



## Linda Lou Schmoeller

May 10, 1946 - April 18, 2021

Linda Lou Schmoeller, 74, passed away at 6:45 a.m. on Sunday, April 18, 2021 at her home surrounded by her devoted and loving husband, daughters and Roxy (their Boxer). She was born May 10, 1946 in Battle Creek, MI, the daughter of the late Elmer “Bob” and Mary (Wertenburg) Roberts. Linda was diagnosed with pancreatic cancer in November 2020 and she fought with great strength and courage until the Lord called her home. Linda Lou “from Kalamazoo” lived everyday of her life to the fullest. She loved making her house a home, hosting all family get togethers, holidays and birthdays. She loved working in her shade garden, walking, lifting weights and boating. Her family and friends meant the world to her and she loved them with all of her might. Aside from being a wonderful homemaker, she was an aerobics instructor for 25 years at Nautilus Fitness Center, a member of Alton-Wood River Sportsman’s Club and Alton Motor Boat Club. On March 7, 1964 in Godfrey, she married the love of her life and lifelong partner Jon J. Schmoeller, he survives. Also surviving are three daughters; Deanna L. Gunter of Alton, Lori A. Bloom (Ron) of Godfrey and Elizabeth M. Hisaw (Jon) of Godfrey, nine grandchildren; Ashley R. Calame (Nick), Jessica L. Schofield (Amy Wuellner), Jonathan G. Heintz, Olivia ZuZu Bloom, Zachary N. Bloom, Zoe A. Bloom, Clayton P. Long, London J. Hisaw and Mila M. Hisaw, four great-grandchildren; Madison R. Calame, Lillian K. Calame, Jase D. Calame and Jonathan K. Heintz, and one son-n-law, Dennis Freeman of Godfrey and one sister, Sandra, one brother, Chuck Wernick and the Pugliani family.

Besides her parents she was preceded in death by one daughter, Sherry R. Freeman. Visitation will be Wednesday, April 21, 2021 from 1:00 p.m. until time of the Memorial service at 4:00 p.m. at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. Pastor Jon Davis will officiate. Memorials may be made to the 5A's Animal Shelter. Additional information and online guest book may be found at [www.gentfuneralhome.com](http://www.gentfuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 21. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home & Cremation Services  
2409 State Street  
Alton, IL 62002  
(618) 466-5544  
<https://www.gentfuneralhome.com/>

## Memorial Service

APR 21. 4:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Linda Lou Schmoeller*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Linda Lou Schmoeller*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *My parents (Ed and Sue Rea) were school friends then life to everyone different directions after kids started getting older. I used to love going to their house on Logan. I remember the house on Humbert too. Loved going to both houses. She always hated cutting my hair too I was such a brat. She was just a little spitfire always had a smile on her face when we ran into each other. Hard to believe that Sherry and now Linda! God was waiting to embrace her in his welcoming arms. Rest In Peace Linda you will be missed. My sympathies Jon, Deanna, Lori and Elizabeth and all the people who loved her* ❤️🙏

**Stacey (Rea) Caraker** - April 22, 2021 at 10:04 AM



“ *So very sorry for your loss John. Linda was always the life of the party and will truly be missed at the club.*  
*Paul/Barb Lanzerotte*

**Paul Lanzerotte** - April 21, 2021 at 05:52 PM

MH

“ We send our condolences to the family and all her friends. Our memories of Linda are such happy ones. She will be missed and remembered forever.  
*Merle and Lora Hazelwonder*

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**Merle Hazelwonder** - April 21, 2021 at 04:28 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Linda Lou Schmoeller.



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April 21, 2021 at 08:23 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Linda Lou Schmoeller.



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April 20, 2021 at 09:46 PM

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“ *Mike and Jen Kaizer - O'Bryan* purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Linda Lou Schmoeller.



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**Mike and Jen Kaizer - O'Bryan** - April 20, 2021 at 09:25 PM

JO

“ Linda welcomed me into her family when I was a teenager - and managed to find the perfect balance of fun and guidance as a role model. I am forever grateful for the time I had with her. Celebrating a life lived to the fullest. My most sincere sympathy to the Schmoeller family and my dear friend Elizabeth. She will be missed immensely.

Jenny (Kaizer) O'Bryan - April 20, 2021 at 09:06 PM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Linda Lou Schmoeller.



April 20, 2021 at 06:37 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Linda Lou Schmoeller.



April 20, 2021 at 04:28 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Linda Lou Schmoeller.



April 20, 2021 at 02:52 PM

JK

“ Extending my deepest sympathy to the Schmoeller Family. Linda was an outstanding person who graciously came into my life and made me laugh. So grateful she passed my way. Rest in peace, Linda.....job well done. Judy Kayser, Mobile, Al.

Judy Kayser - April 20, 2021 at 01:27 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Linda Lou Schmoeller.



April 20, 2021 at 09:59 AM

MA

“ She was quite the girl. She will be missed a lot by all. Deepest sympathy yo her family.

Mickie McBrien Admire - April 20, 2021 at 09:28 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Linda Lou Schmoeller.



April 20, 2021 at 08:42 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Linda Lou Schmoeller.*



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April 20, 2021 at 08:38 AM



“ *Hope Courier And Steve Ervin lit a candle in memory of Linda Lou Schmoeller*



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**Hope Courier and Steve Ervin** - April 20, 2021 at 08:11 AM



“ *I am sorry to hear this sad news. Of all our class I think Linda had the most fun. She just knew how to enjoy life. Bless her heart, she was a good person. I haven't seen her in person for some time but seeing her post you could tell she was full of love and loved her beautiful family. She made her world a better place. If you can say that about a person you have said a lot. Rest In Peace beautiful lady. Your spirit lives on in your children and for generations to come. ❤️*

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**Georgia Elias** - April 19, 2021 at 10:21 PM



“ *Thinking of you all. So very sorry for your loss.*

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**Claire Heffron-McKinney** - April 19, 2021 at 09:44 PM

RT

“ *Linda was such a sweet, energetic, fun-loving lady!!! She will be dearly missed!!! Heartfelt sympathy for her loving family and friends!!!*



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**Rick and Jill (Fowler) Trudell** - April 19, 2021 at 08:56 PM

DB

“ *So heartbreaking to hear this about Linda.  
The best aerobic teacher ever, alway had a smile.  
She will be missed.  
Thoughts and Prayers to Jon & the family.*

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**Diane Buchanan** - April 19, 2021 at 05:54 PM