



## Sharon Tabbert

December 27, 1951 - November 1, 2025

Sharon Ann Baker Magill Tabbert, age 73, of Dallas, Texas left this earthly realm to be lovingly welcomed back to her eternal home with Jesus on November 1st, 2025, with her children by her side.

Sharon was the beloved daughter to Wanda and Willard Baker, born on December 27th, 1951 in Dallas, Texas, where she was raised and later raised her own 5 children.

Sharon was a warm and comforting light in the lives of all who had the privilege of knowing her. Her journey on this Earth was one marked by love, compassion, hilarious stories, and unwavering faith in God.

Sharon is survived and missed by her 5 children; Her son Nathan Magill and his wife Stacey and their children Benjamin, Elizabeth, and Sarah. Her daughter Amie and her husband Andrew Deregge and their daughters Molly and Madeleine; and Jack Sullivan, father of Sharon's great grandchildren Jack and Ellie.

Her son Seth Magill and his wife Anastasia and their children Tara, Marlow, and Willa. Her daughter Alecia Dickerson and her children Libby, Logan, June and Olivia. Her daughter Abbey and her husband Drew Wall. Sharon is also survived by her mother Wanda Baker, her brothers Jim and Danny Baker, her nieces and nephews Rachel and Curran Baker, Heather Reim, and Hosea Baker. She also leaves many other family members and friends who will miss her.

Sharon was born and raised in the best part of Dallas, White Rock Lake. Her loving and sympathetic heart was evident even as a child, doing whatever she could to make sure all beings, and even inanimate objects, felt love. Even going as far as to cry in the piano store when her parents were shopping for a piano. They wanted a grand piano but Sharon was concerned for the lesser than grand piano. Thinking others would overlook its beauty- she insisted that her parents buy that one. She lived her life in this way, always concerned about the wellbeing of others, especially the ones often overlooked.

Sharon's longings and desires for love were fulfilled when she came to know Jesus. She wrote, "I finally knew and realized so deep within my being His love for me. He touched me with warmth and peace so deep within. I felt a healing in my heart I'd never known." Sharon's heart's desire was to share the love of Jesus with whoever would listen, going to places like Lee Park and concerts as a young adult to share His message with her bible study friends. This is where she met Larry Magill, the father of her 5 children.

Raising her family gave her so much joy. She often referred to the times of raising her small children as "the best time of my life." She was completely devoted to her family. She showed up, always. To every game, every performance, every celebration, even if it meant driving several hours to get there. Sharon was a proud and deeply involved mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. She loved her children and grandchildren massively and they felt it every single day. She would say, "a good mom makes every child feel like they're her favorite," and her favorite was a title everyone fought for.

Sharon had a special charm for making occasions and celebrations unforgettable. She really knew how to throw a party! Birthdays, baby showers, family gatherings- she knew how to pour love into it, making it memorable and lively- often with live music!

Christmas was her speciality. In wintertime her home was full of magic and joy. Everything she touched had a certain glow about it. Her home was always full, always warm, and always ready for one more plate at the table.

She worked at SMU Law School for 35 years, where she formed friendships with many, including her best friend, Debbie Seiter. Her retirement party was a reflection of the joy she brought to others, filled with laughter and stories shared by colleagues who adored her.

She was proud of her Native American and Irish roots. She loved celebrating her heritage by attending the annual Native American Pow Wow and the North Texas Irish Festival every year. She loved travelling, her favorite place being Ireland, where she got to visit multiple times. She loved a homey pub and singing along to traditional Irish music.

She modeled what it meant to be a loving daughter by taking her mother breakfast every morning, spending Saturdays caring and running errands with her, and even after becoming sick- still making sure someone else in the family would tend to her. Her mother was always on her mind and they were so blessed to spend Sharon's last months together at CC Young and The Villages in Lake Highlands.

Those who knew Sharon will remember her for her warmth, her stories, her deep rooted faith in Jesus, and her commitment to ensuring that everyone she encountered was fed and felt loved.

Her legacy is one of steadfast love, celebration, faith and family. Forever treasured, deeply missed, lovingly remembered. We were all blessed and highly favored just to know her.

The Celebration of Life service to honor Sharon will be held on her heavenly

birthday, December 27th, 2025 at Arts Mission Oak Cliff. All of Sharon's friends and loved ones are encouraged to come celebrate.

2:30pm at 410 S Windomere Ave Dallas, TX 75208

# Previous Events

## Arts Mission Oak Cliff

DEC 27. 2:30 PM (CT)

Arts Mission Oak Cliff  
410 S Windomere Ave  
Dallas, TX 75208

# Tribute Wall

KM

“ *Wish we could be there today for the celebration of a wonderful woman! It was always a delight when we could see Sharon and hear the tales of her and Marks travels! She raised great kids and truly cherished time with family!*



Kathy McDaniel - December 27, 2025 at 02:38 PM

CN

“ *Sharon had a heart of gold. I know Joe drove her crazy with all his requests but she always had a smile and her laugh was infectious. I hope Joe will be there to welcome her but all she left behind will have great memories. God bless her family during this difficult time.*  
Colleen

Colleen Norton - December 26, 2025 at 11:38 PM

SF

“ *I will always remember our fun times Irish Dancing!*  
*Love you forever and always!*



sandy freeman - December 26, 2025 at 04:29 PM

CS

“ *Carolyn Yates, Kim C, & Debbie S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sharon Tabbert.*

Carolyn Yates, Kim C, & Debbie S. - December 26, 2025 at 02:02 PM

CS

“ Carolyn Yates, Kim C, & Debbie S. purchased the *Divine Peace Bouquet* for the family of Sharon Tabbert.



