



Linda May Swinford

May 29, 1940 - January 1, 2021

Linda May Swinford, 80, of Morton, formerly of Havana, passed away at The Lodge at Manito, on Friday, January 1, 2021. She was born May 29, 1940, in Peoria, Illinois, to Workman and Lonita (Segur) Luebeck. She married Jim Swinford on June 25, 1958, in Havana.

Mrs. Swinford is survived by her husband, of Morton; two sons: Brad (Anne Semik) Swinford of Chicago and Mike (Kelly) Swinford, of Nashville, Tennessee; as well as two grandsons: Jacob and Cal Swinford, both of Nashville. She was preceded in death by her parents and one brother, Donnie Luebeck.

Mrs. Swinford was a member of Morton United Methodist Church. She graduated from Havana High School in 1958. She later attended the University of Dayton, University of Cincinnati and University of New Mexico. She had worked as a Real Estate Agent for Jim Maloof Realty until her retirement in 2009.

Private family services will be held on Tuesday, January 5, 2021, with burial at Laurel Hill Cemetery in Havana.

Memorial contributions may be made to Morton United Methodist Church. Online memorial messages may be left for the family at www.hurleyfh.com.

Hurley Funeral Home in Havana is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Laurel Hill Cemetery

1105 E Laurel Ave
Havana, IL 62644
(309) 543-2986

Tribute Wall



“ *Linda May Swinford*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Dear Jim & Family...I'm so sorry for your loss of your beautiful Linda. She was always so happy when she came to the farm & so nice. One time she brought a girl friend with her & we went up on the west hill field. Her friend found a perfect black arrowhead and they were so happy that they jumped up & down while laughing! I remember she loved Donnie very much & took care of him to make his life better. My thoughts & prayers are with you & your family! ... Philip Lynn Dixon & Chelsea Lee Dixon*

Philip Lynn Dixon - January 07, 2021 at 07:46 PM



“ *Jim & Family - I know what you are going through - Joan passed on November 25th - May the many loving memories you've shared be comforting to you and your family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you - Jack Leuck Family*

Jack Leuck - January 05, 2021 at 05:31 PM



“ *Linda and I were in the same Beta Sigma Phi chapter. I remember her kindness and helping hand for all members.*

Sue Mahoney - January 04, 2021 at 02:46 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Linda May Swinford.*



January 04, 2021 at 12:24 PM



“ *Dear Jim,
Your sweet Linda sold us our first and only home here in Tremont! She was a wonderful realtor, and we were blessed to have her walk us through the process. Years later I spent a couple of days in your home with Linda through my work with Kyle's Care at Home. How special it was for me to be able to reconnect with her after many years - God orchestrated the whole thing, of course. May God bless you and your family as you mourn her loss.*

*Sincerely,
Julie Largent*

Julie Largent - January 04, 2021 at 08:35 AM

DR

“ Linda was like a second mom to me for so many years. I will remember the many lunches with the ladies, vacations to the mountains or the beaches and little visits that brought so many laughs and giggles. I was privileged to have her in my corner always. I will never forget her sense of humor, style, and her cunning wit. One of my favorite memories involved going into the wrong house when house hunting. We walked all through the house and wondered why they didn't straighten up the kitchen and bedrooms. Laundry everywhere and leftover dinner just sitting on the stove. As we walked out the front door, the angry home owner met us on the sidewalk with quite the attitude. We were all laughing so hard when we finally got in the car to drive away. Jim - she loved you so much and was so happy to be your wife even when she was the duck hunting widow during hunting season. Brad and Mike- she was always so proud of each of you and loved sharing stories of what life adventures you were having. Keep your happy memories close. My thoughts are with you all. Always, Dena

Dena Ratcliff - January 03, 2021 at 06:54 PM

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“ Will miss you Linda and will cherish memories made during our Beta Sigma Phi years and later on in life our Chicago shopping ventures. We always enjoyed back home here doing lunch and most always ending up at Talbots to buy that special blouse or sweater. You were the sweetest, always loving and caring about the people around you. I will miss you dear friend.
Love, Sue Tibbs

Sue Tibbs - January 03, 2021 at 09:57 AM

DH

“ *Linda, we had so much fun having lunch, trips to Chicago, and shopping! I will really miss you, but know you're with your family who you loved so much. I will always cherish your memory. Love you, girlfriend! Donnas*



Donnas Hertenstein - January 02, 2021 at 08:43 PM