



# Sharon Leigh Weatherly

OCT 25, 1962 - MAY 8, 2022



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**S**haron Leigh Weatherly, age 59 of Punta Gorda, FL and Rehoboth Beach, Delaware, passed away unexpectedly on Sunday, May 8, 2022. She was born on October 25, 1962, in Wilmington, DE, with the first early snow that year.

Sharon was an extremely proud graduate of Virginia Tech, Blacksburg VA, with a B.S. in Management Science (Go Hokies!!). She also recently obtained a Master of Science in Project Management from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University. Sharon's noted career included over 18 years with IBM and over 7 with Texas Instruments. She was most recently a Business Operations Leader with Kyndryl. Her passions in the business field were strategic planning, business operations, organizational strategies, process definition, and being a career coach.

In her spare time, Sharon enjoyed volunteering as Director Emeritus at PMI Northeast Florida Chapter. She had many interests and hobbies. Sharon enjoyed relaxing on the beach, photography, watching all HOKIE sports, cooking, collecting and enjoying fine wines, boating, time with family, and being an aunt to her two nephews. She loved growing up near Rehoboth Beach, DE. Sharon also spent over 30 years in Ponte Vedra Beach, Fl. She enjoyed hosting parties with friends and loved the Parrot Head lifestyle of Jimmy Buffet's music, attending many of his concerts over the years.

A kindhearted spirit, Sharon enjoyed helping people and was always extremely compassionate to everyone around her. She would go out of her way to help others advance their career and succeed in life. A wonderful and loving daughter, sister, and aunt, Sharon was loved by many and will be deeply and genuinely missed by all who knew her.

Sharon was preceded in death by her grandparents, Lee and Hattie Weatherly, and George and Bessie Howard. She is survived by her loving parents, Roger and Patsy Weatherly of Punta Gorda, FL; her sister, Darlene Weatherly Frantz and her husband, Scott Frantz of Oakton, VA; and her beloved nephews, Ryan and Austin Frantz. She also leaves behind an extended family and many friends.



## Obituary

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A graveside service will be held on Friday, May 20, 2022 at 1:00 PM, at Rehoboth Presbyterian Church of Midway Cemetery, 19075 Coastal Highway, Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971.

A celebration of Sharon's life will be held in the fall of 2022, in Rehoboth Beach, DE, where we hope many family members and friends will be able to attend and share their love and memories of her.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations in Sharon's memory to the Lymphatic Education & Research Network, at [www.lymphaticnetwork.org](http://www.lymphaticnetwork.org).

Please sign the virtual guestbook located on the tribute page.

FLORIST NOTE: PLEASE DELIVER ALL ARRANGEMENTS BY 10:00 AM ON FRIDAY, MAY 20, 2022, AT OUR LEWES LOCATION.



## Events


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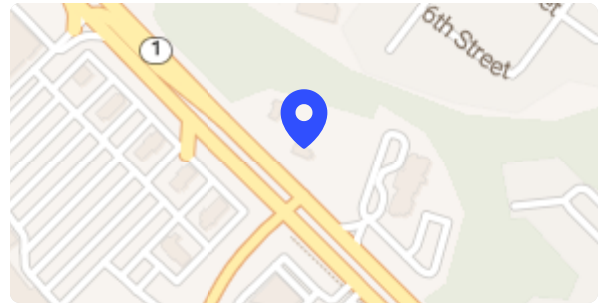
### Graveside Service

 **Friday**, May 20, 2022

 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM ET

 **Rehoboth Presbyterian Church of Midway Cemetery**

19075 Coastal Highway, Rehoboth Beach DE





## Tribute Wall

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DS

**Donna Smith** shared 3 photos to the **IBM Memories** album.



September 20 at 10:14 AM

DS

**Donna Smith** posted:

Pat / Roger, I want to share my deepest condolences in the passing of Sharon. I was so heartbroken to hear the news. I'm sure you've heard so many great stories about Sharon over the years. I wanted to share with you my story. I met Sharon back in 2013 while supporting her team in their sales roles. Sharon brought me onto her team in 2014; I liked to joke with her that she 'rescued' me. Over the years Sharon has been my teammate, my manager, my mentor, but more than anything she was my friend. She protected me, mothered me and mentored me. She took our whole team under her wings and fiercely protected us. She always had great things to say of our team and was so proud of the team that she put together. We truly had the best team around and like any team, it takes a great leader, Sharon was that and so much more. I would not be where I am today if it weren't for her. I owe my career at IBM to Sharon. She is going to be so deeply missed but I am so grateful that I got to really know her and call her friend. Sharon was so looking forward to building a new house and living out the rest of her life with you guys. She talked often about family and loved her nephews as if they were her own. She would always refer to them as "her boys". She is now your angel watching you all from above. You all are in my thoughts and prayers. Sincerely, Donna M. Smith

September 20 at 10:11 AM

SC

**Steve Couch** posted:

I am shocked to learn of Sharon's passing. She was a truly kind woman, and I will miss her professionalism and expertise. RIP Sharon.-Steve Couch, Jax FL

June 20 at 12:05 PM

CV

**Charles H R Volz** posted:

Sharon was a very good friend and fellow board member of our Project Management Institute Northeast Florida Chapter. She was always wise, thoughtful and caring. She is much missed.

