



## Robin Lee Polanski

May 24, 1952 - June 21, 2026

Robin L. Polanski, age 74, of Wheeling passed away at Moundview Health Care Center, Moundsville, WV on Sunday, June 21, 2026.

She was born May 24, 1952, in Wheeling, daughter of the late Lee and Louise Morgan Wensel.

In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by one sister; Heather Pahlman.

Robin was a retired special education secretary for the Ohio County Board of Education, with 20 years of service.

Survivors include her husband of 50 years, Dave Polanski; one daughter, Amy (Eric) Burkle of Wheeling; one son, David (Amanda) Polanski of Yorkville, OH; one brother, Kirk (Peggy) Wensel of Wheeling; six grandchildren, Haley, Sydney and Liam Burkle and Madelyne, Aiden and Allee Polanski; two brothers-in-law, Mike (Sandy) Polanski of IL; Bob (JoAnn) Polanski of Wheeling; several nieces and nephews and special friend: Robin Schoene.

The family would like to send a special thanks to the staff of Moundview Health Care Center including Diane Miller and Brandi Orth.

There will be no visitation. A celebration of life will be held at a later date.

Arrangements entrusted to Grisell Funeral Home, Bethlehem/Wheeling.

Sympathy expressions at [grisellfuneralhomes.com](http://grisellfuneralhomes.com).

# Tribute Wall

LR

“ *Dave and family,  
Wayne and I are so very sorry to hear of Robin's passing. I will  
remember her smile and how nice she was to work with. May good  
memories lighten your sadness and may perpetual light shine upon  
her.*

*Wayne and Lois Rutter*

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**Lois Rutter** - 1 hour ago

JS

“ *Joe & Amy Sipos lit a candle in memory of  
Robin Lee Polanski*



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**Joe & Amy Sipos** - 1 hour ago

DA

“ *Dennis R. Albaugh lit a candle in memory of  
Robin Lee Polanski*



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**Dennis R. Albaugh** - 2 hours ago

DA

“ *My sincere and humble condolences to the family and friends of  
Robin. I'm blessed to have known and to have grown up with the  
entire family. Denny Albaugh*

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**Dennis R. Albaugh** - 2 hours ago

MM

“ I am so sorry and sad to hear about Robin. She was my secretary for five years when I was the Special Education Director with the Office of Special Education at Ohio County Schools. With her work ethic and engaging personality, she made the work in the office pleasant and efficient. I extend my deepest condolences to her family.

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**Maria McKelvey** - 4 hours ago

AD

I am so very sorry for your loss, Dave, David, Amy, and all, and my whole family extends our deepest sympathies. Robin showed the greatest kindness to me and my sister growing up, and it was really from her that I learned about all that being a good neighbor could mean. I still vividly hear her voice as she greeted me from the front porch or stopped by the gate to say hello and exchange news. She was always encouraging of my sister and me, cheering us on in whatever we were then doing, and always spoke of you with such pride and love, David and Amy. Her kindness was an indelible part of my growing up. Please know I am thinking of you.

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**Annmarie D.** - 3 hours ago

KN

We are so sorry for your loss.

Kelly & Gary Nixon

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**Kelly Nixon** - 3 hours ago

DB

Dear , Amy and family , Brian and I are so very sorry .Debbie and Brian Brookes

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**Debbie Brookes** - 2 hours ago

PM

So sorry for your loss, Robin will sure be missed. Love & Prayers for comfort for you all. Love & Prayers Aunt Pat

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**Pat McConnell** - 1 hour ago