



Linda L. Berry

October 2, 1970 - September 12, 2024

Linda (Norling-Christensen) Berry passed away on September 12, at the age of 53, after a long and courageous battle with illness.

She grew up in Libertyville, Illinois and graduated from Libertyville High School. She married and had two children, Stephanie and Brayden Fritzshall before moving to Florida. She ultimately met the love of her life and married her second husband, Brian Berry, and moved back to Illinois where she had two children, Rylan and Branson Berry.

Despite the challenges she faced, Linda never lost sight of what truly mattered to her - her family. She continued to be a loving and devoted mother to her two younger sons, Rylan and Branson, and a source of comfort and support for her loved ones. Her bravery in the face of devastating illness will forever be remembered by all who had the privilege of knowing her.

In her final days, Linda was surrounded by her family, who provided her with love, care, and support. Her memory will live on in the hearts of those she touched, and her legacy of strength and love will continue to inspire us all.

She is survived by her husband of 18 years, Brian Berry, as well as her four children: Stephanie Fritzshall, Brayden Fritzshall, Rylan Berry, and Branson Berry; her siblings, Susan (John) Coleman, Stephen (Mary) Norling-Christensen, Lisa Norling-Christensen, and David (Valerie) Norling-Christensen; her nieces and nephews; and a host of other relatives and friends who will miss her dearly.

A graveside service will be held on Saturday, September 21 at 10am at

Memorial Park Cemetery in Skokie. Arrangements by Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville, IL.

Linda was an organ donor. In honor of Linda's commitment to organ donation, the family kindly requests that donations be made to Donate Life America, an organization dedicated to promoting organ, eye, and tissue donation.

Cemetery Details

Memorial Park Cemetery

9900 Gross Point Road
Skokie, IL 60076

Previous Events

Graveside Service

SEP **21**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Skokie, IL 60076

Tribute Wall



“ *My sincere condolences Brian...so sorry to hear this news.*

John Di Cicco - April 20, 2025 at 11:55 PM

JG

“ *Brian,
Thinking of you and your family in this time. May her memory be a blessing and give you and your boys strength, love and support. My deepest condolences.*

Jennifer Garti - September 20, 2024 at 06:08 PM

JW

“ *Janie Wingfield sent Purple & Lavender Reflections Spray and Magnificent Mauves Bouquet in loving memory of Linda...And I am praying for your entire family that love and peace will outshine your sorrow and grief.*

Janie Wingfield - September 20, 2024 at 12:57 PM

GJ

“ *Mr. Berry, My Prayers are with you and the family. Comfort and LOVE!!! Gwen Jones*

Gwendolyn Jones - September 20, 2024 at 10:13 AM

LG

“ *Brian, today and always, may loving memories bring you strength and peace.
Lee Ann Gonzalez*

Lee Ann Gonzalez - September 20, 2024 at 08:01 AM

AH

“ Alice H. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Linda L. Berry.

Alice H. - September 19, 2024 at 08:19 AM

MJ

“ Madeline and Jake purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Linda L. Berry.



Madeline and Jake - September 19, 2024 at 01:14 AM

JO

“ Brian, in the short amount of years I was lucky enough to have you and Linda directly in my life to physically spend time together was impactful enough to create a lifelong bond. You both mean a lot to me, and even though you moved far away, you were both close in my heart. You are a forever friend. I'm so glad you had children together, especially now for your life going forward. If you ever need a friend to talk, I am always just a phone call or text away. I will never forget Linda. She told me when she met you, she knew she had to make you hers and didn't want to let you get by her. I will never forget her smile, and her beautiful eyes like you said. I pray for strength for you to continue with her love forever in your family's hearts. She will be a part of you forever. With love, Jen ❤️

Jennifer Othen - September 19, 2024 at 12:57 AM

RR

“ Words can never express how heart broken I am for you and your boys. I first held her in my arms when she was 3 days old. I will never forget her beautiful eyes. I promised Chris her dad that I would keep in touch. Whenever I called her she never complained. Even though I could hear in her voice how weak she was. I knew she was having a difficult time. However you were always there for her through this difficult journey. She was blessed to have you. You were a constant in her life. I hope that as time passes on you and the kids will will remember the good times. I know more than anything she would want all of you to be happy. I am so very sorry. Rhoda.

Rhoda Reisman - September 19, 2024 at 12:49 AM

CN

“ Brian, my thoughts and prayers are with you and the kids during this difficult time.

Cynthia Nelsen - September 18, 2024 at 05:06 PM

KB

“ Brian-words can not express the pain I feel for you and your boys right now . Linda's illness was such a long journey filled with highs and lows . You were always there for her and for your kids . May the many wonderful memories you have be your blessing . I know you are in shock now but when you come up for air please reach out any time for any help or support that I can give . Love you ❤️

Katie Bittner - September 18, 2024 at 04:36 PM

BE

“ I am sorry for your loss Brian, it really shows how much of another family we are that so many felt the impact including myself. My thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family.

Brian Ehrhardt - September 18, 2024 at 02:05 PM

CD

“ *Mr. Berry,
My sincere condolences to you and your children. You never gave up during your wife's long illness; you continued to trust in the Lord. Now that Linda has passed, continue to trust in the Lord as He comforts you in your grief. I will continue to pray for you and your children.*
Carol Daum

Carol Daum - September 18, 2024 at 01:04 PM

TG

“ *To Mr. Berry i would like to say keeping you in my prayers for you and your family, and will continue to do so you have been a brother to me and I'm heart felt that we have to go thru this. I love you and will always be there to support and pray for you. May God give you comfort and peace!!*

Theodore Gill - September 18, 2024 at 12:39 PM

JK

“ *To Brian & Linda's kids... I just wanted to express my condolences to you all. Working with Brian these past few years I know that she was the cornerstone for the family and will be sorely missed. I will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers. Hopefully your memories of Linda will provide solace to you all.*

Janet Kasinger - September 18, 2024 at 12:28 PM

CS

“ *So sorry for your loss Brian. Thinking of you and your family. I pray that you find comfort and peace during this time. Christine Slobodnik & Family*

Christine Slobodnik - September 18, 2024 at 12:21 PM

TP

“ *The Webers- Meagan, Alex, and Penny purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Linda L. Berry.*



The Webers- Meagan, Alex, and Penny - September 17, 2024
at 11:45 PM