



## Shirley Mae Porcaro

August 25, 1935 - July 25, 2022

Shirley Mae (Gordon) Porcaro, 86, of Sault Ste. Marie, MI passed away Monday July 25, 2022 in Sault Ste. Marie, MI. She was born August 25, 1935 in Sault Ste. Marie, MI to James and Olive (Bergeron) Gordon.

Some of Shirley's happiest moments were spent playing Bingo and playing cards with her grandchildren. She was also a member of the Christopher Columbus Ladies Auxiliary.

Shirley is survived by her son, James "Jay" (Melanie) Porcaro; daughters, Janice Porcaro and Jenette Porcaro (Chuck) Miller; grandchildren, Jennifer Miller (Michael) Helms, Jacob (Sarah) Miller; great grandchildren, Ava, Hailee, Gabriella, and Cassandra.

Shirley is predeceased by her husband, Joseph J. Porcaro; parents, James and Olive Gordon; siblings, James and Connie.

Visitation will be Saturday July 30, 2022 from 9:00am until the time of Mass of Christian Burial at 11:00am at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, 1101 Minneapolis St. Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783, with Father Bradley Sjoquist officiating. Final resting place will be Oaklawn Chapel Gardens. Clark Hovie Galer Funeral Home assisted the family with arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Oaklawn Chapel Gardens

15264 South M-129  
Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL **30**. 9:00 AM (ET)

St. Joseph's Catholic Church  
1011 Minneapolis St  
Marie, MI 49783

# Tribute Wall



“ *Shirley Mae Porcaro*

October 05, 2023 at 09:54 AM



“ *Shirley Mae Porcaro*

October 02, 2023 at 10:14 PM



“ *I just now saw this. I know we all age but it's always a shock when someone we know passes.*

*Shirley was my cousin. Her dad and my mom were brother and sister (Aunt nee as Shirley called her because when she was little couldn't pronounce Geneva). Loved her laughter. Loved sitting in on conversations with her, her mom and my mom. Shirley and Joe would babysit my two brothers and me when my parents went on one week vacations year after year. They always stayed at our house then. Shirley was a major player when my mom became ill, she was there for my dad and she helped with funeral arrangements. She was at the hospital with my mom when my dad needed her. She was a wonderful person. Her mom and dad were the best Aunt and Uncle ever. Shirley, go find your Aunt Nee and Uncle Ray.*

**Verla Varino** - September 20, 2022 at 12:16 PM



“ *Shirley Mae Porcaro*

September 01, 2022 at 07:49 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Shirley Mae Porcaro.*



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July 28, 2022 at 07:28 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Shirley Mae Porcaro.*



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July 27, 2022 at 09:49 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Shirley Mae Porcaro.*



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July 27, 2022 at 09:00 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shirley Mae Porcaro.*



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July 27, 2022 at 08:31 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Shirley Mae Porcaro.* ”



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July 27, 2022 at 08:01 AM