



Charlotte J. Hornberger

March 8, 1956 - April 7, 2026

Charlotte J. Hornberger, age 70, of Clarion, passed away unexpectedly of natural causes on Tuesday, April 7, 2026, at the Clarion Hospital.

She was born on March 8, 1956, in New Kensington to the late Charles O'Malley Robert Reed and Gertrude Maude Reed Alwine.

Charlotte was a graduate of Redbank Valley High School.

She was a homemaker who took pride in her family and cherished spending time with them, especially her grandchildren.

Charlotte enjoyed attending the Life Program of Northwestern Pennsylvania in Clarion weekly and was an avid Baltimore Ravens fan.

She leaves behind her daughter, Angie Hawkins, and her husband, Shane, of Florida; two sons, Dean Hornberger and his wife, Samantha, of Sligo, and Michael Hornberger and his wife, Katie, of Hawthorn; eight grandchildren, Eric, Carly, Quintin, Bailey, Brenna, Savannah, Kylee, and Caleb; and her husband and father of her children, Roger Dean Hornberger of Widnoon.

Charlotte also leaves behind her sister, Jane Alwine of Clarion, and three brothers, Albert Alwine and his wife, Cindy, of Maryland, Eugene Alwine of New Bethlehem, and Benny Alwine of New Kensington; as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her significant other, Ken Edwards, and three brothers, Butch Alwine, Jim Alwine, and Bob Reed.

The Robert V. Burns Funeral Home in Clarion has the distinct honor of serving the family.

Per Charlotte's wishes, there will be no public visitation or services.
Cremation care has been entrusted to the RV Burns Crematorium, Inc.
In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations to the funeral home to help cover funeral expenses.

Tribute Wall

SM

“ Aww Charlotte. What a shock to hear. I sure will miss u. I am soo glad I met you through Life NWPA. Always enjoyed our talks. R.I.P. Lady.... My condolences to your family and friends.



Shontell McKinney - April 09 at 12:53 PM

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“ Charlotte has been my best friend for many years. She was always there for me if I needed someone to talk to. I enjoyed my visits with her and will cherish my memory of her. I will surely miss her, and already do. I'm happy that she can rest in peace now.

Laura Ebert - April 08 at 06:25 PM

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Love you Laura and thank you for being there for her. She was a beautiful person, she had her flaws but she also had a heart of gold. Growing up she was a bad wife, a bad drunk but an amazing mother, she had dinner ready every day at 3:30 pm when we got off the school bus even if it was the same mac and cheese or mashed potatoes she always had dinner ready, she was always there for all us kids and would have given the shirt off her back for us or her life for us. She loved Stevie Nicks and Fleetwood Mac. I played landslide while cleaning her house yesterday and it made me bawl thinking about her. I try to live this way when we left her house last thursday me and sam and savannah all gave her a kiss and a hug goodbye but if i knew that was the last time i would ever see her i would hugged her a little longer. She missed her mom and ken and vern. Id like to think shes with them smiling down on us. Im so lost without her. I don't know what to do. she was my best friend. we talked every day. Shes always been there for me, even when i didn't deserve it. The world lost a beautiful soul and the sun will shine a little less bright because of it. I love you mom I'm glad you're not in pain anymore but i will miss you forever. I will see you again someday. If you can watch over Sam and Savannah, they love and miss you so much. Thanks for always being there for me. <3

Dean Hornberger - April 09 at 10:22 PM