



## Linda Clark

April 3, 1968 - March 10, 2020

Linda J. Clark, age 51, of Early, Iowa died March 10, 2020 in Sioux City, Iowa.

Funeral Mass will take place Saturday, March 14, 2020 at 10:30 a.m. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Early. Burial will be in the Lake City Cemetery. Visitation will take place Friday, March 13, 2020 from 4-8:00 p.m. at the Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in SCHALLER with a rosary at 8:00 p.m. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Schaller is in charge of the arrangements.

Linda J. Holle was born April 3, 1968, in Guthrie Center, Iowa, the daughter of William and Charlotte (Moore) Holle. As an infant, Linda was baptized on April 21, 1968, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Guthrie Center. Her godparents were Bill and Norma Springer. As a child, Linda had open heart surgery in Iowa City, returning home on her 5th birthday. She received 1st Communion on April 25, 1976, and was later confirmed on November 5, 1981. Her confirmation sponsor was her oldest sister, Carolyn.

Linda attended school in Guthrie Center where she graduated in 1986. She was active in sports during her school years, participating in basketball, volleyball, and softball. She also played the clarinet in band. Linda participated in county 4-H showing rabbits and dairy cattle. Through her involvement in 4H, Linda developed a love for crafting. Following high school graduation,

Linda attended Northwest Missouri State for one year. In 1996, Linda graduated from the Iowa Central Nursing program.

On June 5, 1987, Linda was united in marriage to her high school sweetheart, Scott Clark, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Guthrie Center. Together, they were blessed with four children: Amanda, Abigail, Anthony and Adam.

Linda was unselfish with her time as a volunteer. She was a girl scout leader, a CCD leader, a guild member, and was heavily involved with 4-H. She enjoyed being outdoors especially camping, fishing, gardening, and landscaping. In her spare time, Linda also loved various types of crafting including sewing, quilting, woodworking, and metal work. Some of her other hobbies included making flower arrangements, canning tomatoes or jam, and reading. Linda treasured spending time with her family always attending events with her children.

Linda truly enjoyed helping others and was a compassionate nurse serving the area for the past 25 years. She worked the majority of her career at the BV Manor and spent the last 6 years working as a hospice nurse.

Those left to cherish her memory include her husband, Scott Clark of Early, Iowa; daughters, Amanda Sue (Jay) Vreeland of Muscatine, Iowa, with one grandchild on the way, and Abigail Marie Clark of Spencer, Iowa; parents, Bill and Charlotte Holle of Guthrie Center, Iowa; brothers, Jim (Richelle) Holle of Oskaloosa, Iowa and Art (fiancé, Hannah Murry) Holle of Exira, Iowa; sisters, Carolyn (Don) Schwartz of Bayard, Iowa, Janet (Dan) Barrett of Rockwell City, Iowa, Kim (Terry) Betts of Coon Rapids, Iowa; mother-in-law, Sue Terry of Early, Iowa; father-in-law and stepmother-in-law, Duane and Janet Clark of Guthrie Center, Iowa; nieces, nephews, extended family, and many friends.

Linda was preceded in death by her son, Anthony and infant son, Adam; and

stepfather-in-law, Daryl Terry.

Linda will be forever cherished as a wife, mother, daughter, sister, and friend. She was an honest, strong willed, and hardworking person and will be remembered as being patient and caring. She will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved her.

# Cemetery Details

## Lake City Cemetery

Lake City, IA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 13. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - Schaller  
306 S Main St  
Schaller, IA 51053  
(712) 275-4205  
jensenfuneralhomes@gmail.com  
<https://www.fratzkejensen.com>

## Rosary

MAR 13. 8:00 PM (CT)

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## Funeral Mass

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MAR 14. 10:30 AM (CT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church --Early, Iowa  
501 Church Street  
Early, IA 50535  
<http://www.nemahaweb.com/sacredheart/>

# Tribute Wall

BF

“ Linda, was one of our Mothers hospice nurses at Storm Lake manor. The month of February we got to know and love Linda. She was very loving and caring to our Mom. She was so easy for us to talk to. We are so sorry for your loss. Rod Bean and Frances Bean family.

