



Roberta R. Sherman

June 4, 1947 - July 8, 2025

Roberta Sherman, age 78, passed away on July 8, 2025. She was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, teacher, and friend whose enthusiasm, kindness, and dedication will be deeply missed by all who knew her.

Roberta was born in Brooklyn, New York, to Henry and Dorothy Rubin. She was raised alongside her brother, Jeff, who preceded her in death. In 1967, she married Seymour Sherman, and together they shared nearly 58 years of love, joy, and partnership. Roberta and Seymour raised two children, daughter Wendy Kamen (Howard) and son Eric Sherman (Lisa). She was the proud grandmother of Sarah, Amanda, Abby, and David, all of whom brought immense joy to her life.

Roberta was a passionate educator with a long and distinguished career in the Fairfax County Public Schools system, where she served as a teacher and assistant principal for many years. Her dedication to her students and the education community left an indelible mark on those who were fortunate enough to learn from her.

In retirement, Roberta continued to serve others, working with Dulles Airport Travelers Aid and dedicating her time to causes close to her heart. She was also an active volunteer at Northern Virginia Hebrew Congregation, where her kindness and service to the community were deeply appreciated.

Outside of her professional life, Roberta was an avid traveler who enjoyed

exploring new places and cultures. She loved spending time with her friends, often gathered around a Mahjong table, and cherished the moments spent with her family. Above all, her greatest joy came from the time spent with those she loved.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. ET on Thursday, July 10, 2025, at Northern Virginia Hebrew Congregation, located at 1441 Wiehle Avenue, Reston, VA 20190. Burial will follow at King David Memorial Gardens, 2712 Hollywood Rd., Falls Church, VA 22042.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that contributions in Roberta's memory be made to American Cancer Society or Breakthrough T1D (formerly JDRF).

Roberta's memory will live on in the hearts of her family, friends, and all who were touched by her life. May her memory be a blessing.

Cemetery Details

King David Memorial Gardens

Hollywood Rd.
FALLS CHURCH
FALLS CHURCH, VA 22043

Previous Events

Funeral Service

JUL 10. 1:00 PM (ET)

Northern Virginia Hebrew Congregation
1441 Wiehle Avenue
Reston, VA 20190

Graveside Service

JUL 10. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Hollywood Road
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