



CELIA EVE SHER

September 2, 1933 - September 4, 2018

Celia Eve Sher, 85, beloved wife, mother and grandmother, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, September 4, 2018. Funeral services will be at 1:00pm Thursday, September 6, in the chapel at KI Blue Ridge Cemetery, 1901 Blue Ridge Blvd. in Independence, MO. Kindly omit flowers; the family suggests contributions to Kehilath Israel Synagogue. Celia was born September 2, 1933 in Kansas City, Missouri to Fred and Annette Lebrecht. She was the niece of Edna and Frank Kushner, who helped raise her after Annette's passing. She attended KC Community College and met her future husband, Sylvester, in 1955. They celebrated 56 years of marriage before his passing in 2014.

A long-time member of Kehilath Israel Synagogue, Celia was a member of Hadassah and ORT, enjoying holiday gift-wrapping for years. Celia loved spending time with and talking to her children and grandchildren, as well as family celebrations, holiday and Shabbat dinners. Celia was preceded in death by Sylvester. She is survived by daughter and son-in-law Allison and Alan Myers; daughter and son-in-law Susan and Dr. Samuel Gutovitz; son Dr. Scott Sher; grandchildren Dr. Rachel and Bradley Jacobs, Brian Myers; Dr. Cory Gutovitz, Dr. Hillary Gutovitz and fiancée Sean Hirshberg, Jeremy and Joel Gutovitz; Alex, Davi and Zoe Sher; and sister-in-law Carole Sher, nieces and nephews.

Celia will be missed by all who knew and loved her forever and ever.

Events

SEP **Funeral** 01:00PM

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Chapel at Kehilath Israel Blue Ridge Cemetery
1901 Blue Ridge Blvd., Independence, MO, US

SEP **Shiva** 07:00PM

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home of Dr. Scott Sher. Please call funeral home for additional information.
KS, US

Comments



“ Bobbie Bograd lit a candle in memory of CELIA EVE SHER



Bobbie Bograd - September 07, 2018 at 10:24 AM



“ We moved next door to Celia in 2016, and she introduced herself over the fence with the brightest, welcoming smile. She always had a wave while driving by, and we spoke often whenever we both were outside. She loved her home and her family and her independence. We will miss having such a nice neighbor. If there is anything we can do for the family, please do not hesitate to call or stop by.

Tammy & David Clem
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Tammy Clem - September 06, 2018 at 12:21 PM



“ To the entire Sher Family. Celia was such an important part of our KI family that it is impossible to think of her not being there on Shabbos. Her beautiful smile and pride of her children and grandchildren will long be remembered by all that knew her. I will truly miss her. May her memory be for a blessing.

Marlene

Marlene Krakow - September 06, 2018 at 12:09 PM



“ Since Rachel and Brad were married , we feel part of the extended Myers / Sher / Gutovitz family . The wonderful matriarch of the family lived a quality life and we are blessed to have known her and loved her. Daniel,Whitney, Cindy and Keith Klein .

k k - September 06, 2018 at 09:00 AM



“ Susan, Sam and the entire family, Your mother was always so sweet. Worked with her at Gift Wrap and remember her for Shabbat services. May her memory be a blessing.

Ellen Magariel - September 06, 2018 at 08:31 AM



“ Dear family,

My sincere condolences. She will always be remembered in the kindest, warmest way. Loved seeing her every Shabbat with her beautiful smile and then getting my hug.

I will miss her dearly.

Larry

Larry Haith - September 06, 2018 at 06:48 AM



“ I wish to express my condolences to the entire Sher family. I am so very shocked, as I just talked to Celia a few days ago when I met her at the bank and she said we should get together for lunch. We did not live very far from each other and I would run into her from time to time. She was very proud of her children, and especially her grandchildren and would fill me in as to what each was doing. Again my deepest sympathy to the entire family. May her memory be for a blessing.

Johanna Stein

Johanna Stein - September 06, 2018 at 12:14 AM



“ We're so sorry to hear about your loss. May your memories provide peace and comfort during this difficult time.

-Gary, Vicki, Jacob & Bree Katz



Vicki Katz - September 05, 2018 at 10:18 PM



“ Celia gave me smiles... what a beautiful gift that I am so thankful for!
Blessings Always,
Meridith Mullins

Meridith Allen Mullins - September 05, 2018 at 08:28 PM



“ Celia was one of the most positive and supportive persons I have had the pleasure of knowing. I always enjoyed seeing and being with her since I first met her doing ORT gift-wrapping beginning back in the the 1970s. My condolences to her family at this time of change. Memory of her is and will always be a blessing.

Rhoda Rosen



Rhoda Rosen - September 05, 2018 at 07:51 PM



“ We first met Celia when we moved here in 1955 - and we've been friends ever since. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time of grief - please accept our condolences.
Celia was a true and wonderful friend and will be greatly missed. May her memory be for a blessing. Beryl & Richard Silberg

Beryl Silberg - September 05, 2018 at 07:45 PM



“ So many happy memories we all shared together with both your parents. Sending many hugs and prayers. Your Momma will be dearly missed. Take care of each other.

