



## Sister Sharon Paul

May 3, 1944 - June 16, 2024

Sister Sharon Paul, age 80 of Cambridge, Ohio, passed away at the St. Benedict Convent on June 16, 2024. She was born on May 3, 1944 in Zanesville, Ohio, a daughter of the late Norbert John Paul and Virginia Rose (Coyle) Paul.

Sister Sharon entered the Holy Family Convent in 1962. She professed her vows in 1964. She earned a Bachelor of Arts degree from Holy Family College, Manitowoc, Wisconsin; Master of Arts degree through the University of Dayton, Steubenville, Ohio; and Pastoral Studies from Loyola University, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Sister Sharon ministered as a teacher at St. Mary, Algoma; St. Agnes, Green Bay; St. John, Seymour; St. Mary, Bloomington, all in Wisconsin; and at St. Agnes, Mingo Junction; St. Nicholas, Zanesville and St. Sylvester, Woodsfield, all in Ohio. During her years as a part time teacher in Zanesville Sister Sharon also spent time caring for her parents. She served as principal at St. Benedict, Cambridge, Ohio; St. John, Seymour; St. Mary, Bloomington, Wisconsin.

Sister Sharon was involved in Religious Education at St. Agnes, Green Bay; St. Benedict, Cambridge, Ohio. She served in Pastoral Care at St. Mary, West Point, Nebraska and as Pastoral Minister at Christ Our Light Parish, Cambridge, Ohio.

She is preceded in death by: her parents: Norbert and Virginia (Coyle) Paul, her sister Marilyn Paul and brothers-in-law: Fred Freihofer and Robert Bruckner.

Surviving are: Franciscan Sisters of Christian Charity, brother (sister-in-law): Wayne (Cassie) Paul; sisters (brothers-in-law): Pamela Freihofer, Diane Bruckner, Cynthia (John) Hatfield; nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Memorial contributions may be made to support retired Franciscan Sisters of Christian Charity, in care of FSCC Retirement Fund, Holy Family Convent, 2409 S. Alverno Rd., Manitowoc, WI 54220

Visitation will take place on Friday, June 21, 2024, 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at Bundy-Law Funeral Home, 120 N. 11th St., Cambridge, OH 43725. Mass will take place at Christ Our Light Church, Cambridge, Ohio, on Saturday, June 22, 2024 at 11:00 a.m., with visitation at Christ Our Light Church 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Burial will take place at Holy Family Convent, Manitowoc, Wisconsin, on a later date. Bundy -Law Funeral Home in Cambridge, Ohio, and Lakeshore Family Funeral Homes, Pfeffer location, Manitowoc, Wisconsin, are assisting with arrangements. Sister Sharon's online guest book may be viewed and signed at [www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com](http://www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com).

# Cemetery Details

**At a later date**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

**JUN 21.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Bundy-Law Funeral Home  
120 North 11th Street  
Cambridge, OH 43725  
(740) 432-5705  
info@bundy-lawfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com>

### Visitation

**JUN 22.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Christ Our Light Parrish  
701 Gomber Avenue  
Cambridge, OH 43725

### Funeral Services

**JUN 22.** 11:00 AM (ET)

Christ Our Light Parrish  
701 Gomber Avenue  
Cambridge, OH 43725

# Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



**Bundy-Law Funeral Home** - June 22, 2024 at 12:21 PM

LO

*Thank you for recording this beautiful service, those of us who couldn't be there, greatly appreciate it!*

**Lori** - June 22, 2024 at 01:28 PM

JM

*We so appreciate the thoughtfulness of those who recorded the beautiful service for Aunt Sharon. Thank you to all who organized and took care of family and friends.*

**Jennifer M.** - June 23, 2024 at 12:17 PM

PD

*Thank you for recording this service for Sister Sharon. She was an amazing person who truly loved my family and I will forever be grateful for the time she spent with my mother during her last days here. God bless her and she will forever be missed.*

**Paul Doerfler** - June 24, 2024 at 03:33 PM

SW

“ *Aunt Sister Sharon, as my sister and I called her, was a ray of sunshine in our family. She was always smiling and loving. She will truly be missed.*



**Sandra Williams** - June 22, 2024 at 11:54 AM



“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



**Bundy-Law Funeral Home** - June 21, 2024 at 07:18 PM

LO

*This was Beautiful, thank you for sharing it!*

**Lori** - June 22, 2024 at 01:29 PM

JM

*Thank you so much for filming so those not in attendance could join in.*

**Jennifer M.** - June 22, 2024 at 07:03 PM

RP

“ *Our sympathy to the Paul Family-loved the Roadrunner Sister Sharon-a great friend!! Rose & Bill Parry-Zanesville*

