



Linda Koone

November 25, 1956 - March 6, 2024

Linda Lee Koone, aged 67, passed away peacefully on March 6, 2024, around 11:00 am, surrounded by her loving family in the serenity of her own home. She was born on November 25, 1956. Preceded in death by her mother, Betty Holton, father John Wilkinson, and son, Andrew Koone. Survived by beloved husband, Larry Koone of 37 years and a devoted mother to Gina Wilkinson (daughter), Gary Edwards (son-in-law), and Franklin Koone (son). She was also a loving sibling to three brothers and one sister: John Wilkinson, Michael Wilkinson, Gregory Wilkinson, and Malia Tanner. Linda was a cherished grandmother to Gabrielle Edwards. Linda's joys included spending time at the family cabin, baking, tending to her garden, and immersing herself in the arts. She began her career by volunteering with Godman Guild and Columbus City Schools, where she later found joy working in the library. Linda had a passion for reading to children and was instrumental in starting a STEM program at Berwick Elementary. In 2022, she reluctantly retired due to health reasons, dearly missing her time with the children. She will be remembered as a pillar of the community, always willing to volunteer and offer a helping hand to those in need. Linda's love for baking extended to all who knew her, bringing warmth and solace to many. Over the years, she provided a sanctuary for numerous teenagers, never turning anyone away. Above all, she will be cherished for her unwavering love, selflessness and commitment to her family, friends, and community. Friends may call on Saturday March 16, 2024 from 3:00pm to 5:00pm at the RUTHERFORD FUNERALHOME UNIVERSITY CHAPEL,

2383 High St Columbus where a Funeral Service will be held at 5:00pm.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 16. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Rutherford Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Linda Koone*



Rutherford Funeral Homes - March 15, 2024 at 05:38 PM

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R I p , Linda , prayers for family

James bowen - March 17, 2024 at 08:51 PM

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“ *Linda was my library assistant at Berwick Alternative School from the time she transferred there from Arts Impact Middle School until I retired in June, 2016. It was an absolute pleasure to work with Linda as she learned the responsibilities of her position and embraced her role in the library. She quickly became a wonderful resource for the staff and students at Berwick and loved sharing books and stories with the younger students. I loved working with her. Please accept my deepest sympathies I appreciated Linda so much, and was terribly grieved to read of her death. I am so sorry. Dyann A. Taylor*

Dyann A Taylor - March 17, 2024 at 04:47 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Linda Koone.* ”



March 12, 2024 at 06:19 PM