Bean family - March 23, 2020 at 04:42 PM

LM

“ Linda's mother, Charlotte, and I were good friends for many years. I don't remember ever seeing Linda without a smile on her face and in a good mood. She was a joy to be around. May she Rest In Peace. I am still in shock at the news of her passing. Prayers to all

Liz McCabr - March 15, 2020 at 01:19 PM

PR

“ I remember Linda from somewhere and she was so kind and caring! My sympathies for your loss. Priscilla Robinson

Priscilla Robinson - March 14, 2020 at 11:12 AM

PS

“ She was a awesome woman!! Didnt know her for very long but what i did know she was caring and compassionate .She was easy to talk too. Met her through a facility i work at! The world needs nore people like her!! She will be missed.



Pam Schulte - March 14, 2020 at 09:49 AM

MH

“ *Michelle Henderson lit a candle in memory of Linda Clark*



Michelle Henderson - March 13, 2020 at 09:28 PM

DD

“ *Our sincere sympathy to this family. Linda visited Denise and Lynn Pickhinke to lend her support as she also had lost a son. She passed away shortly after. May God bless this family eternally.*

diane droegmiller - March 13, 2020 at 08:36 PM



“ *Fields of Europe for Spring was purchased for the family of Linda Clark.*



March 13, 2020 at 03:02 PM



“ *Healing Tears - Yellow and White was purchased for the family of Linda Clark.*



March 13, 2020 at 02:16 PM

DW

“ *Doris Wiley lit a candle in memory of Linda Clark*



Doris Wiley - March 13, 2020 at 01:43 PM

DP

*Scott, Sue and families we were sorry to hear about Linda. Please know that that you and your family's are in our thoughts and prayers. In deepest sympathies. Bonnie and Dale Pierce*

Dale Pierce - March 14, 2020 at 06:44 AM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - March 13, 2020 at 01:08 PM

JK

*Precious memories💕*

Jody Kelly - March 13, 2020 at 11:11 PM



“ *Plants-A-Plenty was purchased for the family of Linda Clark.*



March 13, 2020 at 12:43 PM



“ *Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Linda Clark.* ”



March 13, 2020 at 12:23 PM



“ *Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of Linda Clark.* ”



March 13, 2020 at 12:19 PM



“ *Amy Schlafer lit a candle in memory of Linda Clark* ”



**Amy Schlafer** - March 13, 2020 at 11:03 AM



“ *Karla Pickhinke lit a candle in memory of Linda Clark* ”



**karla pickhinke** - March 13, 2020 at 10:56 AM

KP

“ We were so saddened to hear this news, Linda had such a huge heart, and such a kind and loving soul.

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**karla pickhinke** - March 13, 2020 at 10:54 AM



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White* was purchased for the family of Linda Clark.



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March 13, 2020 at 10:43 AM

PG

“ We are so sad to read of the loss of Linda. She came to visit my husband several times in his in-home care. She was a very caring & concerned nurse. I also remember her from St. Marys' & Sacred Heart. God has a plan for her in the heavens'. Our prayers & thoughts to all her family. We lit a candle in her memory. Peace,  
Lary & Patty Gunville--Storm Lake, Ia.



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**PATTY GUNVILLE** - March 13, 2020 at 10:42 AM



“ *Classic Sympathy Dish Garden* was purchased for the family of Linda Clark.



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March 13, 2020 at 10:18 AM

RF

“ *Ray Moore family purchased the Floor Plant for S ympathy for the family of Linda Clark.*



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**Ray Moore family** - March 13, 2020 at 10:09 AM



“ *Love's Embrace Roses – Purple was purchased for the family of Linda Clark.*



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March 13, 2020 at 09:13 AM

MP

“ *Such wonderful memories growing up with my cousin, Linda. The earliest memories are the family get together's that we had at Bill and Charlotte's house. The staying over night, playing in the creek behind their house, "milking" my first cow. Saying The Lord's Prayer. She loved God. We celebrated our high school graduation together, also at Bill and Charlotte's. We only saw each other once a year after we each married and had kids, but when we saw each other her smile, laugh and love lit up the room. i LOVED Linda's laugh and sense of humor. ALWAYS laughing and smiling and joking around. In my eye's Linda was the consummate wife, mother, daughter, friend, employee, cousin, co-worker. She could do it all and all without fanfare. I love you Linda Memory eternal*

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**Melissa Pohl** - March 13, 2020 at 06:02 AM

RB

“ *Rose Baker lit a candle in memory of Linda Clark*



Rose Baker - March 12, 2020 at 09:22 PM



“ *Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Linda Clark.*



March 12, 2020 at 08:36 PM



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Linda Clark.*



March 12, 2020 at 08:12 PM

LZ

“ *Scott and family-so very sorry for your loss of Linda. You are all in our thoughts and prayers. Praying that your broken hearts find peace and that you are surrounded by the love of family and friends during this time. Lisa & Paul Zenor and family*



