



Carol A. O'Shea (nee Nowicki)

February 19, 1943 - March 8, 2026

March 8, 2026, unexpectedly, of Cheektowaga, NY.

Beloved companion for 20 years to Drew Campbell; loving mother of Kevin (Michelle) O'Shea, and Jodie (late Lance Davis) (Adam) Bruner; cherished grandmother of Justin (Autumn), Shanon (Eric), Hunter, Cora (Luke), and Callie; great-grandmother of Lincoln and Olivia; devoted sister of Kathleen (late Donald) Adolf; also survived by nieces and nephews. Carol enjoyed crafting, cooking, quilting, traveling, bird watching, but most of all loved spending time with her grandchildren. The family will be present to receive relatives and friends on Friday March 13th from 3-7PM at the DANIEL R. SMOLAREK FUNERAL HOME 2510 Union Rd., Cheektowaga (2 blocks south of William St.). A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Saturday at 9:30AM in St Gabriel's R.C. Church, 5271 Clinton St., Elma. Please assemble at church. Please leave condolences online at www.SmolarekCares.com

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **13.** 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (est)

Daniel R. Smolarek Funeral Home - Cheektowaga
2510 Union Road
Cheektowaga, NY 14227
(716) 668-3122
<https://smolarekfh.com/>

Mass of Christian Burial

MAR **14.** 9:30 AM (est)

St. Gabriel's RC Church
5271 Clinton Street
Elma, NY 14059

Please Assemble at Church

Tribute Wall

BD

“ Carol was my first friend when I joined PWP. She and I did some silly things while part of that organization and had a great deal of fun. We remained friends from the first time we met. She is and will be missed.



Betty Duszynski - March 13 at 12:25 PM

BD

“ Betty Duszynski planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carol A. O'Shea (nee Nowicki).

Betty Duszynski - March 13 at 12:18 PM

CP

“ As a friend of Kathy (Carol's sister). I was always at the Nowicki's. I was there for all Carol's firsts. She will be a wonderful memory. Peace. Comfort and Prayers to Kathy, Kevin and Jody. Love always. Cathy Mitri Phillips

Cathy Phillips - March 13 at 11:36 AM

TF

“ The Kenney and Spargo Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Carol A. O'Shea (nee Nowicki).



The Kenney and Spargo Family - March 12 at 07:24 PM

HK

“ Hedy K. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carol A. O'Shea (nee Nowicki).

Hedy K. - March 12 at 02:18 PM

KS

“ My memories of Aunt Carol, my Godmother, are of laughter and a no-nonsense woman. We are a family of generational women crafters, and Aunt Carol was no exception. I still remember the blue crochet purse she made for me as a little girl, and I carried that piece until it fell apart. Dearest Kathy, Jody, and Kevin: to all of your family, children and grandchildren, to Drew; I am heartily sorry for your loss. Aunt Carol was a gem.



Karen Penders StClair - March 12 at 01:08 PM

CR

“ Chris Reardon purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Carol A. O'Shea (nee Nowicki).



Chris Reardon - March 11 at 08:07 PM

CR

“ Chris Reardon planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carol A. O'Shea.

Chris Reardon - March 11 at 08:07 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Carol A. O'Shea (nee Nowicki).



March 11 at 01:09 PM



“ To Drew and family,

Blayne and I are so sorry to hear of your great loss, we loved our times on the bird counts and other chance meetings over the years, chatting with you both.

Carol was a lovely kind person, always talking about her family.

With our deepest sympathy to you all.

Blayne and Jean Farnan - March 11 at 12:50 PM



“ Colleen Kenney & Sam Hausmann purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Carol A. O'Shea (nee Nowicki).



Colleen Kenney & Sam Hausmann - March 10 at 09:06 PM



“ Colleen Kenney & Sam Hausmann planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carol A. O'Shea.

Colleen Kenney & Sam Hausmann - March 10 at 09:06 PM

MW

“ Michelle, Rick, Tyler & Will purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Carol A. O'Shea (nee Nowicki).



Michelle, Rick, Tyler & Will - March 10 at 09:02 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Carol A. O'Shea (nee Nowicki).



March 10 at 05:20 PM

LD

“ Larry, Susan, Lissa Davis. purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Carol A. O'Shea (nee Nowicki).



Larry, Susan, Lissa Davis. - March 10 at 04:47 PM