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Sharon Anne Light was born on February 16, 1956, in Rome, New York, to George and Shirley Light. She grew up in Cortland, New York, where she attended St. Mary's School before going on to graduate from Cortland Senior High School in 1975. From an early age, Sharon was known for her faith, her warm spirit, and her kind heart. Love was her favorite word, and it showed in everything she did.

On October 15, 1983, Sharon married the love of her life, Joseph Wegzyn. Together they built a warm and loving home, and were blessed with twins, Joseph and Jenna—two, her lucky number. Sharon and Joseph shared 40 wonderful years together before his passing in 2023. Her devotion to her family was unwavering, and she cherished every moment spent with those she loved.

Throughout her career, Sharon demonstrated a strong work ethic and genuine care for those around her. She worked at Grossman's and Barden Homes before finding a home with the State University of New York at Cortland, where she served in catering. Her colleagues knew her as someone who brought warmth and dedication to everything she did, and her presence was felt deeply by all who worked alongside her.

Sharon is survived by her children, Joseph Wegzyn and Jenna Wegzyn, and her siblings, James Light, Debbie McCulliss, David Light, and Kevin Light. She was preceded in death by her husband, Joseph Wegzyn (2023) and her parents George and Shirley Light.

In lieu of flowers, the family welcomes donations in Sharon's memory to a local animal rescue or shelter of your choice. Sharon's gentle spirit, generous heart, and steadfast love will be forever remembered by all whose lives she touched.

Services will be announced at a later date. Arrangements are under the direction of Riccardi Funeral Home, Cortland, NY. Condolences may be sent to the family by visiting www.riccardifuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

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“ How do you find words to describe a lifelong friendship, so many memories flooding back into my mind, some that I haven't even thought about in years.
We shared dreams and secrets, celebrated milestones, and supported each other during difficult times.
Even when our lives went different ways, with jobs and busy raising children, distance and time didn't deter our special bond; we always found a way to reconnect.
When someone that touched your life so deeply leaves this world, they don't vanish, but their presence remains in the roots of the love shared. Jenna and Joseph, your moms' love will always be with you. ❤️🙏

Francesca Higgins - June 06 at 05:22 PM

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“ What a beautiful tribute for a beautiful and caring lady. I worked with Sharon at SUNY and she was so good to me. She gave me crystals and oils and other precious little gifts. I will miss her and remember her fondly.

Jamie Pickell - June 06 at 10:42 AM

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“ Sharon was older than me but rode my mother's school bus, and I do remember her being kind and friendly. My mother Addy spoke well of her too. Am so very sorry for your family's heartache and loss. I met your parents while in HS and knew Kevin as well. Please extend my condolences.

Ann Gamel Adams - June 06 at 03:33 AM