Lisa Zenor - March 12, 2020 at 07:24 PM

SM

“ *Steph/Sharon Mickelson lit a candle in memory of Linda Clark*



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**Steph/Sharon Mickelson** - March 12, 2020 at 06:58 PM

BR

“ *I will always cherish my memories of Linda - she was a dear friend. It is rare privilege to work with nurses like her. Rare because she was a “teaching nurse”, and excellent at what she did. She was a great mentor to me. What I valued so much in her was the feeling she gave me when she answered all of my questions, such a nurturing, kind human being, which is not often seen at times in nursing. She promised me that I could call her in the middle of the night if I had any questions that came up at work when I worked the overnight shift with her at Methodist Manor. I took her up on this and will always treasure the advice she gave me. Not many nurses would do that, but it speaks of her, she was a kind, genuinely caring, giving human being. My heart breaks for her family, I pray God’s comfort and healing surrounds them during this time. Her kindness to me and the skill and love I watched her give to her patients every day will never be forgotten. How dearly missed she will be! Excellent nurse, extraordinary friend!*

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**Bekah Rose** - March 12, 2020 at 06:16 PM

KH

“ My heart aches for all of Linda’s family when I heard of her sudden passing. I loved working with her when she came into Methodist Manor in Storm Lake and at BV Manor when I did PT for the residents... we had a cookie exchange last Christmas and I always enjoyed visiting with Linda and she was a wonderful nurse that I had so much respect for. My prayers are with you all during this time and upcoming days

Karmen Hodgdon - March 12, 2020 at 05:38 PM

PK

“ Paul Kelly lit a candle in memory of Linda Clark



Paul Kelly - March 12, 2020 at 04:31 PM



“ 2 files added to the album Memories Album



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - March 12, 2020 at 04:05 PM

JK

“ Many warm memories of Linda through the years as a person and as a nurse. A tragic loss for Scott Amanda and Abby and the family. I hope you can find comfort in knowing that she is now with Anthony. Love and prayers to all.💕  
🙏



Jody Kelly - March 12, 2020 at 03:22 PM

EO

“ Elite Octane purchased the Springtime Wishes for the family of Linda Clark.



Elite Octane - March 12, 2020 at 11:43 AM

BH

“ Scott, Duane, Janet, and family, We were so saddened to hear of the passing of Linda. I can't imagine the pain that you have been through with the loss of your precious son, and then the tragedy of Linda's passing so young. Please know that many of us are praying for you and keeping you very close in our hearts as you grieve this devastating loss. Sending blessings of comfort, peace, and faith to all of you, Brenda & Chris Hamilton, Algona (Jack & Louise's youngest)



Brenda Clark Hamilton - March 11, 2020 at 10:36 PM



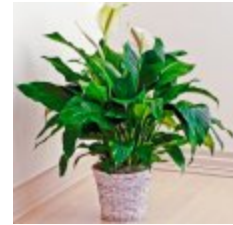
“ *Sympathy Arrangement In Basket (Large) - Multicolor Bright Mixed Flowers was purchased for the family of Linda Clark.*



March 11, 2020 at 10:19 PM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Linda Clark.*



March 11, 2020 at 09:14 PM



“ *Valorie Ensley lit a candle in memory of Linda Clark*



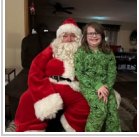
**Valorie Ensley** - March 11, 2020 at 06:36 PM



“ *Linda was a very sweet caring person she will ne missed by everyone*



**Valorie Ensley** - March 11, 2020 at 06:35 PM



“ LINDA WAS SUCH A GREAT LADY AND WE SHARED A BIRTHDAY SO ALWAYS HAD A SPECIAL CONNECTION. GOING TO MISS HER.



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**Douglas Sutton** - March 11, 2020 at 05:48 PM

JC

“ Jenn Clark lit a candle in memory of Linda Clark



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**Jenn clark** - March 11, 2020 at 05:41 PM

JC

“ I cannot believe my little cousin Linda is gone :( I hope she is talking to mom and dad in heaven and NOT telling them the stories they don't need to hear lol!!

*I will miss you cuz!*

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**Jenn Clark** - March 11, 2020 at 05:02 PM

DC

*Linda obviously was a very special person who touched so many people. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Dan & Connie Curnyn** - March 13, 2020 at 06:55 PM