



Linda Hedden

August 8, 2023

It is with great sadness that the family of Linda Gail (Smith) Hedden announce her passing after a valiant battle with cancer on Tuesday, August 8, 2023 at the age of 75.

Predeceased by her father Martin Smith and mother Norma Davis-Smith-Oke and by her husband Robert George Hedden (2022).

Lovingly remembered by her son Jarrod (Stacey) and deeply cherished by her grandchildren Justin (CeCe), Nick (Bree) and Kyle. She also enjoyed every moment spent with her great grandson Jaxon. Linda is also survived by her son Jason (Tracy), grandchildren Brandon (Jami), Morgan (Mike) and great grandson Holt.

Treasured and loved sister to Sandra (Neil) Marchand, Diane (Larry) DeFraeye and Ken (the late Laura Lee) Smith.

Linda was a hairdresser in Dresden when she first started her career. She eventually opened her own salon in her home in Wallaceburg. She loved her walks, nicknamed "Puma" by her grandsons. She competed in a couple 5 km races in her late 60's. She is remembered for her "delicious" cooking and gourmet baking. Her grandsons said no one made grilled cheese and brownies like "Gma". She loved going to the casino and playing the slots. Her grandsons remember homemade mustaches and beards using hair from their haircuts, houses made of refrigerator boxes, volleyball games, and Gma was quite competitive. She joined a bowling league with her sisters a few years ago and enjoyed her weekly outings with them.

Private family arrangements have taken place.

Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home, 409 Nelson Street in Wallaceburg,
entrusted with the arrangements.

If desired, donations to Victoria's Quilts Canada may be left at the funeral
home 519.627.3231

Cherished stories and tributes may be left for the family at www.CavanaghFuneralHome.ca

“Grandmas hold our tiny hands for just a while but our hearts forever”

Tribute Wall

TE

“ Jason, Tracy and family.
We are so very sorry for your loss. We feel terrible for everything you have had to go through. Both your parents loved and adored you unconditionally. Our thoughts and prayers are with you guys.



Tracy and Eddie - August 24, 2023 at 08:42 PM

HV

“ Heidi Vidler lit a candle in memory of Linda Hedden



Heidi Vidler - August 14, 2023 at 02:36 PM

HV

“ Hi, I first met Linda when I started bowling the Tuesday afternoon ladies league. Always cheerful, friendly and ready to chat about anything and everything. Linda had a wonderful sense of humour and a smile you saw a mile away. I will miss her, but I'm glad her suffering is over. Save a spot for me on the lanes Linda.

Heidi Vidler - August 14, 2023 at 02:35 PM

MH

“ Jarrod, Jason and families, I am so sorry to hear of your Moms passing. Your Mom was a dear friend. I enjoyed our visits for over 40 years on Thursday mornings while she was doing my hair. You and your families are in my thoughts and prayers. Marion

Marion Hornell - August 13, 2023 at 07:22 PM

JB

“ So sorry to hear of Linda’s passing, she was a fabulous hairdresser and always fun to chat with, when I delivered her mail. May she rest in peace. ❤️

jackie and dave Burnett - August 12, 2023 at 12:38 PM

AC

“ We have known your mom for many years. Most of our social get togethers were with dear friends Wayne and Marilyn Mayor. Some great memories.
I always enjoyed my weekly chats with Linda back in the day when I was bowling.
I am so sorry for your loss. Linda was a wonderful person who will be missed by many.

Audrey Chevalier - August 12, 2023 at 09:40 AM

WT

“ My condolences to Hedden family!



W Tolman - August 12, 2023 at 06:49 AM

JP

“ My heart is so sadden with the passing of Linda, she was a beautiful soul, inside and out. I bowled with Linda every Tuesday at Bowlerama in Chatham. We had a lot of laughs, she will be missed.

Jeannette Poissant - August 12, 2023 at 05:49 AM

JF

“ *Judy & Family lit a candle in memory of Linda Hedden*



Judy Jacobs & Family - August 12, 2023 at 01:34 AM

BJ

“ *So sorry to hear of Linda's passing. Always enjoyed chatting with Linda and her sister Sandra on Tuesday afternoons at Chatham Bowlerama. Condolences to Sandra and Linda's family.*



Brenda de Jong - August 11, 2023 at 11:12 PM

FV

“ *Jason and Jarrod and families.. I'm so sorry to hear about the passing of your mom... one of the friendliest person's I ever meet.. thoughts and prayers for you two , and your whole family*

Francis Vancoillie - August 11, 2023 at 10:52 PM

HE

“ *Linda was a bowler with the Tuesday ladies at Bowlerama in Chatham. Always fun to bowl with. She will be missed by all. Expressions of sympathy to the family. May she rest in peace. Tuesday bowling ladies. Helen Vandenberg, President*

Helen - August 11, 2023 at 08:12 AM

WN

“ Jarrod and Jason and families. We are so very sorry to hear of your Moms passing. I always enjoyed walking with her in the park many years ago. Time passes too fast. May she Rest In Peace. Wendy, Kelly, Larry Nead and family.



