



Linda Krech Archer

December 30, 1949 - November 2, 2019

Linda Krech Archer, 69, died November 2, 2019 from pancreatic cancer. She was a dental hygienist for 50 years and loved working in the Dental Clinic at Nationwide Children's Hospital. Attended CSG, graduate of Bexley HS and OSU. She is survived by her husband Thomas, children Elise (Andrew) Wood, John (Julie), Christopher (Christina) and six grandchildren. No flowers or donations please; so many have already been kind and thoughtful when it mattered. Funeral service will be held at 1 PM on Wednesday, November 6, 2019 at SCHOEDINGER NORTHWEST CHAPEL, 1740 Zollinger Road, Upper Arlington, Ohio 43221, where family will receive friends from 11 AM until time of service at 1 PM.

Comments



“ A tribute video has been added.



Schoedinger Funeral Service - November 04, 2019 at 01:40 PM



“ Hello Archer family. I was a classmate of Linda's in high school— and though I live in CA, I also had the good fortune to spend time with her as adult at our class reunions. I was kind of a jock, too, so we bonded over many years discussing tennis and the fun of athletics. Linda was and will remain in my mind the epitome of goodness, integrity, and concern for others. Thank you for sharing these photos. And may this sad sad time for your family be lightened at least a little by knowing how many of us you probably never even heard about appreciate her greatly.

Wendy Lazarus

Wendy Lazarus - November 04, 2019 at 07:13 PM



“ So beautiful but so sad! We will miss Linda on the beach at Pelee. Loved looking out and seeing her walking on the beach. She was always glad to see you and so pleasant.

Will miss our friend!

Jeri Jenkins - November 04, 2019 at 09:25 PM



“ Dear Archer Family, I was just informed of your passing. It came as a shock. I want you to know how sorry the whole family is.

We have many great memories of our former neighbors especially the children playing together. Tom, I'm so sorry you had to endure this but I know you had great support. I will miss your Christmas letters informing me of all that's going on with the family. Rest In Love Sweet Linda.

Beth Everett - November 05, 2019 at 09:38 AM



“ You will be missed

Beth Everett - November 05, 2019 at 09:39 AM



“ Linda was a lovely woman and was glad to see her in at a party or boat. So sad to hear of her passing. She is in our hearts and prayers.

Bill and Margie Feran - November 05, 2019 at 06:51 PM



“ My friendship with Linda was through the many years we worked at Children's Hospital . We bonded from the many times we met for pizza or lunch after hours. I still have a tiny dish she gave me that says "there is an angel watching over you". It sits by my kitchen sink. I retired 5 yrs ago so saw her just a few times. Her passing saddens me. Heaven has received another angel. Her video was touching. Thank you for sharing.

Alexis Trivanovich

Alexis Trivanovich - November 06, 2019 at 08:47 AM



“ Linda, my roommate at Ohio State University my junior year...what a wonderful, kind, caring soul she was. Over the next 50 years, we kept in touch annually at Christmas time, and Linda's Christmas greeting always arrived first! This year, I kept looking for her card to arrive, and today, December 23rd, I decided to "google" her to see if there was something amiss, and there I saw her obituary. I'm heartbroken to learn of her passing. I still remember as students at OSU how Linda loved telling me how madly in love with Tom she was and that he was "the one"! You could see the love in her eyes whenever she spoke of him. And, as the years went by, she shared her joy of her growing family. Hearing from Linda every December was a highlight of the season for me. Her beautiful, sweet personality is something I will never forget. I will miss her.

Linda Gamel - December 23, 2019 at 11:46 PM



“ Linda was a dear friend and mentor in our work together at Nationwide Children's Hospital dental clinic over many years. She taught me much about gentle patient care, but so much more about the importance of family, motherhood and kindness. When my son was born she gave me a photo keychain so I could put his picture in it and "carry him with me always." She was a joy and I will miss her dearly. Many prayers are said for her friends and family, who I am sure will also miss her dearly.