Roz Dwyer - September 05, 2018 at 07:11 PM



“ So sorry to learn of your mother's passing, Susan! She leaves behind a remarkable family and many loving memories, to be sure. We send love and condolences...Marilyn & Steve Koshland

marilyn koshland - September 05, 2018 at 06:58 PM



“ We are so sorry to hear this! She was a wonderful example of how to be a loving parent and grandparent, always kvelling over all her kids and grandkids. Her beautiful smile will be missed. May her memory be a blessing to her much loved family.

Debby Schlozman - September 05, 2018 at 05:31 PM



“ Celia was a strong woman with a great family. She lived her life on her own terms and died on her own terms. She loved to talk about her kids and was respected by all.

RIP, Celia you will be missed.

Mark Mullins - September 05, 2018 at 05:23 PM



“ I was in shock and disbelief when I heard the news. Services will NEVER be the same without her. A petite lady that made a very large impact on everyone that knew her and I know it is a huge loss to your family and to the KI Family.

May her memory be a comfort.

Joseph, Debbie and Rochelle Adamous

Debbie Adamous - September 05, 2018 at 05:22 PM



“ Allison and family, so very sorry for your loss. May you find peace in your happy memories.



marie and phil koffman - September 05, 2018 at 05:19 PM



“ Dear Allison, Susie and Scott and family,
We were so sorry to learn of the passing of your beloved mother. She was adored by her family and will be missed. May her memory always be a blessing to you. Please extend our sincere condolences to the entire family
Marlene and Stan Katz

marlene katz - September 05, 2018 at 05:16 PM



“ Dear Celia's whole family and friends. Oftentimes a post on this website is more difficult than others. This is one of those times. Celia was a friend for so many years that it's hard to think about looking behind us in the synagogue and not seeing Celia's bright heartfelt smile beaming back, and then having an opportunity to visit with her in the Kiddush and catch up with each other. I am sorry that my illness prevents me from giving you condolences in person. May you be comforted by all the friends who are also mourning her loss. Truly her memory will be a blessing for all. We send our whole family's love.

Felicia and Seymour Weiner - September 05, 2018 at 04:19 PM



“ My prayers are with you all at this time. My parents were good friends of Celia & Sly for many years. I saw Celia at Hy-Ve about a year ago and we talked in the aisle for 30 minutes. What a smart lady! Wishing you all well at this time!

Karyn Erlich Weiner



Karyn Erlich Weiner - September 05, 2018 at 03:26 PM



“ My condolences to your very large and wonderful family.
May Celia's memories serve as wonderful blessings for generations to come.
Frank, Phyllis and Josef Loeffler

Frank Loeffler - September 05, 2018 at 03:23 PM



“ A photograph of a beautiful girl! Allison, Susan, and all, sending our sympathies for your loss.

Mark Edelman and Karin Lichterman - September 05, 2018 at 03:18 PM



“ Dear Allison, Susan, Scott & families,
Slip & I were so sorry to learn of the loss of your beloved mother & grandmother. Our thoughts & prayers are with you at this difficult time & we hope you will find comfort in all your loving memories. May her memory be a blessing.
Barb and Skip Rein

Barbara and Skip Rein - September 05, 2018 at 02:55 PM



“ Barbara And Skip Rein lit a candle in memory of CELIA EVE SHER



Barbara and Skip Rein - September 05, 2018 at 02:49 PM



“ To ALL who love Celia! I am saddened by this tragic news! I adored Celia and her extraordinary LOVE for her family and friends! She made such an impact on all who knew and loved her! I'm sending my love to you all! May her memory forever be a blessing to you all as it will be for me!

Kitty

Kit Smith - September 05, 2018 at 02:33 PM



“ We were so very sorry to hear of the passing of Celia. My husband and I would visit with her on the holidays at shul and we always saw her at Hy-Vee and would chat for a while. May her memory be for a blessing. Barbara & Phillip Goodbinder

Barbara Goodbinder - September 05, 2018 at 02:21 PM



“ Celia's passing leaves a 'hole' in my heart. Marla & I just saw Celia,z'l & Scott at Corinth's Spin's Pizza's. When ever seeing Celia she & I would always have such a lovely chat.

You wonderful 'kids' will always remember how you ended the year of 5778.

Arlene Shalinsky

arlene shalinsky - September 06, 2018 at 07:42 AM



“ I am so saddened to hear of your dear Mother's passing. We worked together for many years wrapping presents to raise money for our ORT group. We spent many a Saturday night with the 4 of us having dinner out. My she rest in peace.

Bobbie Bograd

Bobbie - September 06, 2018 at 11:23 AM