



Linda Lou Rowe

June 14, 1951 - July 24, 2023

Linda L. Rowe, 72, of New Knoxville, died 2:36 p.m., Monday, July 24, 2023, at her home, surrounded by her family. She was born June 14, 1951, in Lima, the daughter of the late William Edward, Sr. & Carolyn Marie (Metzger) Shaner. On September 30, 2008, she married to Steve A. Rowe, and he preceded her in death on March 31, 2014. Linda was previously married to Bill E. Long.

Survivors include,

2 children, Shawn (Nikki Shaner) Long, Louisville, Kentucky,

Heather (Ronald,III) Caldwell, New Knoxville, Ohio;

7 grandchildren, Cearra (Luke) Roby, LaFern Shaner, Lyla Long,

Kayle Long, Sophie Long, Tristen Caldwell, Ty Caldwell;

4 great grandchildren;

siblings, Stephen (Judy) Shaner, Wapakoneta,

William Edward, II (Marie) Shaner, Wapakoneta,

Daniel (Jeanna) Shaner, Uniopolis,

Lori (Paul) Tucker, Lima;

numerous nieces & nephews.

Linda retired from Trim Trends, Spencerville, Ohio. She enjoyed walking, and reading her Bible.

Above all else, Linda enjoyed spending time with her children and grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 4:00 p.m., Friday, July 28, 2023, at the Eley Funeral Home & Crematory, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta, with Pastor Kent Place officiating. The family will receive friends 2-4 p.m., Friday, at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be directed to the funeral home. Condolences may be expressed at www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 28. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Eley Funeral Home & Crematory
1102 Lincoln Ave.
Wapakoneta, OH 45895
eleyfuneralhome@gmail.com
<http://www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com>

Service

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Tribute Wall

MK

“ I am so sad to learn of this. God bless.
M.

M. K - September 28, 2025 at 04:28 AM

KR

“ I loved Linda dearly, she was such a wonderful lady.
I was devastated when she called me and told me how sick she was. She was such an inspiration to so many people and her love for God was immeasurable. I know she's with the Lord now and happy as she can be with Jesus in heaven.



Kathy Rowe - July 28, 2023 at 11:28 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Linda Lou Rowe.



July 26, 2023 at 08:55 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Linda Lou Rowe.

July 26, 2023 at 08:55 AM

CS

“ Linda what a sweet lady. A woman of prayer, a prayer Warrior. She loved all her family and siblings and talked of them often. I'm thankful for her friendship and the amazing neighbors she and her family were when we lived across the drive. I'm grateful for the short season of life we got to share, that her pain is over and now she awaits our Lords return.

Cheryl Salvo - July 25, 2023 at 09:26 PM

MS

“ Marilyn Slone lit a candle in memory of Linda Lou Rowe



Marilyn Slone - July 25, 2023 at 07:06 PM

JL

“ Jackie Lucas lit a candle in memory of Linda Lou Rowe



Jackie Lucas - July 25, 2023 at 06:59 PM

LT

“ So sorry for your loss. Linda was so sweet. Prayers for peace and comfort.



Lisa Thobe - July 25, 2023 at 06:25 PM



“ *Crolyn Gay lit a candle in memory of Linda Lou Rowe*



crolyn gay - July 25, 2023 at 05:54 PM