



Barbara Jean Linner

September 19, 1958 - December 31, 2013

Barbara J. Linner, 55, of Kearney died Monday, December 31, 2013 at her home. Funeral services will be at 10:30 A.M., Wednesday, January 8, 2013, at the O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home in Kearney with the Reverend John Gosswein officiating. Interment will be in the Arapahoe Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5-7, Tuesday, January 7, at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to the family for future designation. Online condolences may be submitted to www.osrfh.com. Funeral arrangements were entrusted to the O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home of Kearney.

Barbara was born September 19, 1958 in Cambridge, NE to Eldon and Charlotte (Warner) Linner. She grew up in Holbrook, Gibbon and Kearney and received her education at Holbrook High School. While in Kearney she worked for Horizon Designs and Target. She loved her grandkids with all her heart, enjoyed racing, loved nascar, Husker football baking cookies with Kali and crafts show, and was an excellent seamstress. She was always there to help her son; he was her life. She always was there to help with grandkids especially Koldin. She was a strong advocate for her family.

She is survived by her son; Tony and wife Joyce Linner of Kearney; brothers Jeff and wife Tammy Linner of Upland, Scott Linner of Upland, Craig Linner of Wimberly, TX; sister, Chris Rubenthaler of Elgin, NE; grandchildren, Kayden, Kormick, Kali, and Koldin all of Kearney.

She is preceded in death by both parents, and brother-in-law, Jack Rubenthaler.

Tribute Wall



“ *Barbara Jean Linner*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *Debra Warner Chase lit a candle in memory of Barbara Jean Linner*



Debra Warner Chase - January 06, 2014 at 09:05 PM



“ *How do you type a comment through tears, while your heart is breaking? I've lost several loved ones through these years, but losing my cousin Barb seems harder. Maybe because she, Chris Ann, Jeff, Craig (Fick), Scott and Auntie Charlotte were my second family. Their home was one of my first homes, and one of my favorite places to spend my summers at. So many memories. I'm so glad she called me a week ago Saturday, and wish I would have turned around to pick her up & take her to the Dickmeyer/Wendland get together in Arapahoe. She told me what a wonderful help her grandkids were after the accident. the last thing I said to her was that I was going to be sure to come visit her this year. Knowing she is in heaven with Grandma Henrietta Warner & Aunt Charlotte helps but she will be sorely missed, especially by Tony & his family. Ane when we get to heaven, God can explain to us why He needed her now more than we do.*

Debby Rae Warner Chase

Debra Warner Chase - January 06, 2014 at 09:04 PM

KF

“ Tony and family...
I am so sorry for your loss. Please know that you are in my thoughts
and prayers during this time.
Kelli (Keiper)Frew, Ames, IA

Kelli Frew - January 06, 2014 at 02:42 PM

DK

“ So sorry for your loss Tony, thoughts and
prayers go out to you and your family.



Diana Kotas - January 06, 2014 at 01:42 PM

JK

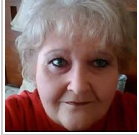
“ I used to work with Barb at Target and she was an amazing lady.
She sure did love her family and especially those grandkids. Sorry
for your loss.

Jennifer Koch - January 06, 2014 at 12:08 PM

MC

“ Tony and Family. I am so sorry to read of Barb's passing. She was
such a kind and gentle woman with a big heart. I so enjoyed getting
to know her when she was in Roses 4 You and your family events.
She loved her family very much and especially you Tony. Holding
you in my thoughts and prayers. Michael Collins

Michael Collins - January 05, 2014 at 06:10 PM



“ Tony, Joyce, and family; we are so sorry to hear of Barb's passing. We know she was extremely close to all of you, especially the kids, and had been great support through all of the tough times with Tony and Koldin. Just know that we're thinking of you and let us know if you need anything. Sue Treffer & Cheyenne

Sue Johnston Treffer - January 04, 2014 at 03:16 PM

RL

“ Barb was a dear cousin! I have so many wonderful memories of spending my summers with Barb & her siblings! They are all my second family, and although we saw one another less and less as we all grew and moved away, time and distance didn't change how close and deeply loved we still were/are. Barb was such a tender heart, hard-worker, and always put others first. She was always the one to call me when there was a family crisis. Now, we have another crisis, with Barb as our focus. I know how extremely important Tony and his family are to her, and can only pray that they find peace in knowing the joy they brought her. God has placed her in His loving arms, where she can possibly help in ways we do not understand. My heart is breaking--not just for myself, but for Tony's family, ChrisAnn, Jeff, Craig, and Scott. I love you all dearly. Ronda (Warner) Learned

Ronda Learned - January 03, 2014 at 04:16 PM