**Rose Parry** - June 21, 2024 at 02:14 PM

LO

“ *Aunt Sister Sharon was one of my Favorite people, she was Dearly Loved & will be Greatly missed. She was a true caretaker of the soul & lived a very busy & meaningful life. My kids all have a special place in their hearts for her. I will miss your sweet e-mails & letters. I have a lot of fond memories as a child & I will miss your presence in our lives, Thank You for being such a wonderful, caring Aunt & person. We Love you!*

*Love, Dan, Lori, Devri, Trevor, Ashley*

**Lori** - June 21, 2024 at 10:49 AM

NB

“ Sister Sharon was definitely one of a kind and will be missed She and the sisters had been our neighbors for many years and after their recent move to St Benedict's ,our family had missed her presence next door Even though she moved a block away , no seeing her go by the house with her tennis shoes on or driving by left a void If you ever wanted to know about happenings in Cambridge ,she was the one to talk too She loved her sports, especially the Green Bay packers and always had a good story to tell The “Nun on the Run” was definetly one of a kind and her memory will live in our family forever

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Neil Beaverson - June 21, 2024 at 07:13 AM

MY

“ 2 files added to the album Sister Sharon Photos



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Monica Yaniga - June 20, 2024 at 06:11 PM

CF

Sister Sharon was one of the sweetest busiest soul I have ever known. She is one of my Dad's many cousins and she tutored our middle daughter about 30 years ago and was do good to us! Rest in your Heavenly reward Sister Sharon! 🙏😊

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Christy Finley - June 21, 2024 at 02:54 PM

GR

“ One of God's most lively, joyful, caring souls! Thank you God for Sister Sharon and her yes to religious life; and, for revealing yourself through her ministry. She will be greatly missed! May the caring she gave to us continue through us. May she rest in peace among the Triumphant! A.M.D.G.



Grateful - June 20, 2024 at 05:10 PM

JB

“ Sister Sharon was such a dear soul. I am so sad to hear this news but know she is headed to her heavenly home. Please accept my sincere condolences

Jody Baker - June 19, 2024 at 03:08 PM

CF

“ Sister Sharon has been a blessing in our family, she has brought joy and compassion to many. Her passing is a great loss . Larry & Carolyn Paul Family

Carolyn, Larry Paul & Family - June 19, 2024 at 05:20 AM

CM

She has also been a blessing in the Christ Our Life parish community. Always a smile, kind word and a prayer for blessings whenever she was around. We will miss her greatly. Peace and prayers for you and all of her family.  
Cathy McIntire

Cathy McIntire - June 20, 2024 at 08:35 AM

JM

“ Rest in peace Sr. Sharon. You were loved in the West Point community!

Jean Meiergerd - June 18, 2024 at 05:55 PM

MW

“ Sr. Sharon aka Nun on the run, was a beautiful person. She was always looking out for everyone else and had a smile on that would brighten up your day. She will be truly missed. Thank you for your many blessings that you shared to all. The Kenneth and Maureen Schorn Family

Melann Wiechman - June 18, 2024 at 03:28 PM

AB

“ Sister Sharon was a shining light yo Christ Our Light. Never met a Stanger and ALWAYS had a smile or a kind word to everyone she met. We will truly miss her visits to The Dockside she was always a greeter here. God Bless her family and her Franciscan Sisters who will miss her dearly. Prayers to all



Annie Bride - June 18, 2024 at 02:43 PM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Sister Sharon Paul.



June 18, 2024 at 02:39 PM

JM

“ Auntie Sister Sharon was just the best! At a very young age she introduced me to the love of Jesus, for that I am eternally grateful 🙏. So many wonderful memories over the years. I'm fortunate to have visited her recently, share lunch and pick up some gifts she had collected for our extended family members. Everyone remembers those fun gifts from Aunt Sharon over the years and her beautiful laughter!!! Her Dad, my Grandfather Paul, used to tell me to not say goodbye, but say see you later. So, See you later Aunt Sharon! Your legacy lives on through the many lives you have touched with love and service for His Glory!



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**Jennifer Miano** - June 18, 2024 at 01:53 PM

SS

“ Sister Sharon was known as the "Nun on the Run". She will be missed by her Franciscan Family and all those whom she ministered to in Cambridge area. The nursing homes, the people of Cambridge and anyone else she met on the way. If something was happening in Cambridge, a school event, a parade etc. she was there. She loved to sing, watch Sports and take walks. Sister Sharon will be missed but know that she is enjoying Heavenly Peace and walking with the Lord. Sister June

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**Sister June Smith** - June 18, 2024 at 10:41 AM

JY

“ Sorry to learn of the loss of your beloved family member Sister Sharon. My sister, Sister Jane, was looking forward to sharing their Jubilee celebration together later this month. May she rest in peace.

