

Linda Carolyn Sappington

February 5, 1949 - September 14, 2020

Linda (Lynn) Carolyn Sappington, age 71, of Whitehall Beach, Annapolis, MD, passed away peacefully on September 14, 2020, after a lengthy 16-year illness with Parkinson's Disease.

Born February 5, 1949, in Louisville, KY, she was the daughter of the late Rev. Leonard Carl Woolridge and Mildred Franklin Pope. Lynn's family relocated to Miami, FL, where her father was a Baptist Pastor. Lynn graduated from Kindergarten in a cap and gown at the Miami Shores School, Miami, FL. She attended Miami Shores School up through the 3rd grade. The Baptist Ministry transferred her family to Dover, FL, where she attended Turkey Creek High School in Plant City, FL. During high school summer break, her class would travel to Connecticut to cut tobacco and hang it in tobacco barns to dry.

After graduation, Lynn worked for the Naval Department in Washington, DC, and the David Taylor Naval Research Center, Annapolis, MD. Lynn worked as an Administrative Assistant for Regional Manager for Home Interiors and gifts for 10 years in Annapolis and Chester, MD. Lynn also worked for the RJ Cline & Co. CPA, Pasadena, MD, as an Administrative Secretary.

Lynn was a member of the College Parkway Baptist Church in Arnold, MD. She enjoyed attending and singing in the choir of the Cape St. Claire Methodist Church in Cape St. Claire.

Lynn was the chairman of the Community Sympathy & Condolences committee for the Whitehall Beach Community Association for 21 years. Lynn was a social butterfly and enjoyed making friends with anyone that she met at home and when traveling. Lynn was loved by her friends and neighbors. She enjoyed traveling to Russia, Europe, Mexico, and Canada and across the United States. She was a planner of many surprise celebrations for her husband, Glenn.

Lynn is survived by her husband, Glenn F. Sappington after being married 30 wonderful years; her daughters, Michelle Rush (Shawn) of Panama City Beach, FL; stepdaughters, Debby T. (Sappington) Cramer (Joe) of Centreville, MD, Patricia L. Sappington (Joey) of Clearwater, FL; granddaughter, Jessica R. (Rush), Zapata (Alexander) of Ft. Worth, TX; step-granddaughter, Amanda DuClos, Rock Hall, MD; step-grandsons, Noah Cramer and Jesse Cramer, both of Centreville, MD; and her "Adopted" daughter, Gayle Johnson of Berlington in WA.

Lynn was predeceased by her son, Martin Christopher Gerhold, on June 25, 2009

Lynn will never die as long as those whom she loved never forget her.

In lieu of flowers, please donate to your local SPCA in Lynn's name.

Visitations will be held at Lasting Tributes on Thursday, September 17, from 2-4pm, with prayers at 4:00 and 6-8 pm with prayers at 8pm. A graveside service will be held at Wesley Chapel Cemetery on Friday, September 18 at 12 PM.

Cemetery Details

Wesley Chapel Cemetery

6179 Rock Hall Road
Rock Hall, MD

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 17. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Lasting Tributes by Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Cremation & Funeral Care, P.A.
814 Bestgate Road
Annapolis, MD 21401

Visitation

SEP 17. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Lasting Tributes by Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Cremation & Funeral Care, P.A.
814 Bestgate Road
Annapolis, MD 21401

Graveside Service

SEP 18. 12:00 PM (ET)

Wesley Chapel Cemetery
6179 Rock Hall Road
Rock Hall, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Linda Carolyn Sappington*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - September 17, 2020 at 01:20 PM



“ *Linda Carolyn Sappington*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Linda Carolyn Sappington*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Linda Carolyn Sappington*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Sympathy to the family !!! Leeanna & Keith*

Keith - October 01, 2020 at 05:43 PM

LE

“ Great cousin !!!! It was always great to see Linda when she came back to Louisville,

Kentucky area.Sooo..... many great memories !!!! Always loved her letters,cards,etc

Leeanna & Keith R

leeanna - October 01, 2020 at 05:40 PM

TA

“ Terrie Audisio lit a candle in memory of Linda Carolyn Sappington



Terrie Audisio - September 17, 2020 at 04:36 PM

LN

“ Lisa,Meera & Tim Wilson -728 Dogwood LN Neighbors purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Linda Carolyn Sappington.



Lisa,Meera & Tim Wilson -728 Dogwood LN Neighbors -
September 17, 2020 at 03:22 PM

HB

“ My sincere sympathy to the family 🙏 I was a fellow classmate of Linda's at Turkey Creek High School. She will always be remembered and it was comforting to see the wonderful life she lived💕💕

Helen Kelley Borgwardt - September 17, 2020 at 11:17 AM



“ 1 file added to the album Life Tributes



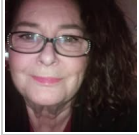
Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - September 17, 2020 at 10:42 AM



“ 829 files added to the album Life Tributes



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - September 17, 2020 at 08:39 AM



“ *Barbara Josenberger lit a candle in memory of Linda Carolyn Sappington*



Barbara Josenberger - September 17, 2020 at 02:54 AM

CS

“ *Every memory I have of Lynn is of her warm, kind and gentle personality. I always felt that she was the kind of person you would want for a really good friend. Whenever we would get together you could talk so easily for hours. Mom thought so highly of her and spoke of the warm caring person that she was. I know she will be so missed by all of her family. I am so sorry for your loss. Love to all of you. Carol Smith*

Carol Smith - September 16, 2020 at 07:47 PM

MG

“ *Glenn and family - So very sorry for your loss. Lynn was a delightful person to know.*



Mary Ellen Sappington Good - September 16, 2020 at 07:43 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Linda Carolyn Sappington.*



September 16, 2020 at 06:24 PM

TN

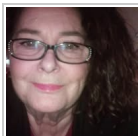
“ Dear Michelle, Glenn, Debbie, and Patricia; Our most heartfelt condolences for your loss. We will always remember Lynn for bubbly personality and unforgettable laugh. Our hearts are with you!
Tom and Arlene Nebel

Tom and Arlene Nebel - September 16, 2020 at 03:07 PM

MT

“ Dear Glenn, I am having a novena said in Lynn's memory. I will see you in Rock Hall! Love, Marcie Taylor-Thoma

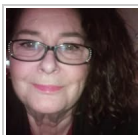
Marcie Taylor-Thoma - September 16, 2020 at 02:08 PM



“ Barbara Josenberger sent a virtual gift in memory of Linda Carolyn Sappington



Barbara Josenberger - September 16, 2020 at 12:31 AM



“ Barbara Josenberger lit a candle in memory of Linda Carolyn Sappington



Barbara Josenberger - September 16, 2020 at 12:28 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Linda Carolyn Sappington.



September 15, 2020 at 05:20 PM



“ Katie & Don Pickering lit a candle in memory of Linda Carolyn Sappington



Katie & Don Pickering - September 15, 2020 at 02:03 PM



“ Wayne & Vicki Sappington lit a candle in memory of Linda Carolyn Sappington



Wayne & Vicki Sappington - September 15, 2020 at 01:33 PM



“ Gail Kendall Claggett lit a candle in memory of Linda Carolyn Sappington



Gail Kendall Claggett - September 15, 2020 at 10:48 AM

BS

“ *Bob and Joan Schneck purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Linda Carolyn Sappington.*



Bob and Joan Schneck - September 15, 2020 at 10:26 AM