



## Sharon Ann Anstey

April 20, 1945 - November 23, 2018

Sharon A. (Brightup) Anstey, 73, of Benton Harbor passed away late Friday, November 23 at home unexpectedly.

A celebration of life will take place on Tuesday, December 4th from 5:30 to 7:00 at the Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral Services, 1053 E. Napier Ave in Benton Harbor.

Please send memories and photos to [www.florin.net](http://www.florin.net) Memorials may be made to Animal Aid of Benton Harbor, 134 Eastern Ave, Benton Harbor 49022.

Sharon was born in Benton Harbor, April 20, 1945 to Burton and Vera (Hidy) Brightup. Sharon graduated from Benton Harbor High School in 1963. She worked as a proof reader for Netedu advertising agency for most of her working life. Her passions included flower gardening and had a very elaborate garden in her back yard that included a pond. It was a showplace. She was also an avid photographer. Additionally she was involved with animal welfare including dogs, especially Shelties.

Sharon is survived by her mother, Vera Louise (Hidy) Brightup, sisters Jeane (John) Schaeffer of St. Joseph and Robyne Brightup; nephews Jon (Dawn) Schaeffer, Jason Schaeffer, Quinn Burton and niece Anna (Josh) Turnipseed and her beloved sheltie Danny. She was preceded in death by her father.

# Tribute Wall

CH

“ So sorry, I just saw that Sharon had passed away. I'll always remember how subtly funny she was. I know how much she'll be missed. Carol Hartstein

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**Carol Hartstein** - July 27, 2019 at 11:49 AM

SK

“ Sorry to hear of Sharon's passing...we worked together at the Netedu Company ...she was a sweet person ...very kind lady....good memories ....Scott & JoLynn Kendzora

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**Scott Kendzora** - December 02, 2018 at 04:18 PM



“ Dear Vera, Robyne and Jeane and the rest of Sharon's family, I'm so very sorry to hear of Sharon's passing! She was a wonderful person and so very loyal to those she cared about and loved. I will miss taking care of her at the salon and all the great conversations we had. She came into my life as a client, but truly left as a friend. May all the great memories of Sharon bring you comfort during such a difficult time!  
Sincerely,  
Rachel  
(Alley Cuts Salon)

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**Rachel Margol Kivela** - December 01, 2018 at 07:11 PM

SM

“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to Sharon's family, especially Vera. May God be with you during this time of sorrow. We will miss the wonderful visits with our dogs and sharing a few cocktails with both Sharon and Vera. Sharon was the best true friend anyone could ask for. Will love you forever. Sue, Hal and Foxy

Sue Manning - November 30, 2018 at 12:37 PM

CM

Condolences to her family. I worked with Sharon at Netedu. We shared a lot of stories. I rescued a sheltie who was being abandoned even though I couldn't keep him. She immediately took him to her mom. I believe his name was Duke. I was so grateful she did this. I know she will be missed.

CherylColeman McAdams - December 01, 2018 at 04:55 PM

NM

Thinking of you during this difficult time. Sharon was a wonderful person, never had a bad word to say about anyone. Lots of great memories. Hugs to all her family. Nancy and Jim

nancy milius - December 03, 2018 at 08:23 AM

SB

So sorry to hear of Sharon's passing. We roomed together while I went to college. She was very sweet and kind. Sorry I missed her service. Sincerely, Shirley Kendall Barrick

Shirley Barrick - December 04, 2018 at 09:22 PM

SF

“ Sue and Hal Manning and Foxy purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Sharon Ann Anstey.



Sue and Hal Manning and Foxy - November 30, 2018 at 12:26 PM