May 22 at 12:13 PM



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GC

**Guillermo Collada** posted:

My condolence and heart to the family. Such a shock to hear the news. I was fortunate to be a colleague of her at Expert Labs. Sharon was so kind and attentive to everyone, didn't matter that we were from Spain thousands of miles away. Beyond being a professional reference, I will remember her caring for the team. Rest in Peace. Guillermo Collada. Expert Labs Spain.

May 19 at 9:00 AM

LR

**Lynne Rose** posted:

When we returned from Japan, I was scared of going to school, Sharon became my friend, she was a kind, good person, rip Sharon.

May 18 at 2:59 PM

JS

**Joern Steinhart** posted:

I was fortunate to have been able to work with Sharon at IBM Security Expert Labs for many years. I also had the opportunity to meet her in person, in Atlanta, in Dallas, in New Orleans, the places where she helped organize the annual global Security Expert Labs conferences. Her death is totally unexpected and very sad news. I have always known Sharon as an extremely committed, very competent and always friendly and people-oriented person. I would like to express my sincere condolences to the bereaved and her family. Dr. Jörn Steinhart, Leader IBM Security Expert Labs Germany, Switzerland and Austria.

May 17 at 7:18 AM



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MS

**Mark Stowers** posted:

Sharon is truly a special person. As the Chief Operating Officer of IBM Security Lab Services, she was my "right hand" person for my last 5+ years with IBM. Smart, talented, dedicated, she was my confidante, sounding board, facilitator and so much more. Sharon cared deeply for her employees, encouraging them and creating an atmosphere for them to shine. She made the whole organization better, delivering business, customer and employee success. Sharon was the driving force behind the tremendous success of the Technical Academies that were held for four straight years, events that will always be the highlight of my career. Seeing people from across the globe come together to learn, share and most importantly, build relationships grew the team into a family. No one can truly appreciate all the effort that went into making those events world class and it was Sharon who made it all happen. I could write volumes on what Sharon meant to me, but let me simply say that I miss my friend immensely. Rest In Peace. Condolences and heartfelt love to her family.

May 15 at 12:49 PM

CJ

**Cousin Jay Thomas And Michelle Jennings** posted:

It has been a few years since we saw Sharon. She was so full of life and had a beautiful and loving disposition about life. She will be missed.

May 15 at 10:41 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Medium Dish Garden to the Weatherly family.



May 15 at 10:34 AM

CB

**Clare Berry** posted:

My heart goes out to the Weatherly family. Sharon and I were fast friends from the time we met in Ponte Vedra Beach years ago. Your description rang true -- if there was something to be done or someone to be helped, there was Sharon to make it happen. The love and devotion I witnessed for years between Sharon and Pat and Roger was so special. I send you all much love and wishes for peace at this tough time.

May 15 at 9:41 AM



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CH

**Carole Hargrove** posted:

Sharon David and I will miss you. We fondly remember having lunch with just before Covid hit in May 2020.

May 14 at 7:12 PM

GB

**Gianluca Bolognesi** posted:

Sharon, what a shock. I still can't believe this is true. I miss you already. Thanks for all your support and guidance and your special attention to my complex business environment. My heart is with you and your Family. Rest In Peace Gianluca

May 12 at 8:28 PM

SH

**Scott Henley** sent a Country Basket Blooms to the Weatherly family.



May 12 at 3:38 PM

SH

**Scott Henley** posted:

This was truly a shock to hear. I worked closely with Sharon for well over 5 years at IBM. She was a very strong supporter, helper, friend and listener over that time. I have missed our regular morning chats since she moved out of IBM - mornings was the best time for our timezones to overlap and it seemed like most weeks we would chat daily. Rest in peace Sharon. My condolences to her family. Sharon regularly spoke fondly about her parents and nephews in our chats.

May 12 at 3:27 PM

PS

**Peter And Ann Santoro** shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Sharon will be missed. Rest in peace. A Mass will be said for Sharon at Church of St. Ignatius Loyola NYC



May 12 at 11:48 AM



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**Sarah Maclellan** sent an Ocean Breeze Spray to the Weatherly family.



May 12 at 11:06 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Magnificent Life Spray to the Weatherly family.



May 11 at 8:55 AM



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September 20 at 10:14 AM





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*Lord  
for your  
faithful  
people  
life is  
changed,  
not  
ended.*



# Memories only last if you share them

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



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