



## Sherry C. Levy

May 13, 1957 - April 20, 2022

Sherry C. Levy, 64, of Clarion, passed away early Wednesday morning, April 20, 2022 at the Clarion Hospital following a brief but courageous battle with cancer.

She was born on May 13, 1957 in Chambersburg; a daughter of the late Guy and Virginia Furley Cump.

Sherry graduated from Case Western Reserve University with a BFA in Theatre in 1978, where she went on to be a nationally touring actress.

After moving to Clarion in 1986, she started working at Wein's on Main Street and had her own clothing alterations business, Having A Fit. In her free time, Sherry loved swimming at the YMCA and her frequent visits to see her friends and family.

She is survived by her son, Samuel Levy and his fiancée, Sydney, of Monroeville; her grandchildren, Hannah, Charlotte, Lex, and Oaklynn; a sister, Guyla Alwine of State College; a nephew, Guy Alwine, also of State College; and her former husband, Robert Levy of Clarion.

In addition to her immediate family, Sherry leaves behind countless friends and former customers who meant the world to her and she cherished each and every one of them. Sherry was preceded in death by her parents.

Family and friends will be received from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Friday, April 22, 2022 at the Robert V. Burns Funeral Home in Clarion.

A private graveside service will take place at the Norland Cemetery in Chambersburg.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests contributions in honor of Sherry be made to a charity of one's choice.

# Cemetery Details

## Norland Cemetery

Chambersburg, PA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 22. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Robert V. Burns Funeral Home  
638 Wood Street  
Clarion, PA 16214  
<https://www.rvburnsfuneralhome.com>

# Tribute Wall

AD

“ Having know her since high school my heart is broken 💔  
sending condolences and prayers to her family and son.  
*Alice Schmitt Dasher*



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**Alice Dasher** - April 23 at 05:12 PM

BD

“ Prayers and blessings to the family. What a great legacy Sherry left for you. It was my pleasure and joy to know her over the years. She will be missed by many. Much love to you,

*Brenda Sanders Dede*

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**Brenda Sanders Dede** - April 21 at 07:38 PM

BO

“ Sherry was a great friend We talked or texted daily . She loved her family and spoke about the grand children often . Friends were a large part of her life . She enjoyed everyone of them .  
Bridal gowns , prom gowns , and other alterations kept her busy as a seamstress . Mask making was a vital service she provided to the community during the pandemic .  
Flamingos , gnomes , dunkn donuts especially coffee cake muffins , strawberry iced donuts , and hazelnut coffee , homemade baked goods , the furry convention in Pittsburgh ( I took pictures for her and shared ) , and sharing Pittsburgh pirate scores despite loosing seasons were some of her favorite things.  
We both went to CWRU and shared stories about Cleveland and the University . Sherry and I would discuss world and local issues . She saw the issues and had great solutions .  
Sherry will be missed I am glad I had one last visit with her while in the hospital .  
RIP

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**Beth-Anne Oliver** - April 21 at 07:08 PM

ES

“ Sherry is one of two people with whom I had a farewell lunch when I retired from Clarion University and left Clarion. That’s how much she meant to me. I would see her only when I had her hem a pair of recently bought pants - maybe two or three times a year. I have many pairs of pants that Sherry altered in my closet, and will forever think of her each time I wear them.

She was such a ray of sunshine! A fantastic conversationalist, who always had a good story to share! She adored her son, Sam, his fiancée and - most of all - her grandkids.

I remember being in awe at the huge number of masks that she made and gave away to the Clarion community during the pandemic. Yes, that is how giving, generous, and kind Sherry was.

She will be missed by all.

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Elisabeth Sauvage-Callaghan - April 21 at 08:21 AM



“ Roses For Sympathy was purchased for the family of Sherry C. Levy.



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April 21 at 08:16 AM

DF

“ So sorry for your loss. Sheri and I always had great chats anytime I was out to see her for some of her expertise. We also were at the Y when I was there for therapy. She will be sadly missed.

Debbie



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Debbie Ferringer - April 20 at 09:50 PM

TB

“ She was my go to person for sewing advice and questions. There are very few seamstresses out there, so we have to stick together. She was never too busy to answer my messages.. she was an amazing seamstress whom I respected. She was also very kind, and generous, and helped many people solve clothing issues . Rest In Peace Sherry.

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Tina Bennett - April 20 at 09:06 PM

MR

“ *My sincere condolences to the family. Sandra and Michele will keep all of you in thoughts and Prayers at this difficult time. We love you Gulya and family.*

Michele Ray-Bannon - April 20 at 05:59 PM

GA

“ *Guyla and Tim Alwine and son Guy Alwine purchased the Multicolor Bright Sympathy Floor Basket for the family of Sherry C. Levy.*



Guyla and Tim Alwine and son Guy Alwine - April 20 at 04:04 PM

DT

“ *Your lil buddy loves and thanks you for getting me the job at WEIN's when I needed it most..could not wait to get to work, treats in hand to share a day selling clothing to make our customers feel pretty in their choices..Sherry knew your size, style, fit and could tell you what day and year you bought your last outfit! Brilliant, talented and made every bride she worked for feel even more spectacular on her special day by the care, attention to detail of each gown she altered..May Heaven be playing an endless loop of Trace, Pentatonix, American Idol, Voice and Broadway hits for you as we enjoyed talking about music and theater in our spare time at work..Sherry had a phenomenal relationship with her grandchildren and loved them with a passion.. she would share the cutest pictures of the four of them with me and truly could not wait to get to see them.. my deepest sympathy to the entire Levy family.. No wit could stand up to her crown.. I will hold you so close always, my dear friend..Debbie Thorpe*

Debbie Thorpe - April 20 at 04:01 PM