



Shirley Irene Farrell

September 6, 1936 - February 20, 2023

TORRINGTON, Wyoming --- Shirley Irene (Pugsley) Farrell, 86, passed away at her home on February 20, 2023, surrounded by her loving family. Funeral services will be held at 1PM Monday, February 27, at the First Congregational Church with Pastor Matt Gordon officiating. Burial will take place in the Valley View Cemetery.

The casket will open at the church 1 hour prior to services.

Memorials can be made to the First Congregational Church in Shirley's name. Arrangements are under the direction of the Colyer Funeral Home and friends may send their condolences to the family at www.colyerfuneralhome.com

Shirley was born at home in Moore Springs Community, WY, on September 6, 1936, to Cecil C.

and Ruth M. (Jesdinsky) Pugsley. Shirley graduated from Torrington High School in 1955. She

married the love of her life, Ivan Farrell at the United Presbyterian Church in Torrington, WY on May 14, 1956.

Shirley worked at the First National Bank in Torrington for eight years and was a clerk at the

Crook County Treasurers Office in Sundance, WY for seven years. Shirley and Ivan were lifelong

residents of Wyoming, living in Torrington, Cheyenne, Jackson Hole, and Sundance. Shirley was

a loving wife and mother; she enjoyed traveling to see the beautiful sites of our country and visiting family with her husband, Ivan. She was a wonderful homemaker and cook, a beautiful seamstress, she loved gardening and did plenty of canning. Shirley was a self-taught artist, gifting some of her paintings to her family.

Shirley was an active member of the First Congregational Church and of Gleanor's Union. She helped each year making cabbage buns for her church fundraisers and preparing for the yearly Ham and Bean Supper.

Shirley is survived by her loving husband of 66 years, Ivan Farrell; her three children, son Donald (Marie) of Custer, SD, daughter Diana Preuninger (Richard) of Powell, WY, and son David (Sherri) of Mounds View, MN; her brother Jack Pugsley (Elaine) of Torrington, sisters Janet Sanders of Torrington, Joyce Birkley (Dan) of Torrington and Nancy Martin (Bob) of Cedar Creek, TX; six grandchildren, Dakota, Rachel, Richard III, Gabby, Brandon, and Courtney; three great grandchildren, Haden, Karlee, and Jimmy.

She was preceded in death by her mother, father, brother Lee and brother-in-law, James.

Cemetery Details

Valley View Cemetery

30th Avenue
Torrington, WY 82240

Previous Events

Funeral Service

FEB 27. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (MT)

First Congregational Church
2102 East E
Torrington, WY 82240
(307) 532-5595

Tribute Wall

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“ *Arlene (Hahn) Arnold purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Shirley Irene Farrell.*



Arlene (Hahn) Arnold - February 28, 2023 at 11:57 PM

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“ *I want the family to know I had a good time rooming with Shirley in the Styles Apartments, during our Senior year. We were both raised in the country so had a lot in common. That was a time of my life I will always remember with Shirley. I know she will be missed by many. Now I live in MO.*

Arlene (Hahn) Arnold - February 28, 2023 at 11:39 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Shirley Irene Farrell.*



February 25, 2023 at 02:37 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Shirley Irene Farrell.*



February 24, 2023 at 01:45 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Shirley Irene Farrell.*



February 24, 2023 at 01:10 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Shirley Irene Farrell.*



February 24, 2023 at 12:01 PM



“ *Nick, Greg and Sue Beaudoin purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Shirley Irene Farrell.*



Nick, Greg and Sue Beaudoin - February 23, 2023 at 05:58 PM



“ *Carol Peterson lit a candle in memory of Shirley Farrell*



Carol Peterson - February 22, 2023 at 03:45 PM