



LaVerne F. Svidro

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LaVerne F. "Lala" Svidro, age 94, of Pittsburgh, passed away on November 23, 2025.

LaVerne was a vibrant and active member of the Life Span community, where she enjoyed going out to lunch and participating in bus trips with her friends. She had a penchant for the thrill of the casino and often delighted in the excitement of scratch-off tickets. A fond lover of nature, LaVerne found joy in feeding the birds and cherished her time spent at the beach, where many happy memories were made. She will also be lovingly remembered for her exceptional cooking and baking, with her specialties of stuffed cabbage and nut horns.

LaVerne is survived by her daughters Linda (David) Svidro and Dona (Jay) Edwards; 7 step grandchildren; 13 step great-grandchildren; as well as nieces, nephews, cousins, good neighbors, and friends.

She is preceded in death by her husband Joseph Svidro, parents Edward and Mary Tytke, sister Dorothy Karpa, and brother Edward Tytke.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, November 25, 2025 from 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm at the Jefferson Memorial Funeral Home, 301 Curry Hollow Road, Pittsburgh, 15236. A Blessing service will take place on Wednesday, November 26 at 10:00 am in the funeral home's chapel.

Online condolences may be shared at <https://www.jeffersonmemorial.com>.



Tribute Wall

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CV

Carol V. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of LaVerne.

November 25 at 7:36 PM



DS

Dave And Mae Smith sent an Arrive in Style to the Svidro family.

November 25 at 8:28 AM



LJ

Love William, Stephanie, Lana, & Jenn. sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Svidro family.

November 25 at 7:51 AM



WF

Wendy Gitas And Family sent a Serene Retreat to the Svidro family.

November 24 at 5:20 PM



ME

Mary E. sent a Basket Full of Wishes to the Svidro family.

November 24 at 5:02 PM



ME

Mary E. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of LaVerne.

November 24 at 5:02 PM





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Monica G. sent a Florist Choice Bouquet to the Svidro family.

November 24 at 4:57 PM



George, Jamie, & Lillie Edwards sent an Ocean Breeze Spray to the Svidro family.

November 24 at 4:55 PM



Jamie Edwards lit a candle in honor of LaVerne.

Lala your memory will live on in all the lives you touched. You were the heart of the family, and your presence will be profoundly missed. I will forever miss our lottery ticket "Scratch off" times and all the time we spent together. I have always admired your faith in GOD and all the compassion you had. I was so blessed to have known you and having the honor of you being my Great- Grandmother. May you rest in peace and enjoy this Thanksgiving dinner with Great-Grandpa Joe. I Love You - Love Lillie

November 24 at 4:05 PM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring LaVerne by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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