

Today we gather to remember and celebrate an incredible woman, Sharon. She was the kind of person whose love filled a room, whose strength carried many through difficult times, and whose kindness touched more lives than she probably realized. She was more than just a mother, sister, friend, grandmother. She was a source of comfort, wisdom, laughter, and unconditional love. No matter what was happening in life, she always knew how to make people feel welcomed, cared for, and important.

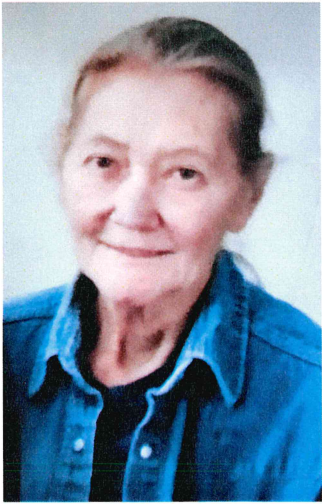
She taught us lessons that will stay with us forever - how to be strong when life gets difficult, how to love deeply, how to give without expecting anything in return, and how important family truly is. Her heart was bigger than words can describe.

While losing her leaves a space in our hearts that can never be filled, we are grateful for every memory, hug, conversation, and moment we were lucky enough to share with her. She may no longer be with us physically, but her love, values, and the impact she had on us will live on forever. We will carry her with us in everything we do.

Grandma Sharon, thank you for being the amazing woman you were. You were loved more than words can express, and you will be missed every single day.

-Carmen





Sharon Jean Verduin (Breuer) passed away peacefully at home surrounded by her loved ones on May 19th, after a brief illness. True to her strong and stubborn nature, she held on as long as she could before her Savior called her home.

Sharon came into the world on July 28, 1956, born to Marvin and Marcella Breuer in Sioux Center, Iowa. Along with a big sister Joyce, she grew up in rural Sioux County and later the towns of Boyden and Hull, where she was a tomboy who preferred spending her time outside barefoot and

tagging along with her grandpa Henry on the farm.

In 1972, she was blessed with a daughter, Cheri. In 1979, she married the love of her life, Dale, in Washington state, where they welcomed daughter Stacy in 1982. In 1984, after returning to Iowa to be closer to family, their last daughter Amber was born.

Sharon will be remembered for many things, her sense of humor not the least of them. Some of her favorite pastimes were playing cards, listening to music on the radio and doing a jig to her favorites, and watching the weather on the news.

She never lost her love for the outdoors, and in the warm months she could often be found working in her large vegetable garden or her flower beds. During harvest time she spent many hours canning and preserving her bounty and sharing her surplus. She had a very large heart, always putting others before herself, beings both two-legged and four-legged, wild and domestic.

Sharon was preceded in death by her parents, Marvin and Marcella; sister, Joyce; and a granddaughter, Deja. She is survived by her husband of nearly 47 years, Dale; daughters, Cheri, Stacy, and Amber; niece, Amy; granddaughter, Nicole; grandsons, Ezra and Ira; and great-granddaughters, Carmen, Zakia, and Marcella.

Celebrating The Life Of Sharon Jean Verduin

July 28, 1956 ~ May 19, 2026

