



Sharon A. Whiting

December 29, 1944 - May 8, 2023

On May 9th, Sharon Whiting, treasured wife, mother and sister, passed away peacefully after a fulfilling 79 years.

Sharon was a lifelong resident of Port Huron. She met her future husband John Whiting in high school, and both attended Michigan State University majoring in education. After graduation both came back to their hometown and began long careers as educators with Sharon teaching special education at McKinley, middle school at Central and elementary at Garfield. She made a difference in the lives of countless children who will always remember her mix of kindness and wisdom that makes for an exceptional teacher.

Sharon and John married in 1968 and had three children, daughters Amy and Molly and son Jason. She was loving and giving to all around her, especially her grandchildren Madison Davis and Jade, Jewel, and Brock Whiting. She is also survived by sisters Linda and Susan.

Sharon was an avid antique collector, compassionate animal lover and advocate, gardener, and ever-loyal Spartan fan. She was proud of her German heritage and both she and John were deeply involved in Port Huron's long-running Oktoberfest celebration. They were also planners and enthusiastic participants in their Port Huron High reunions over the years.

Sharon leaves behind her love of early rock and roll, pets of all kinds, old movies, family history, and fond memories from annual pilgrimages to Walt Disney World with her extended family.

She joins her husband John who passed in 2017. The family will be celebrating her life privately. Please consider donating in Sharon's memory to the Blue Water Humane Society.

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

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

Tribute Wall

BF

“ I remember Mr and Mrs Whiting they were really good teachers their daughter Molly was in my class they were really good people I will miss them both so very very much my thoughts and prayers go out to the family at this most difficult time especially Molly she will be missed they both will be missed they were really good teachers they treated you like family when you are in their classrooms you are always treated like family she was my teacher for a while and she was a really good teacher they both were and when I used to go to woodland with my class I used to see Mr . Whiting he was always funny and he always had something good to say they're both going to be missed so very very much my thoughts and prayers go out to you all to at this most difficult time their teachers now up in heaven because they were great teachers down here on Earth I will keep you all my thoughts and prayers rest in peace my friends you are some of the best teachers I could ever ask for

Buddy fox - May 11, 2023 at 12:47 PM

SU

“ Dear Linda and Susan,
I was so saddened to read about the loss of your sister, Sharon. I have so many fun memories of our youth and the times I spent at your home with all of you, and notably, the great times we all had skating at Palmer Park! My thoughts and prayers are with you both and with Sharon's family.
Sarah Richards Ullenbruch

Sarah Ullenbruch - May 10, 2023 at 07:34 AM

SH

Thank you for your thoughtful comments. Yes, Palmer Park skating will be with us forever.

Susan Hess - May 10, 2023 at 04:29 PM

RH

Sharon was the anchor of the PHHS class of 1963. She will be missed.

Rick Heering - May 10, 2023 at 05:53 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Sharon A. Whiting.*



May 09, 2023 at 06:29 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Sharon A. Whiting.*



May 09, 2023 at 04:41 PM