



Linda Kay Crismon

March 20, 1942 - January 14, 2025

Linda Kay Crismon, daughter of the late Hershel Morris Jett and Irma Lucille (Blackwell) Jett, was born in Bland, Missouri on March 20, 1942. As a young girl, Linda attended school and grew up in Bland.

On September 3, 1961, Linda was united in marriage to Tony Leland Crismon in Iberia, Missouri. They shared over 57 years of marriage together and were blessed with two children: Karen and Tony Dean. Tony preceded Linda in death on May 27, 2019.

In her early years, Linda worked as a beautician in a small shop in Buckhorn, Missouri before beginning her career at the Laquey school as a secretary where she served for many years. She loved interacting with the children at the school and in fact she probably pulled every kid's loose tooth at school.

In her spare time, Linda enjoyed reading, watching game shows, and picking blackberries. She was a very good cook and loved spending time with her family. She loved them dearly and would do anything for them. When her children were younger, she was the taxicab driver, along with her co-pilot Patsy Crismon, that took them to the swimming pool in Richland.

Linda had made a profession of faith and was a member of the Idumea Baptist Church. She went home to be with her Lord on Tuesday, January 14,

2025, in the Mercy Hospital of Lebanon, Missouri having attained the age of 82 years. She will be sadly missed but fondly remembered by all those that knew and loved her.

Linda leaves to cherish her memory her two children: Karen Crismon of Waynesville, MO, and Tony Dean Crismon (Amanda) of Waynesville, MO; seven grandchildren: Josh Post of Waynesville, MO, Jason Post of Waynesville, MO, Michael Bainter (Lydia Watson) of Richland, MO, Nick Rollins (Ari-Ann) of Columbia, MO, Corey Rollins (Miwako) of Nixa, MO, Riley Rollins (Julie) of the State of Texas, and Tony Dean Crismon, Jr. (Callie) of Waynesville, MO; nine great grandchildren: Zimri, Escher, Iver, Maya, Macaiah, Joseph, Joshua, Evelin, and Tony Dean III; four brothers: Clifton Jett (Brenda) of Jefferson City, MO, Morris Jett (Karen) of Mansfield, TX, Floyd Jett (Debbie) of Fairplay, MO, and Randy Jett (Missy) of Belle, MO; two sisters: Carolyn Surface (Jim) of Centertown, MO, and Peggy White (Daryl) of Belle, MO; sister-in-law: Donna Jett of Kimberling City, MO; brother-in-law: Gilbert Crismon (Patsy) of Jasper, MO; several nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends.

In addition to her parents and husband, Linda was preceded in death by two brother, David and Ron Jett.

Even though she is gone from our sight, Linda's love for her family will live on in our hearts forever.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m. Friday, January 17, 2025 in the Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert with Pastor Danny Graves and Pastor Ernest Ray officiating. Soloist Becky Lercher sang "Amazing Grace" and "Sheltered in the Arms of God". Linda's brother-in-law, Gilbert Crismon recalled his wonderful memories of Linda. Serving as escorts were Nick Rollins, Tony Crismon, Josh Post, Jason Post, Michael Bainter, and

Willie Miller. Burial followed in the Buckhorn Cemetery of Waynesville, Missouri. Services were under the care and direction of Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert.

Memorial contributions may be made in memory of Linda Crismon and may be left at Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert.

Cemetery Details

Buckhorn Cemetery

Waynesville, MO 65583

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 17. 12:00 PM.

Memorial Chapels And Crematory Of Waynesville / St. Robert

Funeral Service

JAN 17. 2:00 PM.

Memorial Chapels And Crematory Of Waynesville / St. Robert

Tribute Wall



“ *Memorial Chapels and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Linda Kay Crismon*



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - January 17, 2025 at 04:35 PM



“ *Riley lit a candle in memory of Linda Crismon*



Riley - January 17, 2025 at 11:05 PM



“ *36 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - January 16, 2025 at 03:51 PM

JH

“ Jessica Hart lit a candle in memory of Linda Crismon



Jessica Hart - January 16, 2025 at 10:49 AM

DL

“ Dana lane lit a candle in memory of Linda Crismon



Dana lane - January 16, 2025 at 10:24 AM

MT

“ Marilyn Troutman lit a candle in memory of Linda Crismon



Marilyn Troutman - January 16, 2025 at 08:03 AM

LW

“ Lorna West lit a candle in memory of Linda Crismon



Lorna West - January 15, 2025 at 09:25 PM

DM

“ Dawn and Robert McKee lit a candle in memory of Linda Crismon



Dawn and Robert McKee - January 15, 2025 at 09:02 PM

KW

“ kathie wilson lit a candle in memory of Linda Crismon



kathie wilson - January 15, 2025 at 02:32 PM

PC

“ Pamela Cox sent a virtual gift in memory of Linda Crismon



Pamela Cox - January 15, 2025 at 02:04 PM

TH

“ Toby & Sharlene Hendrix lit a candle in memory of Linda Crismon



Toby & Sharlene Hendrix - January 15, 2025 at 10:46 AM

JT

“ *Janis Thompson lit a candle in memory of Linda Crismon*



Janis Thompson - January 15, 2025 at 10:13 AM

CE

“ *Cheryl Engle lit a candle in memory of Linda Crismon*



Cheryl Engle - January 15, 2025 at 09:25 AM

TR

“ *I've known Linda, the whole of my life. She babysat us kids when we were little, she was a mother to us when we were at her house. She fed us and kept us. She was the person we knew when we were scared in Elementary school. She was the piano player at church when I was a little girl. I will never forget one time when I was probably 6 a bunch of us girls were staying the night at her house, and I decided I was going to run away and go home. Linda was having none of that and told me to get back there. Back then kids listened to the neighbors just like they were their own parents. She was a gentle and kind soul and now rests in peace. Love you, Linda.*

Terri Akery Rivers - January 15, 2025 at 07:50 AM

CA

“ *My prayers for the families*



carleen - January 15, 2025 at 01:35 AM

DE

“ *Linda was the most pleasant person to grace the Laquey School. So good to the students and gracious to all the parents and patrons. May God hold her in his loving arms.. she was one of a kind.. Heavens gained a Beautiful Angel..*

Delilah - January 14, 2025 at 09:58 PM

BH

“ *Having lunch with your mom was always a treat, she will be greatly missed.*

Barb Surmiller- Hoskins - January 14, 2025 at 09:58 PM

CD

“ *Cornelia & Robert Dodds lit a candle in memory of Linda Crismon*



Cornelia & Robert Dodds - January 14, 2025 at 09:55 PM

LP

“ *Linda was the sweetest, most beautiful soul. I'd always go into the elementary school office when I was little and talk to her before I had to go to class because she was just the nicest lady and always had candy lol! May she rest in peace.*

Lindsey Peschel - January 14, 2025 at 09:32 PM

KA

“ *Kat lit a candle in memory of Linda Crismon*



Kat - January 14, 2025 at 09:08 PM