



## Linda F. Gavigan

May 14, 1956 - March 30, 2019

Linda F. Gavigan, 62, passed away unexpectedly on Saturday, March 30, 2019 at Advocate Condell Medical Center in Libertyville, IL. She was born in Chicago, was a longtime resident of Niles, and had been living in Gurnee since 1989. Linda was a former employee of Kraft Foods for over 30 years and enjoyed cooking, baking, shopping, and watching ice skating. In the last few years, her main focus in life was spoiling her grandsons. She will be remembered for her kindness and was a friend to everyone that knew her.

She is survived by her daughter, Carrie Mount; 3 grandsons, Jackson, Gavin and Ryan Mount; 2 sisters, Sharon (Eric) Herman and Lori (Mike) Weis. She was a loving aunt to, Dylan, Jason (Kelly), Tyler, Brian and Connor.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Peter and Nancy Fleck.

A celebration of life will be held from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Saturday, April 6, 2019 at the Inn at Market Square, 2723 Sheridan Road in Zion, IL. Memorial contributions would be appreciated to the Northern Illinois Food Bank, <http://www.solvehungertoday.org> or to the family as an education fund is being established for her grandsons. Arrangements by Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville. For info: 847-362-3009 or share a memory at <http://www.burnettdane.com>.

# Events

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**APR** **Celebration of Life** 01:00PM - 03:00PM

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Inn at Market Square

2723 Sheridan Road, Zion, IL, US, 60099

# Comments

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“ Love and Peace, Amarantos Family and Joan Lease purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Linda F. Gavigan.



Love and Peace, Amarantos Family and Joan Lease - April 05, 2019 at 11:56 AM

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“ I was shocked and saddened to learn of Linda's sudden passing. She and I attended the same church when we were children, so even though I was a bit older, our paths often crossed. It is clear from reading the memories of others who knew Linda as an adult, that she remained much I remembered her - warm, funny and caring. I especially loved her distinctive laugh which made it very easy to find her in a crowd.

I hope that Linda's family and friends will find comfort in the many wonderful memories they made with her. She was very special - one for the ages!

Susan Navin Scott

Susan Navin Scott - April 04, 2019 at 06:42 PM

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“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Linda F. Gavigan.



April 03, 2019 at 07:56 PM

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“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Linda F. Gavigan.



April 03, 2019 at 02:26 PM

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“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Linda F. Gavigan.



April 03, 2019 at 10:59 AM

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“ My friend Linda was the most generous, caring and talented person. She would do anything to help. She was generous with her time as well and loved giving gifts. Linda was a very talented knitter and crafter, as well as a good cook. Laughter came easy for her and it was contagious.

We met at Klein Tools in the late 70's and became fast friends. I was already married and she was either engaged or close to becoming so. My husband Larry and I were invited to her wedding, and she was a beautiful bride.

The day came when Linda told me she was pregnant. I was so happy for her. I remember being at work waiting to hear when the baby was born. She called and told me that she had a beautiful baby girl, and named her Carrie Anne.

Time went on and we both ended up leaving Klein for other jobs, but continued to be close friends.

My daughters, Carly and Erin, are a few years younger than Carrie. Many times Linda and I would take our girls shopping and have lunch. There was one time when Larry volunteered to watch the girls so Linda and I could have a shopping day together. When we got home Larry said he changed poopy diapers on all the girls. We had a good laugh.

We have been through good times and bad, and were always there for each other. We shared our lives as our girls grew older, celebrating all the milestones and grandchildren. I am missing my dear friend already. I have been sitting in my house talking to her out loud. I hope she can hear me. Be at peace my loving friend.

**Laura Epstein** - April 03, 2019 at 09:16 AM

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“ I met Linda many years ago when she would help Carrie set up her classroom. I enjoyed talking with her about diverse topics. She was like a mother/sister to us all. She will be missed. But, I will always remember her kind heart and words she shared of encouragement. She is truly an angel!

**Coretta Godbold** - April 02, 2019 at 09:52 PM

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“ She was always so inclusive and welcoming. She made me feel immediately at ease. So easy to laugh with. Such a wonderful mother and epic grandmother. She'll be missed so dearly.

**Zee Lacson** - April 02, 2019 at 08:54 PM

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“ I met Linda on my first day of work at Kraft in 1981 and have been good friends ever since. I will especially miss going for dinner and plays at the Marriott Lincolnshire. Linda was one of the most thoughtful and kind persons I have had the pleasure knowing. I will miss her greatly.



Rose Andrews - April 02, 2019 at 07:30 PM

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“ In Memory - 6" L x 2.5" H Memorial Stone was purchased for the family of Linda F. Gavigan.



April 02, 2019 at 07:22 PM