ First United Methodist Church (P.O. Box 262, Chestertown, MD 21620) or The Center for Youth in Rochester, NY (905 Monroe Avenue, Rochester, NY 14620; [www.centerforyouth.net](http://www.centerforyouth.net)).

# Previous Events

## Service

JUL **27**. 3:00 PM (ET)

First United Methodist Church  
Chestertown, MD

# Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Carol Sue Shaw* ”



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**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - July 23, 2024 at 03:24 PM

JA

“ *I am so sorry to hear to Carol's passing. May the Lord give her family and friends comfort at this time.* ”

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**Jacqueline** - July 31, 2024 at 09:51 AM

KD

“ *I have many fond memories of Carol at Drayton Manor and also through her creative involvement with the United Methodist Fellowship of Worship Artists. The family remains in my thoughts and prayers.* ”

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**Kerry Dietz** - July 28, 2024 at 02:16 PM



“ *Laura Lassiter lit a candle in memory of Carol Sue Shaw* ”



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**Laura Lassiter** - July 24, 2024 at 06:00 PM

JW

“ *Janie And Greg Welch lit a candle in memory of Carol Sue Shaw*



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**Janie and Greg Welch** - July 20, 2024 at 05:45 AM

DC

“ *Donna Clough lit a candle in memory of Carol Sue Shaw*



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**Donna Clough** - July 19, 2024 at 07:34 PM

CH

“ *Cheryl Hurd lit a candle in memory of Carol Sue Shaw*



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**Cheryl Hurd** - July 17, 2024 at 09:50 AM