



Shardaben Shah

February 9, 1932 - January 2, 2026

Shardaben Kanaiyalal Shah, beloved mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, passed away peacefully on Friday, January 2, 2026, surrounded by her loving family.

Born on February 9, 1932, in the village of Hanol in the Saurashtra District of India, to her devoted parents, Rambhaben and Gulabchand Parekh, Shardaben came from very humble beginnings.

She was raised in Bhavnagar, where she married Kanubhai Shah in 1955.

Together, Shardaben and Kanubhai raised three sons, Dinesh, Praful, and Rajiv in Ahmedabad. Their home was guided by enduring values of hard work, dedication to education, and unwavering care for family. Shardaben took immense pride in raising three sons who became successful physicians. She was blessed with six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren, all of whom she adored deeply.

Shardaben and Kanubhai spent their final years in Ahmedabad, maintaining good health and embracing a quiet, simple lifestyle. In February of 2025, Kanubhai passed away. Shardaben spent her final months peacefully in New Jersey, surrounded by the warmth and devotion of her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and the many lives she touched and inspired over the

years. Her life was one of humility, strength, and boundless love; a legacy that will continue through generations.

The family will be holding funeral services on Wednesday, January 7, 2026 from 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM at Holy Cross Crematory, located at 840 Cranbury - South River Rd, Jamesburg, NJ 08831.

Following services, please also join the family in celebrating Shardaben's life at Thumkaa Bar & Kitchen, located at 34 West Railroad Avenue, Jamesburg, NJ 08831.

Previous Events

Service

JAN 7. 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

Holy Cross Crematory
840 Cranbury South River Rd
East Brunswick, NJ 08816

Tribute Wall



“ *Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals and Cremation Services created a Webcast in memory of Shardaben Shah*



Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals and Cremation Service - January 05 at 01:13 PM

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“ *There are no words to eulogize Shardaben. She was an example of what an Ideal Indian woman should be. She was an ideal wife, ideal mother, ideal mother in law - which is the most difficult role in Indian family, ideal grandmother and great grandmother. Her personality can only described as Simplicity, Humility, Love and Grace. May her soul rest in Peace and bestow blessings on all of us.*
Arvind Shah

Arvind Shah - January 06 at 07:27 PM

RS

“ *PUJYA SHARDABA WAS VERY LOVING AND CARING MOTHER. I HAD CHAT WITH HER DURING LAST PARTY AT DINESH HOUSE*

🙏🙏🙏 JAYSHREE RUPAK FAMILY WE WILL MISS HER GOD BLESS HER SOUL 🌸

RUPAK SHAH - January 05 at 10:25 AM

MJ

Pujya Shardaben

Your loving memories, wisdom and guidance will be cherished by all of us.

We wish you param shanti.

Jani Family 🙏

Mina Jani - January 05 at 10:37 AM

NS

Shardaben lived her life with patience, peace and calmness. She had no complaints, no demands, no expectations. And she left the same way, calmly / peacefully. My first reaction was , it was too sudden but it seems she was ready to join her life partner. She will be missed.

nila and amarish sheth - January 05 at 08:59 PM

SS

Shardaben we met 43 years ago !

She has always showed her unconditional love and consideration to family and friends!!

My role model who shared her grace, calmness and kindness.

Her unconditional love will remain with many of us and with me to guide me as we travel through life as she did with peace within !!!

May her soul rest in peace 🙏🙏🌸

inspiring role model for me !!

May she rest in peace!!

smita shah - January 06 at 06:49 PM

RP

Beautiful tribute from the family. May her soul rest in eternal peace and.

🙏 Shanti 🙏

Rohini and Naren Patel

Rohini Patel - January 07 at 02:14 PM