



## Shirley Walker Morris

May 30, 1934 - January 21, 2016

DELMAR- Shirley Walker Morris, 81, of Delmar, passed Thursday, January 21, 2016 at the Delmar Nursing Home.

She was born May 30, 1934 in Sharptown and lived in Delmar, Delaware with her husband of 62 years, Jack Morris, Sr. They were married on April 3, 1953. She is survived by children, Jack and Debbie Morris, of Delmar, Garry and Linda Morris of Delmar and Becky and Walt Barb of Mathias, West Virginia. Shirley had 8 grandchildren, 21 great grandchildren and 2 great great grandchildren. She is also survived by a sister, Carolyn James of Milford and several nieces and nephews.

Shirley is preceded in death by her son, Kevin Morris and her brothers, Kenneth, Loran, and Charles and sister, Rebecca.

Shirley loved to vacation in Outer Banks, North Carolina and Amish Country in Pennsylvania. She retired from the Holiday Inn as the Banquet Coordinator in 2000. She cherished spending time with her grandchildren, watching them play sports and visiting in West Virginia. She was a life member of the Delmar Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary and recently received 45 years of service recognition. She considered all the members of the Delmar Fire Department her extended family. She was a member of Melson's United Methodist Church.

A funeral service will be held on Monday, January 25, 2016 at 3:00 p.m. at Short Funeral Home in Delmar, where family and friends may call from 1:00 to 3:00. The Reverend John Oltman will officiate.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in memory of her late son, Kevin, to the American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 4171, Salisbury, Maryland 21803.

Arrangements are in the care of Short Funeral Home, Delmar. Please visit [www.shortfh.com](http://www.shortfh.com) to send online condolences to the family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **25**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Short Funeral Home  
13 East Grove Street  
Delmar, DE 19940  
(302) 846-2525  
[info@shortfh.com](mailto:info@shortfh.com)

## Service

JAN **25**. 3:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Short Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Shirley Walker Morris*



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**Short Funeral Home** - January 25, 2016 at 11:38 AM

EN

“ *Miss Shirley made the BEST Sweet n Sour Meatballs in the world! And was kind enough to give away her secret. Rest in peace in the arms of our Lord.*

*Thoughts and Prayers to all of the family. ~~ Edgar & Bettyann Nichols*

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**Edgar & Bettyann Nichols** - January 31, 2016 at 07:32 PM



“ *69 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Short Funeral Home** - January 25, 2016 at 07:02 AM

KS

“ Karen Saracco lit a candle in memory of Shirley Walker Morris



Karen Saracco - January 24, 2016 at 06:48 PM

LW

“ Mrs Shirley was my partner in crime at many DFDLA events, I admired her spunk and she always came out, even with her O2 tank and sometimes she didn't feel well. All in all she was one heck of a lady. I will miss her. Rest easy Mrs Shirley, until we meet again, Lisa White

Lisa white - January 24, 2016 at 02:53 PM

BT

“ Joe and I send love and prayers for Miss Shirley and family. I will miss my bingo partner!



Barbara & Joe Triglia - January 23, 2016 at 10:38 PM

PZ

“ Pat & Ski are deeply saddened by the loss of a wonderful woman... RIP Miss Shirley!



Pat & Bill Ziolkowski - January 23, 2016 at 09:03 AM

GL

*My prayers and thoughts to the great family*

*Gerry LeCompte-January 24,2016*

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**Gerry LeCompte** - January 25, 2016 at 12:31 PM

JC

“ *A beautiful lady inside out. Always had a kind but witty word of wisdom. A pleasure to get to know Ms. Shirley. Praying for the family.*



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**Jolene Cross** - January 22, 2016 at 09:30 PM

JF

“ *Judi Figgs lit a candle in memory of Shirley Walker Morris*



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**Judi figgs** - January 22, 2016 at 08:32 PM

CP

“ *Chris And Ilah Preston lit a candle in memory of Shirley Walker Morris*



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**Chris and Ilah Preston** - January 22, 2016 at 07:18 PM

Kelly  
Bowden

“ Kelly Bowden lit a candle in memory of  
Shirley Walker Morris



Kelly Bowden - January 22, 2016 at 07:02 PM



“ Pk Vinson lit a candle in memory of Shirley  
Walker Morris



Pk Vinson - January 22, 2016 at 01:30 PM

SF

“ Sally Ferro lit a candle in memory of Shirley  
Walker Morris



Sally Ferro - January 22, 2016 at 01:02 PM

SW

“ Sharon And Jack Webb lit a candle in  
memory of Shirley Walker Morris



Sharon and Jack Webb - January 22, 2016 at 01:00 PM

Jl

“ I first met Shirley when I started working with her at the Holiday Inn. A number of years later I got a job as a paramedic in Delmar and I heard this voice... And it sounded oddly familiar. I was tickled to see Shirley again in Delmar and continue our relationship. She was sometimes difficult, but always giving and loving. I felt very lucky to be considered a part of our family. Love to you all.

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**Jill** - January 22, 2016 at 12:07 PM

SH

“ I love all of you . Your in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Shari** - January 22, 2016 at 11:41 AM

AL

“ I first met Mrs. Shirley not long after Shari started at DFD. I was at the station and she rolled in looking for Papa Jack. It seems there was something he was supposed to have taken care of and she dropped by to remind him. I kept my distance until the issue was resolved :)  
Afterwards she asked "And who are you?" My reply, "Shari's sister." She eyeballed me and I must have passed muster. Her direct and assertive style camouflaged a big heart.  
She loved her family.  
Bud and I send our sympathy and love to the Morris clan. We will miss her.

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**Alisa** - January 22, 2016 at 10:46 AM

SR

“ *R.I.P. Mrs Shirley. What a wonderful Lady, mother, wife, and friend! You touched so many lives....the Delmar Fire Dept and Ladies Auxiliary will never be the same. My love and prayers go out to Mr.Jack, and the family. Delmar has lost a very dedicated Lady!*



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**Sissy Russell** - January 22, 2016 at 08:45 AM

BT

“ *Barbara Twilley lit a candle in memory of Shirley Walker Morris*



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**Barbara Twilley** - January 21, 2016 at 07:51 PM