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**Carolyn Yates, Kim C, & Debbie S.** - December 26, 2025 at 02:02 PM

BC

“ Betsy Cummings purchased the *Country Basket Blooms* for the family of Sharon Tabbert.



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**Betsy Cummings** - December 26, 2025 at 11:40 AM

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**Betsy Cummings** - December 26, 2025 at 11:40 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Sharon Tabbert.



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December 26, 2025 at 11:27 AM



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December 23, 2025 at 10:00 PM



“ *Mary Brock purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Sharon Tabbert.*



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**Mary Brock** - December 23, 2025 at 05:43 PM



“ *Cheryl & Jerry Smith purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Sharon Tabbert.*



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**Cheryl & Jerry Smith** - December 22, 2025 at 11:53 AM

LM

“ We miss her bubbly personality and humor at SMU Law School. I remember she and Debbie Seiter were like our word processing department back in the earlier days, typing for ALL faculty! We were the Law School Storey Tellers, the nickname we gave ourselves for our group who worked here 20-40+ years! I was honored to have her friendship and the happy memories will sustain us. Rest now, dear friend. You worked SO hard. We love and miss you, Sharon! Sending constant prayers to her family. LISA MONTES, SMU Law School.



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**Lisa Montes** - December 22, 2025 at 10:48 AM

LM

“ I am so sorry to hear of Sharon passing. She and I used to hang out a long time ago. We kind of lost touch after she married. I loved her laugh and she had some great parties. Our families were kind of connected because Madeline and Kelsi were best friends when they went to Hexter. She will be missed by many! Prayers to her family!

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**Lisa Moore-Byrn** - December 18, 2025 at 01:11 PM

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“ Sharon or Sharona, as we called her, has been one of my best friends for 25 yrs. We shared our love for our Native and Irish roots, which we were both so proud of. My husband Jerry & I were also included in many of her family gatherings, she wanted to make sure we were not by ourselves. She could be so funny, say the funniest things without even trying to be funny. She was a devout believer and loved Jesus, we prayed many a prayer during her illness as she fought so hard to live. I will forever miss you and remember you my Chickasaw sister (Sharon found this pic of two Native American women she thought looked like us & sent it to me).



Cheryl Linney - December 07, 2025 at 06:56 PM

CL

Sharon or Sharona as we called her, was a best friend for 25 yrs. We connected as we are both of Chickasaw and Irish descent. I loved her dearly, she could make me laugh and wasn't even trying to be funny. She loved her big family more than anything and always included my husband & I in her family gatherings, she didn't want us to be by ourselves, we were always treated like we were family too. She loved Jesus and we prayed together many times during her illness as she so desperately fought to live. Sharon sent this pic one day to me saying these two Native women looked like us. I will forever miss you my Chickasaw sister!

Cheryl Linney - December 07, 2025 at 07:08 PM

CB

Such a beautiful picture to represent your friend and you. Old friends are a treasure that cannot be replaced. I am sorry for the loss of your Chickasaw/ Irish sister

cherece bolin - December 08, 2025 at 02:05 PM

CJ

“ Sharon was such a joy to be around. She loved to visit and just hang out and talk. Of course, her mother, Wanda would join us. Our kids went to school together and have fond memories of Sharon and her family; weddings and showers.

Candace Jernigan

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**Candace Jernigan** - December 05, 2025 at 07:03 PM

DD

“ I've known Sharon since Hill Junior High. We had a lot of the same friends. She was so sweet and kind. I do remember when Rusty went Christmas caroling with her and a group and they had a piano in the back of a truck. I missed that! She will definitely be missed.

I'm glad she is with Jesus and out of pain 😊 Deb Daniel

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**Deb Daniel** - December 05, 2025 at 06:32 PM

CL

Sharon or Sharona as we called her, has been one of my best friends for 25 years. We shared our Native American & Irish roots that we were both proud to be. We always had a great time when we were together! She was always funny without trying to be! She always included Jerry (my husband) and me to all of her BIG family gatherings, we were always so appreciative as we were always treated warmly by her and the family! She fought hard to live and she had the faith, we spent many times in prayer during her sickness. I will forever miss my precious Chickasaw sister.

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**Cheryl Linney** - December 07, 2025 at 06:39 PM

 Sarah  
Baker-  
Sanders

“ Sharon was a very special cousin to me. I enjoyed so many good times at her parties, showers, and events over the years. She knew how to make the best spread of food and make everyone feel welcomed and loved. She was especially kind to my sister, Susan (who passed away the same week as Sharon). Susan loved Elvis and Sharon would take her to see an Elvis impersonator often. It was always the highlight of Susan's year. Sharon was an amazing mother and grandmother. She will be greatly missed by so many people who loved her.

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**Sarah Baker-Sanders** - December 05, 2025 at 05:54 PM