Kara Morris - November 08, 2019 at 07:39 AM



“ Dear Archer Family,
Your family and ours lived in the same neighborhood in 1987-1991. I lost touch with Linda over the years, but I have memories of her kindness. She helped us adjust to our new community and became an important part of our lives. I am so sorry about the illness she endured and that you had to give her up. I know she loved you all very much and she will be missed. I liked and admired her a great deal.
Mickie Lockwood

mickie Lockwood - November 07, 2019 at 10:36 AM



“ Linda lived a life of passion centered with love. Whether she was with family, friends, at work, or doing simple everyday things to her; she was always thinking of others. A true LIGHT (and delight) to be around! A CANDLE leading the way. Candles in celebration...of marriage, birthdays, holidays, special occasions, and in remembrance; and that we never forget the ultimate "light of the world" our Savior, Jesus Christ. Linda's light is gone from our sight, but not our hearts, and as quickly as her eyes closed for the last time here on Earth, her light shone in heaven! Finding comfort in the truth of the words of Christian artist, Sinach, "Way Maker, promise keeper, light in the darkness, my God that is who you are." A lifetime of memories; visits, family gatherings, prayers...none more special than the next, all of them sealed in my heart! Godspeed...my dear angel cousin! Save that seat at the corner table!

Lorie Glaros - November 05, 2019 at 09:04 PM



“ Linda was a beautiful soul, who lived a vibrant life filled with the love of her precious family and friends. She passed away peacefully at home on her sofa in the loving care of her husband, Tom. Linda loved her work as a Dental Hygienist at the Nationwide Children’s Hospital Dental clinic. She often reminded all of us to brush our teeth for 2 minutes and to floss, as she generously supplied us with toothpaste and mouthwash. Linda was active in her church and Bible study, and she enjoyed her NCH Twig. She was painting little birdhouses in September and made many Buckeye items over the years for the annual Twig Bazaar. Growing up, we always shared a bedroom and often shared our clothes, especially after we started at Bexley High School after years of wearing uniforms at CSG. Linda was an athlete and always beat me at tennis and swimming, and when I stopped playing Monopoly with her, because she always won, she just continued playing against herself. If she wasn’t working, playing tennis, swimming, walking the dogs, or making food for someone else, she was stitching handmade gifts for loved ones! Linda loved her time at the family cottage on Pelee Island, and she loved to walk the beach looking for ‘lucky stones’ and beach glass. I will always remember her sitting on a white beach chair with her visor on, her blond hair blowing in the wind, and her face to the sun. She endured her last days with dignity, grace and great faith, and she will always be an inspiration to me for living such a productive and passionate life! She was truly blessed to have had Tom as her life partner and soulmate! Her beautiful children are raising their families with the same unconditional love Linda gave to them. I am comforted to know I will meet her again in Heaven! Love you forever, sweet Linda. Your big sister, Dianne

Dianne Krech Beekman - November 05, 2019 at 06:05 PM



“ As a member of the tennis community I knew Linda for years. We played together and against each other. She was very much a competitor. She loved the game. She will be missed. My thoughts go out to the family. She loved to talk about her grandchildren.

Barb Wiese - November 05, 2019 at 12:09 PM



“ as your little sister, I miss you miss you greatly!from- Brookwood days, to,plymouth days!You helped me when I as so little, too! You were, kind to me.I hold those memories deep in heart! I remember,when you found a boy-friend, Tom! too.(when bill and I were small..and you both babysat us-together-)I am sorry, bill and I ruined your date!~ we took scuba- diving -lessons together, too, a the YMCA! and got RUBAIN"S pizza in the way home!(soaking wet!).

you and I , with a small- radio, would bake in the sun on Pelee, and talk for hours,not a care in the world! swim, to cool off!~(I never could swim as fast as you, but I tried!)~ yet, you taught me how to be strong.

Linda,I am sure at peace now in Heaven.Love you- always.

louise meyers - November 05, 2019 at 01:33 AM



“ Louise, please accept my condolences for your loss.
I didn't know your Sister but anything like you and your Mom, she had to be wonderful.

Peachie Conley - November 05, 2019 at 10:49 AM



“ Linda was a very kind lady that always had a smile on her face . She was such a hard worker, And so good with the kids and families that came into Nationwide Children's . I have a lot of fond memories of her being such a giving and caring human being.

Angela Wright - November 04, 2019 at 09:41 PM



“ To the Archer family ,
I am sorry for your loss. It was a pleasure to be able to know her. Although she is no longer in pain, she will be missed.
Time will hopefully ease the pain, but the good memories will always remain.

Cathy Green - November 04, 2019 at 04:00 PM



“ I played tennis with Linda for decades. I remember we where partners one summer and never lost. She often reminded me of that season. An amazing athlete, employee and woman. Will be fondly remembered!

Aimee Calvert - November 04, 2019 at 03:13 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Linda Krech Archer.



