



Shelby J. Schumacher

December 14, 1946 - May 12, 2026

Shelby J. Schumacher, 79, passed away peacefully on May 12, 2026, surrounded by loved ones as she went to be with our dear Lord.

Born on December 14, 1946, Shelby was the eldest of ten children and lived a life centered on family, friendship, laughter, and love. She was predeceased by her parents, Fred and Betty Williams; her husband, David Schumacher; and her life partners, Daniel Childs and Clark Bush. She was also predeceased by two of her siblings.

Shelby is survived by her children: Jeff and his wife, Jenn; Thomas; Jessica and her husband, Haven; Fred; Henry and his wife, Maria; and Kim and her husband, Joe. She also leaves behind seven cherished grandchildren, one great-grandchild, several brothers and sisters, extended family members, and many dear friends who will miss her deeply.

Shelby loved spending time with family and friends and was happiest when surrounded by the people she cared about most. She enjoyed cooking, listening to great music, dancing, and sharing laughter with those around her. Her warmth, humor, caring spirit, and strength left a lasting impression on everyone who knew her.

A Celebration of Life will be held Thursday, May 21, 2026, from 4:00 p.m. to

6:00 p.m. at the Berkshire Fire Department on Steele Avenue Extension. We invite family to attend a private interment service at Canajoharie Falls Cemetery in Canajoharie, New York, on Friday, May 22, 2026.

Shelby's memory will live on in the hearts of all who knew and loved her.

Cemetery Details

Canajoharie Falls Cemetery

6339 NY-10
Canajoharie, NY 13317

Upcoming Events

Celebration of Life

MAY **21**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Berkshire Fire Department
Steele Avenue Extension
Gloversville, NY 12078