



Mrs.. Sheila Ann Hullihan

February 6, 1936 - January 1, 2020

Sheila Hullihan (Spottiswood) was born in Flushings, Queens, N.Y, February 6, 1936. She was the youngest of 7. She grew up in Queens NY, and primarily lived in NY and NJ. Throughout her life she married her first husband and had 2 children. She worked as a telephone operator, waitress, and later in life went back to school after marrying the love of her life (her 2ndhusband, Frank Hullihan) and became a drug and alcohol counselor. She was very much involved in the AA community and was 49 years sober. Sheila lived to serve and help others, she touched many lives and her legacy will live on. She is survived by her children, Karen Tompkins, and Buddy (Daniel) McGuckin and his wife Laura McGuckin. Grandchildren Shannon Mosher (Cameron Mosher, husband,) George Carr (Lexi Carr, Wife,) Chelsea McGuckin, and Tyler McGuckin. Great Grandchildren George Carr IV, Gabriella and Elijah Mosher. Three nieces, 1 nephew; 2 close to her, Jimmy Abercrombie and Gerry Nanbinger. Predeceased by her parents, her siblings, and first and second husbands. She died on Jan 1,

Cemetery

Fort Indiantown Gap National Cemetery

Fort Indiantown Gap, PA,

Comments



“ It was about 1970 that I met Sheila. What I saw then was a hardworking Mom raising her 2 kids alone while she worked a job and worked on herself. The energy she needed to try to do it all was more than the average person had! Then she found time to include me.

I needed guidance and help navigating home issues. Sheila was there for me. Through it all, the struggles the pain and frustration her quick infectious laugh always came through. I guess if you cant laugh, you would cry! Back then we didn't know the wisdom she was passing on to us. Maybe she didn't either. Over the years I admired how she did the things she wanted to do. Sheila showed her family how to live your best life. Being unselfish and allowing others to spread their wings. No judgement. Succeed or not, but keep trying. I'm not alone in my genuine praise and love for her. Her family was everything to her and she everything to them. We all pain when we lose a parent but we forget they had a life before they were parents as we have had. For my friends who pain over Sheila, please remember her smile, her laugh, and know she wants you to go on and live your best life. Until we meet again, Sheila, may you rest in peace! Much love, Aggie

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