



Carolyn Shumyla

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Carolyn M. Shumyla, age 39, of Lorain, died on Wednesday, May 12, 2010 at University Hospital, Cleveland, following a long battle with Lupus.

Carolyn was born on July 7, 1970 in Lorain, where she has been a lifelong resident. She was a 1988 graduate of Admiral King High School and received her Associate's Degree in Applied Science at Lorain County Community College.

Carolyn was employed as a RN at Hospice of Western Reserve for 8 years, prior to this she was a RN at EMH Regional Medical Center, Elyria.

She was a member of Lorain Lighthouse United Methodist Church. Carolyn was also a member of the Lupus Foundation and volunteered at the Humane Society of America.

She was very artistic and was known as "Martha". She enjoyed her dog, Mickhail and spending time with her nieces and nephews.

She was survived by her parents, Robert "Bob" and Marilyn (nee Wilding) Shumyla, sisters, Pamela "Brian" Root, of Brecksville, OH, Janice (Johnathan) Papai, of Bedford, KY, nieces and nephews, Johnathan Papai, Brendan Root, Tylar Papai, Shelby Papai, Jacob Root, and dear friend, Robert Triniszewski, of Arkansas.

The family will receive friends on Sunday, May 16, 2010 from 1-6 p.m. at the Dovin and Reber Jones Funeral & Cremation Center, 1110 Cooper Foster Park Road, Amherst, Ohio 44001, where funeral services will be held on Monday at 11:00 a.m. Rev. Greg Sellers, Pastor of Lorain Lighthouse United Methodist Church, will officiate. Burial will follow in Ridge Hill Memorial Park.

Contributions in her memory may be made to the Lupus Foundation, 12930 Chippewa Road, Cleveland, OH 44141 or to Lorain Lighthouse United Methodist Church, 3015 Meister Road, Lorain, Ohio 44053.



Events

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Visitation

 **Sunday**, May 16, 2010


 1:00 PM - 6:00 PM ET


 **Dovin and Reber Jones Funeral & Cremation Center**

1110 Cooper Foster Park Road, Amherst OH
44001



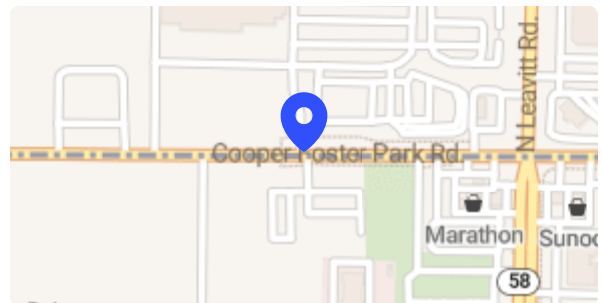
Funeral Service

 **Monday**, May 17, 2010

 11:00 AM ET

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Tribute Wall

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BF

Brad Love - New Palestine, In - Friend posted:

Carolyn was 2 years behind me at AKHS and always a joy to be around. I just stumbled on this page and was shocked. I am so sorry to hear this.

August 4 at 8:00 PM

HF

Heather Gott - Wellington, Oh - Friend posted:

Carolyn, today marks one year since you went home to be with the Lord. There isn't a day goes by that I don't think of you in some way or another. I cannot see a red jeep drive by without your cheery smile popping into my head! I miss you so much, I really wish I would have went to Lynette's party that she had, I think it was home interior, then I could have seen you one last time. I will always regret that:(

May 11 at 8:00 PM

SF

Sarah Boughton - Copley, Oh - Friend posted:

Dear Shumyla Family and Robert, I was so saddened to hear about Carolyn. We had reconnected earlier this year on Facebook after leaving high school. I thought of her many times since HS and wished we would have gotten together to catch up liked we had hoped to. She was such a special person and great friend. She will be missed by many. My heart goes out to you during this difficult time.

May 22 at 8:00 PM

JS

Janice K Papai - Bedford, Ky - Sister posted:

My cherished memory of you will be the beautiful smile you gave me and the words spoken in your beautiful voice before they wheeled you in for surgery. The strength you showed all of us and the support you have always given me when things were tough in my life. The help when I wasn't feeling good and you weren't either. My I have the strength you had. I will always LOVE and MISS my little sister dearly. May you be one of the first I see when I go to the pearly gates. Love you Care. Watch us all !

May 18 at 8:00 PM



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KF

Kelley Mobley - Wellington, Oh - Friend posted:

I will miss you, you were such a happy girl all the time! I remember our last conversation it was about lip gloss and our bare minerals make up! You always had a smile on your face and a kind word for everyone. I wish you had more time on this earth, you really deserved it. God puts us on this earth for a purposes and when we fulfill our purpose we get to go home. I guess you fulfilled your purpose and God felt like it was time to call you home, RIP my friend and please watch over us all.

