



Suzanne Derzon

September 6, 1936 - June 2, 2025

Suzanne Derzon,

(nee Hirsch) June 2, 2025 age 88, of Glendale. Beloved wife of the late Sheldon Derzon. Dear mother of Marci (Howard) Margolis, Dr. Mark (Mary) Derzon, Lori (the late Dr. Barry) Browne, and Mimi (Bill) Stephen. Cherished grandmother of Rachel (Rabbi Evon) Yakar, Jessica (Ryan) Lorenz, Gideon Derzon, Erin Derzon, Sarah (Aria) Howell, Dr. Hannah (Evan Ogden) Browne, Joseph Browne, Benjamin (Maggie) Stephen, Sophie Stephen, and Sam Stephen. Treasured great-grandmother of Caleb and Jonah Yakar. Adoring sister of Maxine Zinder. Further survived by many loving nieces, nephews, other relatives, and great friends.

Suzanne was committed to a legacy of love to her family. She was a devoted wife to Sheldon for 58 years. Their life together was filled with mutual respect and affection. She actively participated in the counseling of woman as they sought to preserve their reproductive rights. After her years spent raising their 4 children, she focused on a career in art and design that brought forth a varied placement of stained glass windows and sculpture which now adorn religious institutions worldwide. Her preeminent contribution is the design and works in the Congregation Shalom Synagogue in Milwaukee. She left every location she worked in a more beautiful and spiritually uplifting place.

Funeral services 10 AM Wednesday, June 4, 2025 at Congregation Shalom, 7630 N. Santa Monica Blvd, Fox Point. Private burial. Memorials to Congregation Shalom or Planned Parenthood.

To join virtually, <https://www.cong-shalom.org/live-streaming.html>

On Wednesday, June 4, 2025, the family will see friends at Congregation Shalom from 4-6 PM.

Previous Events

Funeral Service

JUN 4. 10:00 AM (CT)

Congregation Shalom
7630 N Santa Monica Blvd
Fox Point, WI 53217

Shiva

JUN 4. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

FK

“ So sorry to hear of Aunt Suzi's passing. She was an amazing woman of many talents and she raised a beautiful close family. I will always remember her soft way of speaking and her kindness.

Franci Koehn - June 06, 2025 at 02:07 PM

DM

“ Whenever I'm a guest at congregation Shalom I enjoy Susie's beautiful glass art on Bima. So meaningful! She was great artist and person! Dorothy meyers

Dorothy meyers - June 03, 2025 at 04:10 PM

EB

“ I was so saddened to hear this news. Suzie was such a sweet person who I had known for years. I always enjoyed any time I spent with her. She was one of my parents' favorites as well. My mom truly loved working with her on the ark doors and the bimah chairs many years ago. Her talent was boundless and lives on in her works of art.

May loving memories give you comfort!

~Ellen Abrams Blankenship.

Ellen Abrams Blankenship - June 03, 2025 at 12:00 PM