



## Deanna P. Shpakoff

January 4, 1942 - August 22, 2025

Deanna Pearl McGuire Allen Shpakoff, 83, of Clarion, PA, was born in New Brighton, PA, on January 4, 1942. She passed away on Friday, August 22, 2025, after a brief illness, at home, surrounded by her family. One of 10 children, she was the daughter of Harry W. "Mick" and Loreda Mae Thomas McGuire. Deanna was preceded in death by her parents; her infant brother, Timothy and younger brother, G. Calvin McGuire; her first husband of 26 years, Robert W. Allen; her second husband of 29 years, Edward Shpakoff; and brothers-in-law Charles "John" Eaker and Samuel "Reeves" Henry. Deanna was a beloved mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and sister. She is survived by her children: Noreen (Bill) Shirey of Clarion, Kevin (Shari) Allen of Butler, Marjorie (Eric) Bish of Lebanon, NH, and Mary Jo (Lance) McFeely of North East, PA. Deanna was a devoted grandmother to Spencer Wm. Shirey, Dr. Kaitlyn (Rommel) Allen Makajil, Jacob William Allen, Dr. Michaela (Lucas) Bish Goodwin, Carter (Grace) Bish, Sydney Rose Bish, Madison (Garrett) McFeely McCaslin, and Riley Dianna McFeely; and great-grandchildren, William Lee and Millan Thomas Allen, Lyra Olivia Goodwin, Miles Scott McCaslin, and Baby Bish due in January. She is also survived by her siblings: Harry O. "Mick" (Carol) McGuire, Mary C. Henry, Patricia A. Eaker, M. Kay (Gary) Dreihaupt, Fred M. (Lynn) McGuire, J. Dennis (Marilyn) McGuire, J. Jean (Malcolm) Shpakoff, and D. Lee (Sherri) McGuire. She had many nieces and nephews and three very special great-nieces: Anna, Josey and Carlie Shpakoff. Deanna was an avid quilter, baker, gardener, and bingo

player. She was a member of the Limestone Fire Company, the Strattanville American Legion Ladies Auxiliary, and a former member of the Pinecrest Country Club. Deanna was of the Methodist faith and a proud graduate of Clarion-Limestone Class of 1960. Along with her family, she cherished the companionship of her loyal furry friend, Henry. We would often say mom got more done by 9 am than most people did all day. She instinctively knew what you needed before you did. She gave endlessly of her time to our family and others through acts of kindness and service. Her legacy of love and generosity will live on through all who knew her. The Robert V. Burns Funeral Home in Clarion is handling the arrangements. A remembrance service for all those able to attend will be held at the First United Methodist Church on Wood Street in Clarion, PA, on Saturday, August 30, at 11 a.m. with doors opening at 10:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to either the Limestone Fire Company or the Strattanville American Legion Ladies Auxiliary. If you are fortunate enough to have received one of her quilts, we would love for you to display it on the back of your pew during the remembrance service.

# Cemetery Details

## Clarion Cemetery

Clarion, PA

# Previous Events

## Remembrance Service

AUG **30**. 11:00 AM (ET)

First United Methodist Church  
600 Wood Street  
Clarion, PA 16214

# Tribute Wall

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“ With Sympathy and Friendship, we send our Condolences to the many families of Deanna. She was a wonderful person ,who was pleasant to everyone. I enjoyed having her as a friend through the many years we spent at Clarion Limestone School and beyond. She would help on the reunion committe and helped in the future years of keeping me informed of what our classmates were doing, and who had deceased. I miss hearing from her. She is in a better place with peace and no pain. May God bless all of you, as you grieve a wonderful person, who was in your life. The living classmates of the class of 1960 extend their sympathy and friendship to your family. Clark and Kay(Hulings) McKee - Secretary of C-L Class of 1960.

Kay Hulings McKee - September 01, 2025 at 11:08 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Deanna P. Shpakoff.



August 29, 2025 at 11:52 AM

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“ My deepest sympathy and prayers.

Annette M. Nelson - August 28, 2025 at 09:51 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Deanna P. Shpakoff.



August 26, 2025 at 01:59 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Deanna P. Shpakoff.

August 26, 2025 at 01:59 PM



“ To Kevin & Shari Allen family  
You have our deepest sympathy on the passing of your Mom. May God be with you and grant you peace during this most difficult time.  
Love and hugs.  
Rick & Irena Reeder

Irena Reeder - August 24, 2025 at 04:03 PM



I'm sorry to hear of your mother's passing Margie. I remember her as a fun loving woman who was always wearing a smile. ❤️Patty (Fiscus) Bilodeau

Patricia Bilodeau - August 25, 2025 at 09:23 AM



Thank you, Patty. ❤️

mbish - August 25, 2025 at 08:11 PM

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“ Sarah K. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Deanna P. Shpakoff.

Sarah K. - August 24, 2025 at 01:21 PM

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“ Love, John +Leslie King +Family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Deanna P. Shpakoff.



Love, John +Leslie King +Family - August 24, 2025 at 11:55 AM

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“ I am devastated to know Dee has passed. She was such a lovely woman, kind, caring, loving, energetic and loved by so many. She would bake up those delicious rolls and share with me and my kids when they were young. Our kids went to school together and we were close neighbors. My Mom and Dad loved her too. A lot of history with her. Making hay, corn roasts, eating her baked goods and lots of laughs. Rest in peace Dee. My sincere condolences to all the family. Love, Nancy Lehman Hill

Nancy Lehman Hill - August 23, 2025 at 09:04 PM