May 17 at 8:00 PM

CA

Christine Owen - Westlake, Oh - Classmate--Class Of '88 Akhs posted:

I remember Carolyn as always having a smile on her face and never having a bad word to say about anyone. She was a bright spot to see in the halls during our high school days. My thoughts and prayers are with you in this difficult time.

May 16 at 8:00 PM

EF

Elisabeth Rudy - Wakeman, Oh - Friend posted:

Dear Bob and Marylyn , sorry we had to leave so soon , but the Boys had to go back to columbus. Again we are so sorry about the passing of your daughter Carolyn. she looked so beautiful and peaceful . Our deepest sympathy to you and all your family. I know you will miss her for ever . Elisabeth Rudy .

May 16 at 8:00 PM

C1

Colleen Kaine - Lorain, Oh - Friend From High School, 1987 posted:

Dear Shumyla family,I am so sorry for your loss of Carolyn, she was a good friend and one of Gods blessings here on earth to all of us who knew her.

May 16 at 8:00 PM



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RN

Ron Faris - Alta Loma, Ca - Friend/Neighbor posted:

I am so sorry to here of your loss. Although I have not seen Carolyn in many years (have touched base on facebook) I do have lots of fond memories. Many days and evenings on 37th during our childhood. we would play hide and go seek, kick the can or just congregate in front of the Jurcynski's. May she sleep well and greet us all with that big smile and infectious laugh when we see her next. God Bless.Little Ronny Faris

May 15 at 8:00 PM

MA

Michael A. Figueroa - Amherst, Oh posted:

Journey well...

May 15 at 8:00 PM

GK

Gregory And Michelle (Morris) Wooledge - Class Of 88" Admiral King posted:

Our deepest Sympathy to the Shumyla family.

May 15 at 8:00 PM

CC

Cheryl - Classmate posted:

I am so sorry for your loss.

May 15 at 8:00 PM

PW

Pat Kelley - Avon, Oh - Friend/Co-Worker posted:

Carolyn and I worked as team mates for Hospice of the Western Reserve. She was an excellent nurse and a very caring person. She always had a smile even if it was a difficult day. She was beautifull in many ways and way to young to be gone. She will certainly be missed by all who loved her especially her family.

May 14 at 8:00 PM

RN

Ron & Marge Faris - Thevillages, Fl - Former Neighbor posted:

Bob, Marilyn and family, Seems like only yesterday all the kids were playing on 37th st. We can't believe this. Our prayers and thoughts are with all of you Ron & Marge Faris

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AS

Amy Shullick Osko - Friend From High School posted:

It's true, Carolyn's smile could light up any room. I still can't believe she was taken from us so soon. My heart goes out to her family and Robert.

May 14 at 8:00 PM

NS

Nadine Burich Donat - Los Angeles, Ca - Went To Church W/Bob Shumyla. posted:

Bobbie-I am so sorry to read of your daughter's passing/ My prayers are with you and your wife. No one should lose a child. She was a beautiful girl. I hope she was welcomed home by all that have gone on. May the Lord grant you comfort in your time of need. There are no words I can say. Take care, Nadine Burich Donat(MArty and Anna Burich's daughter from St Mary's Ukrainian Church)val

May 14 at 8:00 PM

MF

Monica And Rick Jurczynski - Friend posted:

Mr and Mrs Shumyla, Pam and Jan, We are so sorry that you have lost Carolyn. There is nothing we can say to ease your pain, just know that you are all in our hearts and prayers. Our deepest condolences. Rick and Monica

May 14 at 8:00 PM

TS

Traci Stamco (Schroeder) - Lorain, Oh - Friend From School posted:

To the Shumyla Family---I was so sorry to hear about the passing of Carolyn. She was such a wonderful person and friend. I remember many nights of sleepovers at each others house. The special secrets that we shared and all the double dates that we used to go on. She made me laugh. I used to love how she would turn so red because she would be embarrassed. I also remember the day that my dog bit her hand!!! Just recently I was able to get "in touch" with her through facebook. I am so glad I did. My only regret is that we were not able to find the time to get together again in person. We had such a wonderful time together at our first class reunion. I will miss her greatly. So many people will miss her. I know that she is looking down on all of us and laughing while turning numerous shades of red!!!! God bless all of you!!!

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CF

Cara Turner - Friend posted:

What a beautiful smile, what a beautiful person. I'm blessed to have known her. My deepest sympathy goes out to her family

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HC

Heather Hyer - Classmate posted:

It is still hard to believe that Carolyn is no longer with us. Carolyn was a fellow classmate of mine at Admiral King. Her kind heart and warm smile will be deeply missed. My thoughts and prayers go out to Carolyn's family and friends. Love, Heather Hyer

May 14 at 8:00 PM

WF

Wendy Dibiasio (Wilson) - High School Friend posted:

Carolyn was in 1 of my classes in High School. She always had a smile on her face no matter what. She would do anything for anyone. She will be sadly missed.

