



Linda Sheryl McCracken

September 12, 1951 - May 9, 2025

Linda Cooper McCracken, affectionately known as "Gaw Gaw" by her beloved grandchildren, passed away peacefully on Friday May 9, 2025, just after sunset at the age of 73. She was preceded in death by her parents Lawrence Cooper and Gloria Cooper, her brothers William Cooper and Larry Cooper and son in law Jason Jarvis.

She is survived by her daughters Andrea Johnson (David), Becky Howell (Trey) and Sarah Lowe (Josh), grandchildren Billy Howell, Jacob Jarvis, Jackson Lowe, Hayden Johnson, Mason Johnson, Maggie Lowe, Cooper Howell, Olivia Jarvis and Lucy Lowe, brothers Joe Cooper (Renee), Dennis Cooper, sister-in-law Barbara Cooper, all of her nieces and nephews, her Cousin Margaret Watts and best friend Betty Morris.

Her departure leaves a void in the lives of all who were touched by her elevated sense of humor and down-to-earth nature. Born and raised with an independent spirit, Linda navigated life with grace and a unique perspective that endeared her to many. Her days often began with a good cup of coffee, a ritual she savored. Linda could often be found dreaming of or visiting the beach with her family, a place where she found peace and joy.

Family was the cornerstone of Linda's life. She deeply cherished her role as a mother and grandmother, finding immense happiness in spending time with her loved ones. Her devotion extended beyond her family to her work as a dedicated employee of T&W Vending Company for many years.

Linda also treasured her friendship with her best friend, Betty, and many will

fondly remember seeing them riding around together, sharing laughter and adventures. She took pride in her appearance, always ensuring her nails and hair were perfectly done. A keen observer of life, Linda enjoyed the simple pleasure of people-watching, finding fascination and amusement in the everyday happenings around her.

To her children, Linda was the perfect example of a mother – a source of unwavering love, support, and guidance. Her memory will forever be etched in their hearts.

To honor our mother's wishes, there will be no memorial service. We invite you to privately celebrate Linda in your own way or make a donation in her name to Alive Hospice who lovingly cared for her in her final days. <https://www.alivehospice.org/get-involved/give/>

Tribute Wall

DM

“ *Linda Always made my day Better with just a Smile. And her Laughter was a Bonus that gave me the energy to go and face the day.
Look for My Mom when you get there Beautiful. The two of you will make the best Angel Besties.
Love You Linda ❤️*

David Money-Lim - May 13, 2025 at 08:45 PM

RE

“ *Linda used to LOVE all things Mary Engelbreit--her kitchen was like a shrine to the artist, who was just as warm and funny as she was. One of my favorite pieces was "Life is Just a Chair of Bowlies." It made me smile every time.*

*Much love and many hugs to all.
Love, Renee*

Renee - May 12, 2025 at 02:16 PM

RE

“ *1 file added to the album Cooper Clan*



Renee - May 12, 2025 at 02:10 PM

JW

“ *Judy West lit a candle in memory of Linda Sheryl McCracken*



Judy West - May 12, 2025 at 02:00 PM

RI

“ *Linda, You were a great Mother and Grandmother to our Children and Grandchildren. I will always remember the great years we had together. I'm so sorry we drifter apart but, I have so much admiration for you and your life with our children. Andrea, Rebecka and Sarah, my deepest sorrow and with Love to you, your husbands and all your children, Dad*

Robert McCracken II - May 12, 2025 at 01:07 PM

RI

Sorry, for the miss-spell Becky!

Robert McCracken II - May 12, 2025 at 01:26 PM

DH

“ *DEBBIE HAYES lit a candle in memory of Linda Sheryl McCracken*



DEBBIE HAYES - May 12, 2025 at 10:50 AM