



## Linda Kay Brown

January 20, 1948 - March 21, 2026

Linda Kay Brown, 78, of East Peoria, IL passed away at home on March 21, 2026 surrounded by the love of her family.

Born on January 20, 1948 in Batesville, AR to L. Stanley Miller and Bertha (Steele) Miller.

Linda carried the titles - The Best Mom, The Best Grandma, The Best Cook and The Most Fun at ANY Party. She lit up the room with her smile and humor, she never met a stranger, and if you had a minute to talk you would leave knowing that she loved the Lord and she loved her family, especially her daughters and grandchildren, of whom she was exceedingly proud.

Linda married Robert Randall Brown in 1971 and these best friends spent the next 41 years having the most fun together, until his passing in 2013. Carrying on her legacy and missing her every day are her, daughters; Deanna Brown, Melissa Brown, and Darcy Brown, her son-in-law, David Schultz, her grandchildren, her sisters; Rebecca Kappert and Kimberly (Craig) Martin, her father; L. Stanley (Billie) Miller, and many friends that became family.

Linda spent her life supporting and loving her family in every possible way. In her early years, she was a dental assistant with the last part of her working years spent doing administrative work for GKC Theater, working with whom

she described as the best boss, Scott Oetgen.

A Celebration of Life will be held at The Barn III in Goodfield, Sunday, March 29, 2026 with an open house from 5pm-6pm, followed by a service from 6pm-7pm. In lieu of flowers, anyone wishing to honor Linda's memory can make a donation to Enough Stuff (non-profit helping those in need) at 422 E. Washington St. #100, East Peoria, IL 61611 or The Barn III Non-Profit at 1451 Timberline Rd, Goodfield, IL 61742.

Condolences and memories may be shared through [SchmidtHaller.com](https://www.schmidthaller.com).

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

MAR **29**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

The Barn  
1451 Timberline Rd  
Goodfield, IL 61742