May 14 at 8:00 PM

BC

Brian Amison - Green, Oh - Classmate posted:

It's hard to believe that Carolyn is no longer with us. At this time of extreme sadness, let us remember scripture. Rev 21:4 "He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away" RIP dear Carolyn!

May 14 at 8:00 PM

MF

Michael Herman - Plantation, FL - Friend posted:

Dear Shumyla Family and Robert T. Carolyn was such a good person. I am glad that I was able to get back in touch with her in the last few months. She seemed as upbeat and happy as always, and I think a lot of it is with her new relationship with Robert. She was always a good friend, and I have a lot of memories of her from High School. No matter what, she always had a smile on her face. Hopefully she is in a good place, singing with Lena Horne, or maybe listening to Dizzy Gillespie play his horn up in heaven. My condolences to you all...Love, Michael Herman

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DF

Dennis Mccartney - Oxford, Pa - High School Friend posted:

Talk about a smile that could light up a room. I was just showing my kids our high school yearbook and described Carolyn as a girl who could make anyone smile. My prayers go out to the Shumyla family. I am so sorry for your loss.

May 14 at 8:00 PM

BS

Beverly Gross Minnich - Childhood Friend Of Sister posted:

I'll always remember her smile and though she will be greatly missed by her family and friends, God has welcomed her home. My deepest sympathies to your family.

May 13 at 8:00 PM

DF

Dave Zanoni - Friend posted:

With deepest sympathy.

May 13 at 8:00 PM

JF

Jamie Gonzalez Opacich - Friend posted:

My heart goes out to the Shumyla family during this most difficult of times...Carolyn will forever be missed. She was such a great girl in high school. Some of my best high school memories were with Carolyn...Senior Skip Day (lol), prom..and we shared several classes together. She was a bright light in this world...and will forever be remembered as such-

May 13 at 8:00 PM

CF

Carrie Potts Rivera - Kissimmee, Fl - Friend posted:

What a special person Carolyn was - I have known her since our days at Masson. May you be blessed with all the memories of her and know she is not an angle looking down on all of us from above. My thoughts and prayers are with you!! She will be greatly missed.Carrie

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MA

Mayda posted:

Carolyn, Every time I pass the "Shumyla Garage" I have to laugh.. I wish I had the chance to catch up with you, but we just reconnected and then you left. Thanks for always being so sweet & nice to me. See ya on the other side

May 13 at 8:00 PM

MS

Marta Perez Gonzalez - Lansing, Mi - Friend From High School posted:

It is such a sad moment to think that one of our classmates has passed. Carolyn was such a sweet and kind person. She always made me laugh and her face was always turning red from being shy or embarrassed about our conversations that we would have. May God Bless her and her family for she will be missed.

May 13 at 8:00 PM

CF

Chris Camp - North Olmsted, Oh - High School Friend posted:

I will always remember Carolyn's wonderful smile. She was a great friend and classmate. I remember going to her house to work on a group project for class and she had food waiting for us when we arrived. I however do not remember what the assignment was. Carolyn will be missed but not forgotten.

May 13 at 8:00 PM

DC

Denise Dobis Velez - Lorain, Oh - Classmates posted:

I am so sorry to hear about the death of Caroline. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.

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JC

Joe Ksenich - Friend And High School Classmate posted:

I have nothing but the fondest memories of Carolyn from the classes that we shared together, we spent a great deal of our time laughing and that is how I shall always remember her. Please accept our heartfelt condolences during these sad times.

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RF

Rick Dimacchia - Friend posted:

"When we meet someone who shares our joysWho knows when we are up or downWho shows they care in so many waysAnd never lets us downThat is who we can call our friend"I was deeply saddened by the news about the death of Carolyn. I am so very sorry. Your family is in my thoughts and my prayers.

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AC

Alethea Ferguson-Knisely - High School Classmate posted:

May God give you calmness and light thorough this trying time. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.....

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MS

Marta Gonzalez - Friend From High School posted:

You will be missed!

May 13 at 8:00 PM

MC

Michael A. Phillips - Lithonia, Ga - Classmate posted:

You were a solid rock for many. Rest in peace, Alumna!

May 13 at 8:00 PM

MF

Mayda Cruz - Lorain, Oh - Classmate And Friend posted:

Smiling, funny, & sweet is how I remember Carolyn. She was a good friend in hs & SKI partner in Ski Club as We both shared the same "Skills" when it came to our skiing abilities. Carolyn use to say why do we even bother putting these skiis on when we can just use our "behinds" b/c most of the time that's where we'd end up. She had such a witty/sarcastic sense of humor that always caught me off guard b/c I wouldn't expect it, which made me laugh even harder. She had such a Great smile & contagious Laugh & I still can't believe she's gone... She will be missedMy prayers and condolences to the Shumyla family....May God give you comfort & strength during this difficult time.

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Don & Gayle Hayes - Roaring River, Nc - Friend Of Family posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with the family

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Carolyn by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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