



Sharon Des Jardins-Bodley

January 6, 1941 - September 23, 2019

On Monday, September 23, 2019, Sharon Lee Des Jardins-Bodley, loving wife, mother, grandmother, and sister, passed away at the age of 78.

Sharon was born in 1941, the oldest of seven children. She grew up in Crosswell, Michigan, and attended Michigan State University. After moving to Wilmington, Delaware in 1976, she earned her Paralegal Degree. She worked for 28 years at the Community Legal Aid Society and was once selected as Delaware Paralegal of the Year. She was known for the compassion and dedication she showed to her clients.

In 2000 she returned to Michigan to be nearer to her family. There, she met and married her husband, Richard Bodley in 2005.

Sharon's passion in life was gardening. Her garden in the Greenbush subdivision was featured on the Lexington Garden Tour in 2005. She loved trying new flowers and plants each season, and family members were liable to be drafted to help with mulching each spring. She spent the summer of 2019 adding a new bed to her backyard. In addition to her garden, Sharon was known for her incredible cooking and baking. She loved to welcome family and friends to her home with cookies, brownies, and her special "homemade" lemonade.

Sharon is preceded in death by her father, Lee; her mother, Frances; and her brother, Gary. She is survived by her husband, Dick; her son Tim and daughter-in-law Lisa; her daughter Meredith and son-in-law, Patrick; her grandchildren Aaron and Abby; her sisters Bonnie, Terry, Gail and Sheila; her

brother, Larry; and her beloved Australian Shepherd, Gus.

A celebration of life will be held in the summer of 2020.

Cremation arrangements in care of, Jowett Funeral Home, 1634 Lapeer Avenue, Port Huron.

To view the obituary and share memories, please visit www.jowettfuneraldirectors.com

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Richard Bodley - October 12, 2019 at 03:04 PM

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Richard Bodley - October 12, 2019 at 03:02 PM

LC

“ I met Sharon a few years ago while we were both walking our dogs. At that time her husband, Dick, was in the hospital in Ann Arbor so we met every day to walk together. Her dog, Gus, and Kilo got along very well. Later, Diesel, joined the 2 dogs. Sharon was so sweet and we talked for hours during all our walks. We shared plants and rocks. She loves the flat stones. We ended up with a few more dog walkers and missed Sharon while she was laid up following knee surgery. This summer she was able to join us again. I miss her every day when I walk my dog. Rest in peace Sharon. Always. Linda Clay

Linda I Clay - October 03, 2019 at 09:31 AM

JS

“ *Lea & I have never had much luck in creating a beautiful lush Garden like Sharon had in Greenbush, Lea did however acquire some of Sharon’s Chocolate Mint, it’s thrived for years!!
Our Children were lucky to have grown up spending a lot of time in Lexington with Aaron & Abby, they were blessed with being able to call her Grammy Sharon while also enjoying the best Brownies, Cookies & Lemonade ever!!
Our Hearts go out to Sharon's family, She will be deeply missed!!
With Love
The Schmidt’s*



Jeff Schmidt - October 01, 2019 at 09:33 AM

JW

“ *Condolences to the family. R.I.P. Sharon*



Jim & Sue Weller - October 01, 2019 at 07:25 AM

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“ *Terry A Partlo lit a candle in memory of Sharon Des Jardins-Bodley*



Terry A Partlo - October 01, 2019 at 07:00 AM

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Des Jardins Angie - September 30, 2019 at 08:40 PM

KM

“ We knew Sharon because she lived next to our cottage in Huronia Heights. It was always a pleasure to arrive at the cottage and see Sharon and Gus. SHE always had a good word and was so helpful to me in planning my flower beds. She will be missed by everyone at "Joan's Place" cottage.

Karen Murphy - September 27, 2019 at 09:31 AM

EH

Sharon was also our neighbor right behind us and we are in shock with this news. What a delightful lady and her best friend Gus.

ernest hazuka - September 29, 2019 at 03:58 PM

AJ

Sharon loved her sea glass and her dog. She was health conscious and the kids and family talk about her healthy cookies that I never had the pleasure of trying. The Des Jardins family is large and caring and Sharon has been the matriarch for some time. Peace be with you in heaven Sharon.

Angie Des Jardins - September 30, 2019 at 08:34 PM