



Lynda Ellen Mutch

April 17, 1954 - July 16, 2017

Lynda Ellen Mutch, 63 of Leesburg, FL passed away peacefully in her home on July 16, 2017. She was born on April 17, 1954, in Mankato, Minnesota to Harold and Bernice Mutch who both preceded her in death as well as siblings Glenn and Patricia Mutch. She is survived by her glorious husband Robert Garaghty and a loving family that adopted her as their stepmother: Cathleen and Paul Gidley, David Garaghty, Elizabeth and Guy Pavlak and beloved grandsons Jake, Lucas, Max, Jack and Adam. Also surviving Mrs. Mutch are siblings Suzan and Jon Aronson, David and Sandy Mutch, Nancy and Paul Huepenbecker and Jennet and Kevin Kosberg and all of her adored nieces, nephews, their spouses and beautiful families; and many dear and blessed friends.

A Gathering of Family and Friends will be held at Beyers Funeral Home Chapel at 1123 West Main St. Leesburg, Florida, on Friday, August 4, 2017 from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Followed by a Celebration of Life at 4:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers please, "PAY IT FORWARD".

Tribute Wall

RV

“ Bob,

Thinking of you as we approach the one-year anniversary of Lynda's passing. I miss her a lot and will always have fond memories of a great person and a very good friend. You are in my heart at this time.

Rosella

Rosella Todd Valentine - July 09, 2018 at 12:14 PM

DW

“ *We were so sorry to hear that Lynda has passed. Our thoughts and prayers are with you Bob, and all the family. Lynda was such a special person and I have so many memories of working with her and spending time outside of work. Years of memories.*

Dennis and Michael

Dennis Senn and Michael Warman - August 10, 2017 at 11:17 AM

JU

“ *Our sincerest sympathy to you Bob and all the family of both Linda's family and yours.*

We can only remember her as the most enjoyable person to be with at Pennbrooke.

In her own favorite saying, " she was a hoot".

Jerry and Barbara Uhrman - July 28, 2017 at 04:41 PM

FB

“ *Lynda was a loving and inspirational person...she leaves many fond memories..*



Fran Bollenbach - July 26, 2017 at 10:04 AM

LS

“ *Please know that we are thinking of all of you, especially my dear step-mother Suzan. Lynda's light will be missed but her smile remembered.*

Lisa and Todd Sammon - July 24, 2017 at 08:32 AM

JJ

“ *We will miss your wonderful/funny personality and beautiful smile Lynda, love you Jon Jr and Dawn*

Jon and Dawn Aronson Jr - July 23, 2017 at 09:37 PM

SW

“ *To my forever friend*

I'll be seeing you in all the old "FAMILAR" places---that this heart of my remembers all day through.

In that small Pennbrooke Grill with all the jokes we all so enjoyed or the might links you and oopsies will always be there.

For me I will be looking at the moon - but I'll be seeing you.

All my love to Lynda family and ESPECIALLY

Bob--a WONDERFUL HUSBAND AND GOOD FRIEND

Sandra and George

Sandra and George Wharram - July 23, 2017 at 06:11 PM

LC

“ As a relatively new member of Pennbrooke Fairways I was just getting to know Lynda as our paths crossed in the Grille. We will all miss her charming and witty presence.

My condolences to Bob and family as we grieve together.

Larry Cooper - July 23, 2017 at 09:46 AM

MG

“ To Bob and family, we are so very sorry for your loss. Lynda was such a fun loving woman who always made you feel special. She will be missed. She cared so much for her family and friends, always had a smile. Miss you so much Lynda❤️🎈

Mariann and Pete Guido - July 22, 2017 at 08:34 PM

FW

“ *Treasured Husband and Family,
Our most heartfelt sympathies to all of you upon the loss of your dear Lynda.
Throughout the years that we were friends she always spoke of each of you with a warm smile and love in her heart. Her admiration, dedication, confidence and appreciation of life far surpass any one I have ever met.*

To truly appreciate life we seek friendship. I am truly blessed to have found that in Lynda.

I will be forever grateful to have known her.

Your family has lost a true shining star. May your wonderful memories live on in your hearts,

Lovingly,

Fran & Ted Whitman

Fran & Ted Whitman - July 21, 2017 at 09:22 AM

FW

“ As I begin my story there are so many I hardly know which one to choose. I had the pleasure of meeting Lynda and Bob when moving to Pennbrooke Fairways 13 years ago. As I had never golfed before, my husband Ted suggested I go to the free Golf Clinic held here in Pennbrooke.

Lynda was attending also and thus began my admiration for her and treasured friendship. Her infectious smile, tremendous knowledge of the english language (We all know her famous "Word of the day" and kindness to others never uttering anything but compliments.

Moments on the golf course were filled with laughter ! I will always remember her funny wit in as "Beautiful shot Fran but your towards was off or missing a putt was " Holly Molly Rocky". As she tried to get a long drive and it went no where her response was " What the heck was that !" and the list goes on from there !

Treasured memories forever in our hearts,

Lovingly,

Fran and Ted Whitman

Fran Whitman - July 21, 2017 at 06:40 AM

JH

“ Bob...Please accept my heartfelt condolences on the loss of your wife Lynda. I know that at a time like this there are no words that can even begin to bring comfort or understanding as to her passing. Over my years at 3M,I had the privilege of knowing Lynda and serving with her on several project committees. She was a highly respected leader in the Marketing Communications community and was always such a pleasure to work with. God bless and peace to you and your family.