Wendy Nead - August 10, 2023 at 11:51 PM

DK

“ Our deepest sympathy to Jason, Tracy, Brandon, Morgan and all of your families. Such a difficult time for all of you. We hope that the memories you shared and cherish will help you through the days and weeks ahead.
Sincerely your neighbours



Jan, Denise, Curtis and Kevin Kellett

Denise Kellett - August 10, 2023 at 07:39 PM

CC

“ Jarrod, Jason & families
Sandra, Dianne, Ken & families
Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time. Janet & Dave were clients of Linda's for many years. It was always great to have a visit when she moved back to Dresden. I would see her at the pharmacy when she would be in to pick out her Hallmark cards. She took much time in selecting the perfect card which I'm sure many of you received over the years. Dave would bump into her at the grocery store and always enjoyed a visit. On behalf of Janet Cameron, Dave & I, Ann & Richard Caryn we have made a donation towards Victoria's Quilts Canada

Cheryl Cameron - August 10, 2023 at 07:21 PM

JG

“ *Jeff Lisa Genyn lit a candle in memory of Linda Hedden*



Jeff and Lisa Genyn - August 10, 2023 at 06:28 PM

WN

“ *Jarrold, Jason and families. We are so very sorry on hearing of your Moms passing. I always enjoyed walking in the park and talking. Time slips away too fast. May she RIP. Wendy, Kelly and ,Larry Nead and family.*



Wendy,Kelly,Larry Nead - August 10, 2023 at 03:28 PM

DL

“ *Dear Jason, Jarrod & families,
Our deepest sympathy for your loss- your mom was a great lady .
May your precious memories bring you comfort .*

*Condolences,
Don & Lucille Laprise*

Don & Lucille Laprise - August 10, 2023 at 01:38 PM

JC

“ Jason, Jarrod and Families,

Sincere condolences to you and your loving families on your Mom's passing. We are all heartbroken and send our love and prayers to all of you during this difficult time. We remember the good times we had being next-door neighbours for many years. Her warm smile and laughter was always a welcome sight. Rest in peace, Linda.

John and Joanne Campagna

J. Campagna - August 10, 2023 at 12:34 PM



WM

“ So sorry for your loss. We thought the world of your mom. True friends for fifty years.you have lost a jewel.I know your hearts are broken.we send you all our love.she will be in our hearts forever

Wayne and Marilyn Mayor - August 10, 2023 at 10:57 AM

FF

“ Sending our deepest sympathy and prayers.

Frank, Cathy Johnston & family - August 10, 2023 at 10:52 AM



CB

“ *Our deepest sympathy to all of Linda’s family.
Carol-Anne & Lance Babcock.*



Carol-Anne Babcock - August 10, 2023 at 09:15 AM

FM

“ *So sorry to hear of Linda’s passing!*

Fran & Fred Martin - August 10, 2023 at 09:01 AM

JF

“ *Jason, Jarrod and Families
So sorry to hear of your loss. Our condolences.
John and Joyce Feher*

Joyce Feher - August 10, 2023 at 08:54 AM

SC

“ *Sherry David Crowe sent a virtual gift in
memory of Linda Hedden*



Sherry & David Crowe - August 09, 2023 at 11:00 PM

HS

“ Henry Barb Suitor lit a candle in memory of Linda Hedden



Henry & Barb Suitor - August 09, 2023 at 10:26 PM

BC

“ So sorry to hear of the passing of your mom, condolences to Jason and Tracey and Jarrod an Stacey and both of your families. You are in our thoughts
Bill and Carol Charron

Bill & Carol Charron - August 09, 2023 at 10:13 PM

RY

“ Rose-Marie Yazbeck lit a candle in memory of Linda Hedden



Rose-Marie Yazbeck - August 09, 2023 at 09:31 PM

KV

“ Very saddened to hear of the loss of Linda. She was a very kind and caring neighbor of my mom and we will miss her. Condolences to all the family.
Shirley and Karrie VanCaille

Karrie VanCaille - August 09, 2023 at 09:24 PM

HL

“ *Helen Law*

Helen Law - August 09, 2023 at 08:55 PM

LJ

“ *Our sincere sympathy to Jason, Jarrod and their families.*

Lyle and Eileen Jardine - August 09, 2023 at 08:54 PM

JH

“ *Jarrod, Jason and Families, we are sending our love, prayers and deepest sympathy on your Mom's passing. May you be consoled and find comfort over time by your precious memories. We are so sorry for your loss, our thoughts are with your during this difficult time.*

Jason Heuvelmans and Family

Jason Heuvelmans - August 09, 2023 at 07:50 PM

KL

“ *Very sorry for your loss. I met Linda and her sister Sandra when we bowled at Bowlerama in Chatham. Good times! Rest in peace Linda.*



Kay Lozon - August 09, 2023 at 06:52 PM

JS

“ *To the family of Linda, we are so sorry for your loss. Linda was a good friend and hair dresser to my mom (Annie Everaert) for many years. I've always known Linda as a kind and caring person. RIP Linda.*

Joanne & Brad Stanlick - August 09, 2023 at 06:41 PM

K(

“ My condolences to the family on the loss of Linda. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time.

