



Carol B. Shaw

April 13, 1936 - February 16, 2025

Carol B. Shaw, 88, of Naples, FL, passed away on February 16, 2025.

Carol was born on April 13, 1936, in Akron, Ohio, the daughter of the late Paul M. and Mildred M. (née Bauer) Blackburn. She had been a resident of Naples for the past 13 years after moving from Bonita Springs, FL, and Key Largo, FL.

A dedicated educator, Carol was a former elementary school teacher. After relocating to Bonita Springs, she continued her passion for teaching by volunteering and tutoring English to Hispanic children at Spring Creek Elementary.

Carol was an avid and adventurous spirit who enjoyed painting, sculpting, playing tennis, water skiing, snow skiing, sailing, and biking. Her love for music was evident through her involvement with the Naples Gathering Church Choir and the Bentley Village Choir. Carol also loved nature, whether from her balcony or on a long walk she loved to talk to the hummingbirds, white cranes and bunnies and admire the beautiful Orchids at Bentley or venture out to feed the Giraffes at the Naples Zoo.

She is survived by her two children, Stephanie A. Calaway, MSN RN and Stephen J. Calaway, both of Sandy Valley, NV. Carol was preceded in death

by her parents, her brother Paul Blackburn, and her sister Janice Morris.

A celebration of life will be held on March 9, 2025, from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM at the Seaside Patio at the East Clubhouse in Bentley Village.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to Carol's favorite animal charities: Airedale Terriers and Giraffes at Southwest Airedale Terrier Rescue c/o CABRA P.O. Box 3981 Gilbert, AZ 85299-3981 Note on Check – For Southwest Airedale Terrier Rescue or by website at www.cabra.org or to the www.NaplesZoo.org By mail Naples Zoo, ATTN: Development, 1590 Goodlette Rd., Naples, FL 34102

To sign her guest register or leave online condolences, please visit www.ShikanyFuneralHome.com.

Arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home Family Owned and Operated Since 1978.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

MAR 9. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Vi at Bentley Village (Seaside Patio, East Clubhouse)

850 Retreat Dr

Naples, FL 34110

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“ Getting to know Carol was a joy. My most precious times with her were the last six years when we would be on the the phone Sunday afternoons reviewing Pastor John's sermons, sharing our experiences and how those messages applied to our lives. We'd pray for each other, giving thanks to God for calling us into His family. Each time in church she would welcome new people as she wanted everyone to know Jesus loves them. Thank you God, for bringing us together. Kathy Noll/ Naples Gathering

Kathy Noll - March 06, 2025 at 09:15 AM

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“ Paul & Ulla Blackburn and family. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Carol B. Shaw.



Paul & Ulla Blackburn and family. - March 03, 2025 at 07:54 PM

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Sandy and David Edwards, David Blackburn - March 03, 2025 at 07:33 PM