



## Sheila McGuire

November 23, 1937 - January 7, 2023

A retired teacher and principal in the Chicago Arch Dioceses. Sheila died peacefully on Saturday, January 7, 2023. Born in Chicago on November 23, 1937, she maintained her home here her entire life. Sheila earned her undergraduate and graduate degrees in education and administration at Mundelein College. She retired as principal of Children of Peace School. She lived a full and happy life enjoying travel and adventures with family and friends.

Sheila is predeceased by her parents, Michael and Eleanor McGuire, her sister Eileen, her brother, James, her sister-in-law Laura, and niece Betsy. She is survived by her sisters, Kathleen Dawson, and Ellen (Martin) Keane and six nieces and nephews, Peggy Dawson, Sheila (Patrick) Barton, Rosemary Haggerty, James (Laura) McGuire, Martin (Thais) Keane, Michelle (Robert) Adams, and six great nieces and nephews.

Visitation Saturday, January 21, 2023, 9:00AM-11:00AM at St Gertrude Church, 1420 W Granville, Chicago, IL 60660. Funeral Mass at St Gertrude will be celebrated at 11:00AM Internment All Saints Cemetery, Des Plaines, IL

In lieu of flowers, the family prefers donations to be made in Sheila McGuire's honor to Benedictine Sisters of Chicago, 7430 N Ridge Blvd, Chicago, IL 60645, <https://www.osbchicago.org/donate>

# Cemetery Details

## All Saints Cemetery

700 N River Road  
DesPlaines, IL 60016  
<http://www.catholiccemeterieschicago.org/locations.php?cem=2>

# Previous Events

## Visitation in Church

**JAN 21.** 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St Gertrude Catholic Church  
1420 W Granville Ave  
Chicago, IL 60660  
(773) 764-3621

## Funeral Mass - Meet at Church

**JAN 21.** 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Sheila McGuire*

October 08, 2023 at 11:31 AM



“ *Sheila and I have way too many memories to share right now but the best one was that we had the Best hootenanny in Cursillo History I know she is laughing, dancing and singing with our Lord Love you*

**Angela and Karl Schneider** - January 17, 2023 at 07:16 PM



“ *I have some of my best Cursillo memories with Sheila. From my first Cursillo as a candidate, to table leading with her, to the many, many funny skits that made so many people laugh! Sheila was a true reflection of Grace. She had an infectious laugh, and was a truly amazing lady. I know she is now making God laugh! Heaven has another angel! I will miss you Sheila, may you rest in Gods loving embrace. De Colores!*

**Dawn Abernathy** - January 17, 2023 at 11:34 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sheila McGuire.*



January 15, 2023 at 09:28 PM



“ *I taught for Sheila at St. Callistus School from 79-81 and really loved working for her. She was hardworking, kind, and had a good sense of humor. I always enjoyed our conversations after a long day. Sheila reached out to me recently by phone. We laughed that she still had my number, and I still had my landline. I planned to visit her and recently called and left her a message. When she didn't get back to me, I tried again and found out she had passed away. While I am really sad we did not get that visit, I am very happy that I did not miss her service. I will be able to visit one more time and honor her for the wonderful person that she was. My condolences go out to all of Sheila's family and friends.*

*Mary Condon Harris*

**Mary Harris** - January 14, 2023 at 12:44 PM