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**Joan (Kinate) Young** - June 18, 2024 at 08:34 AM

CH

“ Prayers, condolences and love for all of you



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**Cheri Harding** - June 18, 2024 at 12:07 AM

DM

“ What a beautiful Blessing Sister Sharon Paul was to my family during my time in the hospital a few years ago. She offered words of comfort and prayers of hope!! Sister shared her gift to all in need of Faith, Hope & Joy! ~Deb

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**Deb McKee** - June 17, 2024 at 09:49 PM

PB

“ Sister was a wonderful person and will certainly be missed.  
Jim & Paula Bakos

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**Paula Bakos** - June 17, 2024 at 09:44 PM

GM

“ So sorry to hear of Sister Sharon's death she was a wonderful nun and carried out her vocation to the fullest she was loved by everyone she was a good friend too my family she served Christ our light Parish as pastoral minister with so much love and devotion She has now received her heavenly reward My thoughts and prayers for her family and friends and her Franciscan Sisters Family Rest in the peace that is Heaven Sister Sharon you are home now

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**Gene Mailot** - June 17, 2024 at 09:31 PM

JP

“ Sr. Sharon was a blessing for our parish and community. She was loved by all of the residents at the nursing homes, the home bound, hospital patients, and parishioners. She had a wonderful personality, and I was blessed to be able to minister with her at the hospital, and always enjoyed working with her while I was on the parish staff. She will definitely be missed, but there is definitely no doubt that she’s in heaven going from room to room and talking with everyone :) I send my condolences to her family, and am holding them all in prayer along with the Sisters in Zanesville & Wisconsin.



*Rest easy Sister & fly to Jesus!!*

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**Jacob Padden** - June 17, 2024 at 07:26 PM

OC

“ OH Southeastern Chaplains lit a candle in memory of Sister Sharon Paul



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**OH Southeastern Chaplains** - June 17, 2024 at 07:11 PM

SV

“ Sr Sharon, this is so sad for us. I was looking forward to seeing you and being your Jubilee hostess. We had a get together scheduled for the 25th. I miss you, my friend. Thanks for all the good memories. You taught me about pastoral ministry too. We both loved our second careers.  
*Sister Jan*

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**Sister Jan Villemure** - June 17, 2024 at 05:48 PM

SN

*Farewell, Sister Sharon, you left us so quickly and quietly, but your many GOoD works remain a lasting testament of your dedicated Franciscan life of wholehearted service for sixty years. May you now rest in peace and enjoy eternity with God.*

**Sister Nancy** - June 17, 2024 at 09:10 PM

MM

*I just saw her at the new place she would be living at, her death came so sudden. Wonderful sister always so friendly and calling to invite people for special church affairs. When you were in her presence you could tell she was so nice, she will be missed. M. Meyers*

**Mary Meyers** - June 18, 2024 at 09:32 AM

ED

*Sister Sharon you were a blessing to all who knew you. We will miss your smiling face and the love you shared. My thoughts and prayers to your family and the most wonderful Franciscan family.*

**Ellen Donnelly** - June 18, 2024 at 06:40 PM

AM

*Sr. Sharon, I can't say how much my family will miss you.*

**Agnes Milliner** - June 18, 2024 at 08:58 PM

SS

*Sister Sharon,  
God gifted you with a "Titanic" personality and a gentle, listening heart styled on His own heart.. As a member of our dear crowd, "The Servants of Mary", I felt the "Fire of Love" whenever I was fortunate to spend some time with you. You shared lots of your dear family with us. Thank you, Norbert and Virginia Paul and the whole family that nurtured you so well. I look forward to enjoying your warm and loving presence in a unique and tender way. Special blessings to the Cambridge Sisters and our Franciscan Community..  
Peace! Sister Karen*

**Sr. Karen Suhr** - June 19, 2024 at 11:31 AM

CM

*My Dear Sister Sharon, this is hard. I will miss your beautiful smile, your bubbly personality and your love of the Lord . You lived each day in God's grace and goodness, many lives were enriched because of your acts of kindness. My condolences to her family, Sister Mariadele, Sister Carol and our Franciscan community. ❤️🙏🏻✝️ Cheryl Minarchek*

**Cheryl Minarchek** - June 19, 2024 at 08:51 PM

MT

*When my mother lived in New Concord and no longer drove, Sister Sharon would bring her Communion along with a joke and stories of the happenings in the parish! Mom looked forward to her visits! She had a ready smile!! Rest in the arms of Jesus, Sister! Mary Ann Tann for her mother, Sarah Smith*

**Mary Ann Tann** - June 19, 2024 at 09:06 PM

SF

*Aunt Sharon we will miss you so much! You were such a constant and loving presence in our lives growing up and you STAYED connected with a tremendous amount of nieces and nephews AND their families. Thanks for your big heart and loving the whole big brood ❤️🕊️ Love and Godspeed*

**Stephanie Freihofer** - June 20, 2024 at 07:05 PM