



## Shirley M. Beres

June 21, 1933 - February 19, 2026

Shirley M. (nee Lindner) Beres, 92, passed into the presence of her Lord Jesus on Thursday, February 19, 2026 surrounded by loved ones in Libertyville, IL. She was born June 21, 1933 to Herbert & Eleanor Lindner and was raised with her brother, Herbert, in Milwaukee, WI. Shirley married Donald Beres in 1958 and then settled in Libertyville, where they raised their 4 children. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Parish in Libertyville, and her life & generous heart were guided by her enduring faith. Shirley loved spending time with her family, gardening and enjoyed her weekly trips to Anna's hair studio to gossip with the girls. She and Donald traveled the world and enjoyed meeting new people & experiencing different cultures along the way. Together they founded and ran Crafty Beaver Home Centers in Skokie & Chicago.

Surviving are her 4 children, Herbert (Yvonne), Charles (Ann), Gary (Lori) Beres & Karen (Darius) Beres-Haring along with 11 grandchildren & 6 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, brother, Herbert and her husband, Donald.

A visitation will begin at 11:00 a.m. followed by a service at 1:00 p.m.

Wednesday, February 25, 2026 at Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, 120 W. Park Ave. in Libertyville. A private interment will follow at Ascension Cemetery.

Memorial donations would be appreciated to St. Joseph Food Pantry or PADS of Lake County. For info: 847-362-3009 or share a memory at [www.burnettdan](http://www.burnettdan)

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# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **25**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Burnett-Dane Funeral Home  
120 West Park Avenue  
Libertyville, IL 60048  
(847) 362-3009

## Funeral Service

FEB **25**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Sending condolences & love from Minnesota. We're sorry to hear about Shirley.  
Love always, Melisa, Jason and Jayce Gronlund*

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**Melisa Gronlund** - February 24 at 08:49 PM

KB

“ *Karen B. planted a grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shirley M. Beres.*

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**Karen B.** - February 24 at 08:44 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shirley M. Beres.*

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February 24 at 06:12 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shirley M. Beres.*



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February 24 at 06:12 PM

TF

“ *T Mhoon & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shirley M. Beres.*

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**T Mhoon & Family** - February 24 at 05:15 PM

TF

“ T Mhoon & Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Shirley M. Beres.



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**T Mhoon & Family** - February 24 at 05:15 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shirley M. Beres.

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February 24 at 01:22 PM



“ Heavenly Grace Spray was purchased for the family of Shirley M. Beres.



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February 24 at 01:22 PM

GS

“ Gino Montanaro and Sarah Soto planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shirley M. Beres.

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**Gino Montanaro and Sarah Soto** - February 24 at 01:21 PM

GS

“ Gino Montanaro and Sarah Soto purchased the *Forever Our Angel Bouquet* for the family of Shirley M. Beres.



Gino Montanaro and Sarah Soto - February 24 at 01:21 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Shirley M. Beres.



February 23 at 09:30 PM

FH

“ Forever in our hearts purchased the *Full Of Love Bouquet* for the family of Shirley M. Beres.



Forever in our hearts - February 23 at 08:19 PM

EO

“ Ewa Opalinska purchased the *Beautiful Dreams* for the family of Shirley M. Beres.



Ewa Opalinska - February 23 at 04:19 PM

EO

“ Ewa Opalinska planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shirley M. Beres.

Ewa Opalinska - February 23 at 04:19 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shirley M. Beres.

February 22 at 10:45 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Shirley M. Beres.



February 22 at 10:45 PM

TF

“ The Barber families purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Shirley M. Beres.



The Barber families - February 22 at 01:54 PM

WM

“ *Our deepest sympathy to the family.  
Will and Patti*



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**William Maki and Patti Masterson** - February 22 at 10:12 AM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family  
of Shirley M. Beres.*



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February 21 at 02:57 PM

LS

“ *Love, Anna's Hair Studio purchased the Emerald  
Garden Basket for the family of Shirley M. Beres.*



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**Love, Anna's Hair Studio** - February 21 at 01:39 PM