



Shirley Grossman

May 24, 2008

Myrtle Beach..... Shirley C. Grossman, age 78 passed away Saturday, May 24, 2008 at Grand Strand Regional Medical Center following an illness. Mrs. Grossman was born November 15, 1929 in Sharon, CT, a daughter of the late Michael and Mary Vanicky. Mrs. Grossman was a homemaker and retired Postmaster, having served in that capacity for 20 years in West Cornwall, CT. She was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother. Mrs. Grossman and her husband retired to the Island Green community in Horry County in 1989. She enjoyed golf, cooking for her family and friends, and many other activities. She was a member of Shepherd of the Sea Lutheran Church in Garden City. She was preceded in death by her first husband, Robert Washburn, her son Richard Washburn, and by eight other siblings born to the Vanicky family. Survivors include her husband, of 23 years, the Rev. Carl Grossman; two sons, Robert and Ronald Washburn of Craryville, NY and Torrington, CT; a sister and brother in law, Rudy and Irene Zabransky of Sharon, CT; four grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, four step children, seven step grandchildren, and a daughter in law, Sharon Newman, of Lexington, KY. The family will receive friends from 6pm-8pm on Monday, May 26, 2008 at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel. Funeral services will be held at Shepherd of the Sea Lutheran Church on Tuesday, May 27, 2008 at 10:30 am with Rev. Dick Webber officiating. Memorials may be made to Shepherd of the Sea Lutheran Church, Post Office Box 1750, Murrells Inlet, SC 29576 or to the American Heart Association. An online guest book is available at www.goldfin

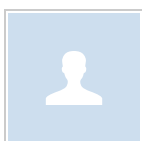
chfuneralhome.com. Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel, is in charge of the arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ I was so sad to hear of the passing of your beloved Shirley. I will long remember her for her kindness and love that she generated. She was a wonderful person. Always at Shepherd of the Sea, whatever the event may be. I will miss her.##imported-begin##Helen Timoney##imported-end##

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“ Dear Carl...we were so shocked when we got the news about Shirley..I'll always cherish our very dear friendship that we had...she was such a beautiful person inside and outside. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family at this sad time. I'll remember her everyday when I attend daily Mass. With the deepest of Sympathy George and Marie Dixon Windsor,Connecticut##imported-begin##Marie Dixon##imported-end##

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“ Our deepest Sympathy is with you at this time of your loss of a loved one.##imported-begin##Ron & Evonne McConnell##imported-end##

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“ Carl, We wish we could be there with you. Please know that you are in our prayers and are thinking of you at this difficult time. Remember that because of her faith, she is with our Lord and we have the assurance of a blessed reunion in heaven. God be with you##imported-begin##Marvin and Betty Wood##imported-end##

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