



## Carolyn R. Shelpman

July 16, 1940 - March 9, 2012

Carolyn R. Shelpman, 71, 314 N. Maple St., Akron, passed away at 9:15 a.m. Friday at her residence.

Born July 16, 1940, in Cass County, she was the daughter of Harrison and Ruth L. (DePoy) DeWitt. On Dec. 24, 1967, in Las Vegas, Nev., she married Richard E. Shelpman, and he survives.

Carolyn was a professional babysitter as well as a homemaker. She also looked after the elderly in her later years. Carolyn graduated from Kewanna High School in 1958. She was a collector of eagles.

Survivors include her husband, Richard "Gene" Shelpman, of Akron; son, Wesley, Shelpman, of Akron; four grandchildren, Wesley II, Alexis, Maverick and Aleesya Shelpman; sister, Agnes and husband Herbert "Bud" Forgey, of Logansport; brother, Eugene and wife Willadean DeWitt, of California; two sisters-in-law, Patricia and husband Bill Vaugen, of Burlington, Ohio, and Margaret DeWitt, of Kewanna; and one brother-in-law, Milo Shriver, of Akron.

She was preceded in death by her parents; sister, Saraetta Shriver; and three brothers, Dallas, Jerry and Bill DeWitt.

Services are at 10 a.m. Tuesday in the Hartzler Funeral Home, 305 W.

Rochester St., Akron, with visitation from 5-7 p.m. today at the funeral home.  
Private burial will take place in the Rochester IOOF Cemetery.

Memorial donations may be made to Hope Hospice of Fulton County.

# Cemetery Details

## IOOF Cemetery

620 West 3rd Street  
Rochester, IN 46975

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAR 12.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Hartzler Funeral Home  
305 West Rochester Street  
P.O. Box 856  
Akron, IN 46910  
(574) 893-4423  
[info@hartzlerfuneralservices.com](mailto:info@hartzlerfuneralservices.com)  
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## Service

**MAR 13.** 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



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