Karen Peach (McFadden) - August 09, 2023 at 06:07 PM

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“ My condolences to the family on the loss of Linda. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time.

Karen Peach (McFadden) - August 09, 2023 at 06:05 PM

MC

“ So sorry to hear of Linda's passing, she took good care of my hair for many years and was a cherished friend and neighbour. Linda so loved those grandchildren, she looked so happy and proud when she talked about all they were doing. Most sincere sympathy to Jarrod, Jason and families, your Mom was one special lady !



Mari Cole - August 09, 2023 at 05:10 PM

KM

“ Jarrod and Stacey, We are sending you all the love and strength today, tomorrow and the days to follow. Linda was so Blessed to have you two who have been there every step of the way. Your Love for your Mom was shown through all the years. She will be truly missed at all our family gatherings❤️ Justin, Cece, Nick, Bree, Kyle your G-Ma loved you all so much and was proud of each of you. It was evident at the wedding, baby shower, engagement party and all the beautiful celebrations. Her smile was full of love and pure joy! And Baby Jax was the cherry on top for her❤️ We love you all so much , xoxo

Kim Marchand - August 09, 2023 at 04:25 PM

LD

“ Jarrod, Jason and Families. . .My sincere, deepest sympathy for the loss of your Mom . .



Luanne Dubuque - August 09, 2023 at 03:43 PM

DL

“ We were so sorry to hear of Linda's passing. When we met she always had time to talk. She was a great lady and will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with the boys and their families. Del and Bev

Del and Bev Lunn - August 09, 2023 at 03:19 PM

LT

“ Lisa Tamblyn lit a candle in memory of Linda Hedden



Lisa Tamblyn - August 09, 2023 at 03:02 PM

PH

“ Sincere condolences to Jarrod & Jason and their families. When we met up with Linda at weddings, showers, family functions, and reunions we always had a great chat and a lot of laughs. Uncle H and I will remember those fun times.

~Hal & Pam Hedden

Pam Hedden - August 09, 2023 at 02:17 PM

RG

“ *Deepest sympathy to Jarrod & Jason and all their families. So sad to hear of her passing. We had many happy times together being our neighbours for many years. Rosa & Steve Gazarek*

Rosa & Steve Gazarek - August 09, 2023 at 12:21 PM

TF

“ *So sorry to read of Linda's passing* ❤️ 🌸

Theresa Freeburn - August 09, 2023 at 12:16 PM

ED

“ *So sorry to hear of your loss She was a very special lady.*



Emer Dudley - August 09, 2023 at 11:13 AM

GF

“ *Gerry Flynn lit a candle in memory of Linda Hedden*



Gerry Flynn - August 09, 2023 at 11:10 AM

CB

“ *Linda was such a fun loving person. We went on many double dates with her and Bob 50 years ago. She loved her family deeply. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.*
Al & Cheryl Black

Cheryl Black - August 09, 2023 at 10:56 AM

LS

“ So sorry to here of your Mom's passing my thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Lorie Scott - August 09, 2023 at 10:31 AM

GB

“ Gary Janice Broidioi lit a candle in memory of Linda Hedden



Gary & Janice Broidioi - August 09, 2023 at 09:38 AM

JE

“ Sending sincere condolences to Jason and Jarrod and their families at this difficult time. Keeping you in our thoughts. Sincerely, Jean & Dave Elliott



Jean Elliott - August 09, 2023 at 09:26 AM

RM

“ Please accept our most sincere condolences.

Ron & Dawne Mudford - August 09, 2023 at 09:22 AM

KE

“ Kathryn Ewing lit a candle in memory of Linda Hedden



Kathryn Ewing - August 09, 2023 at 09:18 AM

CB

“ So sorry to hear about Linda! She was such a nice lady! Condolences to her family and friends.



Cathy Bowers - August 09, 2023 at 08:40 AM

WO

“ Sorry for your loss. I had not seen Linda for a few years but always had good memories and kind thoughts of her. She was a great person. She will be missed.

Warren and Karrie Oke - August 09, 2023 at 08:26 AM

EJ

“ Eric Sandra Johnston sent a virtual gift in memory of Linda Hedden



Eric and Sandra Johnston - August 09, 2023 at 07:13 AM

AF

“ My condolences to the family on the loss of Linda. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time.



Amy Finn - August 08, 2023 at 10:34 PM

JC

“ *Deepest sympathies dear cousins on the passing of your beloved Mother, Grandmother and Great Grandmother. Condolences to all family and friends* ❤️🙏❤️ *Jan Carter*

janet Carter - August 08, 2023 at 06:45 PM