



Linda A. Updegraff

August 20, 1944 - January 23, 2020

Linda A. Updegraff, age 75 of McMechen, WV died Thursday, January 23, 2020 in Wheeling Hospital Medical Park, Wheeling, WV.

She was born August 20, 1944 in Glen Dale, WV, the daughter of the late Oran and Geraldine Lohr George.

She was a member of T.O.P.S.; and C.E.O. of Marshall County.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Tom Updegraff, Sr.; and a sister, Jenny Kolakowski.

Survivors include two sons, Thomas "Tom", Jr. (Cindy) Updegraff of Cameron, WV, and Timothy "Tim" Updegraff of Wheeling; a daughter, Jessica (Roger Lewis) Updegraff of Lubec, Maine; grandchildren, Thomas "Tom" Updegraff, III, Brianna (Ian) Aston, and Malachi Benesh; great-granddaughters, Elaina Updegraff, and Jolyn Updegraff; one sister, Sandy Romanek of Wheeling; and several nieces and nephews.

Family will receive friends on Monday from 3-5 and 7-9pm at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 400 Jefferson Ave., Moundsville where funeral services will be held Tuesday at 11am.

Private interment will be held at the convenience of the family.

Cemetery Details

Grisell Crematory

Moundsville, WV

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 27. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home - Moundsville
400 Jefferson Ave
Moundsville, WV 26041
(304) 845-0400
<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>

Visitation

JAN 27. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home
400 Jefferson Ave.
Moundsville, WV 26041

Funeral Service

JAN 28. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

MD

“ Jessica, I just turned on Facebook and was shocked to see about your mother. I have been waiting for the phone call she promised in her last text. I am really going to miss our text and calls. I am so sorry. I loved her so much. Take care and know how much she loved you. She is free of pain now and with your Dad. Mae Dinger

mae dinger - January 28, 2020 at 07:56 PM

BH

“ Rest in peace Linda. Paul and Bobbie Harman.



bobbie lou harman - January 28, 2020 at 12:57 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Linda A. Updegraff.



January 27, 2020 at 09:28 AM

CE

“ I knew Linda as a child and was on Facebook with her. So sorry to see that she had passed away. I always remember her sweet smile and ways. My sympathy to all of you. It's so hard to lose your mother

Carolyn Ericsson - January 27, 2020 at 09:23 AM

TS

“ Terry Senita lit a candle in memory of Linda A. Updegraff



Terry Senita - January 26, 2020 at 09:01 PM

PL

“ I have known Linda since she was born. She was the baby in our lives and we, Jenny my sister Janice and myself had to watch her. She was so spoiled however we loved her, I will miss her but she has a place in my heart and my memories that will be there until we meet again. Love you Linda. My heart goes out to the family. She was a special person.

Phyllis Haythorn Langmyer - January 26, 2020 at 03:28 PM

GU

“ Rest easy GG. Love ya.



Gina Updegraff - January 26, 2020 at 12:32 AM

BC

“ Did not know Linda very well, but we were "facebook"friends and I ran into her at the local WalMart. So sorry to see of her passing ... she was always so nice and friendly. Sincere sympathy to all of her family and friends.

Becky Clutter, McMechen, WV

Becky Clutter - January 25, 2020 at 11:31 PM

HF

“ *HSIA & RICCI FAMILIES purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Linda A. Updegraff.*



HSIA & RICCI FAMILIES - January 25, 2020 at 11:05 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Linda A. Updegraff.*



January 25, 2020 at 10:35 PM

GB

“ *My dear cousin, there are so many memories of you. As a child you filled us kid's hearts with warmth and joy. Your house was amongst the favorites we kids loved going to. You were more of an aunt to me than a cousin. I could always feel your warmth and love when you were around. You never looked down at us kids when interacting with us. You lowered yourself a bit, so we didn't have to reach so high, and we met somewhere in the middle. My only regret is that as an adult, because of distance, I could not continue to grow our relationship. That would have been awesome. Rest in peace now my sweet cousin. Rest in His holy arms, free of care and pain. Enjoy your family up there. Keep me a seat open. One day we will be able to once again share in love and friendship. I love you and miss you. Until we meet again...*

George Berlenge - January 25, 2020 at 05:16 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Linda A. Updegraff.*



January 25, 2020 at 04:12 PM



“ *Jessica, Tom and Family, we are going to miss your mother, who has done so much for so many people all her life. What a lovely lady. She will be deeply missed. She will be with her true love in heaven an will enjoy their eternity together. We are praying for you all.*

Eric & Tina (Romanek) Group

Tina Romanek Group - January 25, 2020 at 12:54 PM



“ *Nancy Begley purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Linda A. Updegraff.*




Nancy Begley - January 25, 2020 at 09:19 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Linda A. Updegraff.*



January 24, 2020 at 08:07 PM

 Cindy
Bonfini-
Hotlosz

“ *Linda was such a beautiful soul. She had such kindness and love for her family. She had an easy smile. I will miss her dearly. She is probably dancing in eternity with her beloved Tom.*

Cindy Bonfini-Hotlosz - January 24, 2020 at 05:18 PM

CR

So sorry for your loss. Prayers to the family during this difficult time.

Carmella Rose - January 25, 2020 at 09:47 AM

LG

*I will miss you Linda. We became good friends at TOPS and I'm so glad you were in my life. I know you are with Tom now and happy. Till we meet again my dear friend
Linda Greathouse*

Linda Greathouse - January 25, 2020 at 06:32 PM

JE

thank you Cindy. She loved all things in you did for her and picked out for her. You know with me that her energy and love has now joined with my dad and she is truly at peace now and her broken heart is healed and whole.

Jessica - January 25, 2020 at 08:40 PM

SK

“ She is my Aunt and I will miss talking to her on my hour long drive home from work. One of my best memories of her is when she would come to visit us when I lived at my parents home in Indiana, she was watching my younger brother and I eat lunch , hotdogs on a bun was a quick and easy lunch when swimming in the pool. However my brother didn't like the buns and just wanted a plain hot dog. She told him just eat the bun too you need it to grow up big and strong. Should have been case closed, However my brother tried to tear off pieces of the bun and roll them up into little balls and drop them on the floor for the dog to eat. But Aunt Linda saw him dropping them and she stopped him from feeding them to the dog and got him a new bun for his enjoyment. Couldn't get any of our tricks past Aunt Linda. To this day every time I eat a hot dog I think of her and how she always caught us trying to do something wrong

Stan Kolakowski - January 24, 2020 at 04:14 PM

JE

I remember summers at your house. Mother loved spending time in Indiana with all of you. she was glad to get to come see your house recently and spend some time with you and Lisa.

jessica - January 25, 2020 at 08:45 PM

EU

sorry for your loss rip. i just lost my wife on the 18th

ed updegraff - December 05, 2020 at 12:15 PM