John Heili - July 20, 2017 at 09:02 PM

MM

“ I only knew Lynda for a few months due to joining The Lovely Liberal Ladies from our community Pennbrooke Fairways. From the moment I met her, I knew that here was a lady I wanted to know better. I was drawn to her intelligence and humor. She left everyone too soon but I selfishly feel like I never was able, in such a short time, to know her well. My condolences to her wonderful family. Her request for people to "pay it forward" in her honor speaks volumes about Lynda as a person.

Mary McIntyre - July 20, 2017 at 08:51 PM

CA

“ Bob, our thoughts and prayers are with you. Everyone who knew Lynda loved her.

Chuck and Mary Ann Aneiro - July 20, 2017 at 05:14 PM

RV

“ Lynda was a "one of a kind" friend, and life without her will not be the same for me and her other LLL friends in Pennbrooke Fairways. I played softball with Lynda, and John and I traveled in France with her and Bob. Whenever I ran into Lynda, I found her big smile, her friendliness, and her sense of humor infectious. We all loved being in her company!

We will miss our friend and we send our sympathy and love to Bob and their big extended family.

Love from the Valentines (Rosella and John)

Rosella Todd Valentine - July 20, 2017 at 04:46 PM

GB

“ My acquaintance with Lynda and Bob was through the League of Women Voters. I loved Lynda's upbeat, energetic outlook on life. She always had a big smile on her expressive face! She will be missed!

Gail Burry - July 20, 2017 at 07:29 AM

AW

“ Please accept my condolences at this most difficult time. There is hope for the dead.
Christ Jesus opened the way for mankind to be released from death by means of the Earthly Resurrection. John 5:28,29. John 6:40

Ana Williams - July 19, 2017 at 05:11 PM

KW

“ I was honored and blessed to get to know Mrs.Lynda. She will always hold a special place inside my heart. May peace and comfort find you during this difficult time.

Keneisha Wallace - July 19, 2017 at 02:28 PM

DB

“ *Radiant. Generous. Joyful. Educated and looking to share it all and soak up more. Capable of making everyone feel wanted and worthy with an extraordinarily ability to remember the people who had crossed paths with her.*

Lynda rode in, took over and saved my Aunt and Uncle's lives. And, if that seems too dramatic then I'll say her love saved them from financial ruin. Thoughtful, methodically respectful and always learning something new. She set them up so they can continue a reasonable lifestyle. And I believe she did it all w/o being asked. Lynda is my kind of people. Her style is rare and we knew we were of the same mold from our first conversation: Fast friends and deeply connected.

And now we are left to reflect on her greatness. I love you Muchly. Lynda Mutch- bound for glory. Look at all you did with your one precious life! As your "special note book of wonderful words" puts it: TRANSMOGRIFY. Thank you for everything. xo

Donna M Best - July 19, 2017 at 10:25 AM

MH

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with bob and family. We will miss Lynda and remember her humor and courage. love Mary and Larry Huhn*

Mary Huhn - July 19, 2017 at 09:26 AM

LR

“ Ah, Lynda. So sorry to hear of her passing. The world has dimmed a bit. Lynda was one of my best friends in middle school - there was a posse of four of us who were inseparable for several years. I have photos of Lynda, laughing hard, at my 13th birthday slumber party. She brought joy into the world. My condolences to her family. She is missed even from a distance, so I can only imagine your loss. Blessings.

Louise Rankin - July 18, 2017 at 07:48 PM

RT

“ Our prayers are with you Bob at this time. We will all miss Lynda's quick wit and her smile. Was truly honor to have known her these past 13 years.



Ron and Elizabeth Tedder - July 18, 2017 at 06:35 PM

CA

“ I am sorry to hear that Lynda has passed. I will always remember her infectious laugh, her quick wit, and her warm heart. Although we did not keep in touch after high school, she is part of cherished memories of those halcyon days, when we were young and strong, and ready to take on the world. May loving memories comfort you in the days ahead.

Cathie Atchley - July 18, 2017 at 04:20 PM



“ *Lynda was my best friend in high school and also my debate partner. We were on the affirmative side of an issue that was something like "Be it resolved that the U.S. not intervene unilaterally in foreign conflicts." We faced off against many other teams, usually guys, some in fancy suits from private schools. This was before computers so many of these guys they would literally roll in carts with several long card files full of cards of evidence to present during debates.*

There were Lynda and I, one recipe box apiece, neither box quite full of cards! We maintained we had the most compelling evidence, through, so didn't need much. We actually did fairly well in terms of our win-loss record though. You can imagine that Linda was never at a loss for words!

July 18, 2017 at 03:16 PM



“ *Prayers and thoughts to all the Mutch family. My memories of Lynda when we were children. Loved her laugh and smile. RIP LYNDA. Lois Jones (cousin) Garden Grove CA.*

Lois Jones - July 17, 2017 at 11:05 PM



“ *To the Lynda Mutch family,
I'm sorry to hear of the passing of Lynda. My memories of her are of a childhood in Minnesota.
Peace & Love to all her family.
Vivian(Jones) Batts Cypress, Ca (a cousin)*

Vivian Batts - July 17, 2017 at 03:37 PM