

# NORMA "SHECKY" OLSZEWSKI



Age 92, passed away on Saturday, October 21, 2023. She was born November 21, 1930, in Pittsburgh, PA, to the late Samuel and Gertrude (Snitkin) Ruben.

Norma, was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. She was preceded in death by her devoted husband of 68 years, Henry; she is survived by her daughters, Kathleen (the late George) and Diane; grandchildren, Melissa,

Stephanie (Patrick), Ryan (Marcie), Valerie (Jim), Steven (Tiffany), Scott (Jodie); a nephew who was like a grandchild, Justin (Stacy); great-grandchildren, Michael, Owen, Mason, Emily, Kayla, Parker, Lexie, Henry, Bodhi; and step-great-grandchildren, Jackson and Eve. Norma loved to travel, but her heart and soul remained in Pittsburgh her entire life. She grew up in Oakland and was the oldest of six: Joyce, Madeline, Karen, Gary, and Linda. She attended Schenley High School and met her future husband when he returned from WWII. Later, Shadyside, Squirrel Hill, and Penn Hills were also her domains. There are lots of kids in the East End who had their first shoes fitted by Norma at Newman's on Murray Avenue. Norma loved New York City, the theater, history, garden club, Guiding Light, Rehoboth Beach, her dogs, Tiny and Tempo, good food, pretty clothes, pink nail polish, and red lipstick, but most of all, she loved her family. She made friends easily and had a genuine enthusiasm for life. Her gentle presence will be forever missed by all who loved her. Friends and family received Monday, 4-7 pm at **SOXMAN FUNERAL HOMES, LTD./ ROTH CHAPEL**, 7450 Saltsburg Road (at Universal Road), Penn Hills, where a Service will be held Tuesday, 10:00 am. Interment in Ahavath Achim Cemetery.

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