



Linda Peterson

March 20, 1945 - January 14, 2026

Linda Jane Peterson was born in Sheffield, Iowa on Tuesday, March 20, 1945 to parents, Oscar H. and Wilhelmina (Kopitar) Hopes. She left this old world behind on Wednesday, January 14, 2026 from her home in Tulsa, Oklahoma on Wednesday surrounded by her loved ones. She was 80 years of age.

Linda was a high school graduate of Sheffield-Chapin High School in 1963.

Linda served in the military and was a driver for the US Army in Germany. She returned to the states and met a fine gentleman, Richard Kent Peterson.

Richard and Linda married on Monday, November 23, 1981 in Council Bluffs, Iowa. Together they raised five children and the family continues to grow.

Linda was a wonderful wife, mother and homemaker.

Outdoors was Linda's favorite place in all the world. She enjoyed doing yard work and tending to flowerbeds. She would frequently go on walkabouts. She was fond of women's sports. Linda kept up with the hockey player Anze Kopitar of the LA Kings.

She will be dearly remembered by

Husband, Richard Peterson of Tulsa, Oklahoma

Children, Emma Licht and Howard of Tulsa, Oklahoma

Richard Peterson, Jr. and Leslie of Lampasas, Texas

Erick Peterson of Pratt, Kansas

Karl Peterson and Tiffany of Idaho Falls, Idaho

Selena Pollard and Joe of Waynesville, North Carolina

Grandchildren, Richard Peterson, III, Cordelia Peterson, Marshall Peterson,

Johnny Hatton, Alex Peterson, Abigail Licht, Bethany Montero,
Holly Stone

Preceded in death by parents, Oscar and Wilhelmina Hopes, daughter,
Genevieve Peterson, granddaughter, Linda Peterson.

Tribute Wall

RP

“ *Will miss my sweet heart love you*



Richard K Peterson - January 15 at 11:44 PM

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“ *Hector Q. purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Linda Peterson.*



Hector Q. - January 15 at 12:43 PM

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“ *Taly McClain purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Linda Peterson.*



Taly McClain - January 15 at 11:08 AM