



## Valerie A. Grada

July 23, 1958 - March 10, 2025

Valerie Grada, age 66, of Pittsburgh, passed away peacefully on March 10, 2025. She was born July 23, 1958, in Pittsburgh, PA. She was the daughter of the late Leonard and Lorraine (Shoshenski) Grada; loving sister of Leonard M. (Doreen) Grada and Sandra (Frank) Fazio; aunt of Andrea Palashoff and Laura Grada. She also leaves behind many cousins and friends. Memorial contributions may be made to the Humane Animal Rescue of Pittsburgh. Visitation will be held on Thursday, March 13, 2025 from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm and on Friday from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm and from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm at D'Alessandro Funeral Home & Crematory Ltd; 4522 Butler Street Pittsburgh, PA, 15201, where family and friends will meet on Saturday at 9am followed by a Funeral Mass in St. Pio Parish, St. Augustine Church at 10am.

# Cemetery Details

## Allegheny Cemetery

4734 Butler St.  
Pittsburgh, PA 15201

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 13. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

D'Alessandro Funeral Home and Crematory Ltd.  
4522 Butler St.  
Pittsburgh, PA 15201

## Visitation

MAR 14. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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## Visitation

MAR 14. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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## Mass

MAR 15. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Pio of Pietrelcina, St. Augustine Church  
225 37th St.  
Pittsburgh, PA 15201

# Tribute Wall

KK

“ Dear Len & Sandy,  
My sincere condolences on Valerie's passing. Like Jeff mentioned it brings back a lot of the Keystone street memories. I hope you are both doing well.  
Kenny K  
Pittsburgh, PA

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**Ken Kindsvater** - June 02, 2025 at 09:53 PM

JP

“ Dear Lenny and Sandra  
  
Just came across Valerie's obituary today. With sadness I learn of her passing. Memories from long ago, of the Keystone Street days, come flooding back to mind. My sincerest condolences to you both. May she rest in peace.  
  
Jeff  
Chapin, SC

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**Jeffrey Pawlak** - March 31, 2025 at 01:29 PM

KP

“ My deepest and sincerest sympathies to the Grada Family and good friends. I will miss Val. We grew up on the same St. She was a Fantastic person and a Wonderful friend and will be Greatly Missed and Loved. R.I.P. my Dear friend. Many Blessings to Family during this difficult time. Karen Phillips

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**Karen M Phillips** - March 26, 2025 at 01:47 PM

KW

“ Valerie knew me since I was born. Knew my family when they were young. So she knew everything about me. I didn't know much about her just stories. But she was very kind and every Halloween would give me candy.

She was my neighbor for the longest time before she needed some help medically. For a year haven't heard anything but was always thinking wondering about her. She had the sweetest dogs too I remember. We always talked about them. I'm sure she's with her dogs now. :) I'll miss her

Katie wills



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**Katie wills** - March 15, 2025 at 10:49 PM

MI

“ To Valerie Grada's Family,  
Our deepest sympathies, thoughts and prayers are with you. We'll light a candle at St. Pios on Sunday March 16th. Blessings to you and yours.

Friends from the VFW,  
Terry and Bob Miller

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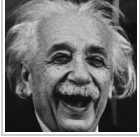
**Miller** - March 14, 2025 at 06:31 PM

DA

“ Sandy and Family. I'm so sorry for your loss. Your sister is your Angel now and rests with your mom and dad. Memory Eternal.

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**debra adams** - March 14, 2025 at 10:34 AM



“ *Val I am going to miss you dearly. You truly lived life on your terms. Sis you are one of kind and I thank you for the memories you leave me with. So, rest now in peace with mom. Dad and your animals that you loved so much. Oh, almost forgot to mention that you where one hell of a cook. You really had a knack. I could not have asked for a better sister. Goodbye Val till we meet again in heaven,*

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**Leonard Grada** - March 13, 2025 at 10:11 AM

SG

“ *Len and Sandy:*

*As a child I always remembered Val as the "cool" one. Wish I would have seen more of her in later years, but life takes us all down crazy paths sometimes.*

*You and your families are in my thoughts.*

*Love... Steve and Pam*

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**Steve Grada** - March 12, 2025 at 04:25 PM

JG

“ *Sandy and Lenny*

*My thoughts and Prayers are with you both  
Remember the good times you had with Valerie  
Her Spirit and Love will always be with you*

*Juanita Giza*

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**Juanita M Giza** - March 12, 2025 at 09:40 AM

CM

“ *Sandy & Frank*

*I am so sorry for the loss of your Sister. I will always remember her  
in better times.*

*Prayers to your Family*

*In Sympathy & Love*

*Cyndy Mosco*

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**Cyndy Mosco** - March 11, 2025 at 08:11 PM