



Shirley Darlene Steinbock

July 10, 1942 - October 20, 2022

Shirley Darlene Steinbock was born July 10th, 1942 in Maroa, Illinois to Norton and Dorothy (Golden) Bass and was the second oldest of 5 siblings. She passed at the age of 80 at her home on Thursday, October 20th, 2022 in Fort Collins, Colorado.

She was a homemaker and raised her boys. Once the boys were a little older, she started working in retail. She took a lot of pride in working at Ellis Western Wear. She loved sewing clothes for the boys and gardening. She was able to put a branch in water and nurture it into a tree. All 80 trees on their property were planted as those branches. May the shade of those beloved trees be enjoyed for generations to come. She enjoyed fishing in small creeks above Red Feather Lakes and traveling in their motorhome after retirement. The warm sun on her face and sand in her toes always felt like paradise. She enjoyed spending the winters in Arizona when the Colorado winters became too cold.

Shirley was never a person to be at the center of attention. She always made sure everyone was taken care of before she would ever think of herself. The most special gift she ever received was her fully restored 1961 Nash Metropolitan. She picked the most beautiful pink color, and her husband was more than happy to paint her favorite color. She was very proud of her car and enjoyed going to car shows. When anyone would ask her what it was, she

would light up with joy and pride to tell them all about it.

Shirley was a loving wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother; deeply loved by her family. Survivors include her husband, J. Brent Steinbock of Fort Collins, Colorado; her two children, Bryan Steinbock (Tricia) and Jay (Shelley) Steinbock, both of Laporte, Colorado; her three grandchildren, Dustie (Aaron) Nebelsick of Timnath, Colorado; Ashley Steinbock of Loveland, Colorado; Kyle (Hailey) Steinbock of Loveland, Colorado; her three step-grandchildren, Jeffrey (Madison) Sasse of Riverton, Wyoming; Kaeli Sasse of Fort Collins, Colorado; Mitchell (Victoria) Sasse of Laporte, Colorado; brothers, Bud (Karla) Bass of Bellvue, Colorado; Jim (Arta) Bass of Fort Collins, Colorado; sisters, Kathy (Thad) Rogers of Thornton, Colorado; Carolyn (Tom) Kitzmiller, Henderson, Colorado; her sister-in-law, Sandy Bass of Loveland, Colorado; her great-grandchildren, Courtney, Analise, Holley, Hayes; her step-grandchildren, Tyla, Aiden, Levi, Kylie, Dominick, Dustin, Zavior, Malakhi, Dalton.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Norton and Dorothy Bass; her brother, Ed Bass.

In lieu of flowers a memorial contribution can be made to the Ensign Skills (www.ensightskills.org/donate). In the note area, put Shirley's name. She would like more research funds to be contributed to helping individuals with macular degeneration.

Previous Events

Rosary

OCT **25**. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (MT)

Bohlender Funeral Chapel
121 W. Olive Street
Fort Collins, CO 80524

Funeral Service

OCT **26**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (MT)

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Graveside Service

OCT **26**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (MT)

Resthaven Memory Gardens Cemetery
8426 S. College Ave.
Fort Collins, CO 80525

Tribute Wall

LB

“ So sorry for your loss. The Brauch family spent many decades with the Steinbocks. God bless you all. Lance Brauch

Lance Brauch - November 13, 2022 at 01:14 PM

DN

“ I have a lot of good memories of Halloween because of grandma. She made almost all of my Halloween costumes! This was a picture from a trick or treat and happy birthday surprise for Grandma. I spent a lot of time with Grandma and Grandpa as a kid. Grandma spent endless hours teaching me how to sew, and was always so patient. I also learned how to bathe a dog who got sprayed by a skunk, Shannook was know for getting sprayed a time or two. Grandma loved feeding the squirrels and I enjoyed watching them out the kitchen window. I also liked to help her collect eggs and take care of the chickens. We would always laugh because I could wear her shoes in elementary school. Grandma would sometimes pick me up from school in her "blue car." I thought it was so cool! She also had a closet full of paint by numbers and puzzles we enjoyed doing together. These are just a few examples of the love and care Grandma shared toward her family. She was a wonderful Grandma and Great Grandma. She was alway happy to hear about her Great granddaughters and spend time with them. It was especially fun to share a birthday celebration with Annalise. Grandma fills us all with wonderful memories and will be greatly missed.



Dustie Nebelsick - October 25, 2022 at 11:51 PM

CS

Such wonderful memories.

Carol Steinbock - October 26, 2022 at 09:31 AM

KS

“ *Grandma Shirley made cabbage patch clothes for her granddaughter so something would fit her. She was so tiny.*

Kay Steinbock - October 25, 2022 at 10:47 PM

TR

“ *The Team at Best Rental purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Shirley Darlene Steinbock.*



The Team at Best Rental - October 25, 2022 at 01:18 PM

EA

“ *Eric, Lori , Brandon and Amanda purchased the Wings of a Dove Tribute Blanket for the family of Shirley Darlene Steinbock.*



Eric, Lori , Brandon and Amanda - October 25, 2022 at 10:01 AM

CS

“ Mom was and is a very special person. Many of us are better people because of the impact she had on how she led her life. Family was her focus. She chose to let the negative go and focus on the positive things that life offered. This was not without disappointments, but she did not let them shadow her ability to live life in a loving and respectful way. She loved her grandkids and was always happy when she got to spend time with them. Having one of her granddaughters share her birthday was very special for Mom. I am blessed to have been a part of Mom's life. Love you Mom



Carol Steinbock - October 25, 2022 at 09:44 AM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Shirley Darlene Steinbock.



October 24, 2022 at 09:21 PM

TS

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Tricia Steinbock - October 24, 2022 at 08:24 PM

TS

Love you today, tomorrow and forever! ❤️

Tricia Steinbock - October 24, 2022 at 08:26 PM

AX

“ *Axiota purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Shirley Darlene Steinbock.*



Axiota - October 24, 2022 at 02:01 PM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Shirley Darlene Steinbock.*



October 24, 2022 at 10:38 AM

PF

“ *Shirley was my neighbor and school mate. She even signed my year book. She was one year behind me. We even rode the bus together for 6 years till I got my old 46 Ford and would usually drive. She was always nice and friendly. So cool when she married another classmate, Brent Steinbock. Then she and Brent became neighbors on the same street and our kids went to school together. And then Brent and I both worked at Woodward. So sorry for the family's loss. My condolences to the family. Paul Feltz*

Paul Feltz - October 23, 2022 at 10:07 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Shirley Darlene Steinbock.*



October 21, 2022 at 06:10 PM