



Linda Bock

June 4, 1955 - March 3, 2026

Linda Bock, age 70, passed away on March 3, 2026 surrounded by family at home in Miramar Beach, FL.

Linda was born on June 4th, 1955, to Marvin and Juella Lemmen. She graduated from Hamilton High School in 1973 and Mercy Central School of Nursing in 1975. She married the love of her life, Tom Bock, on August 23rd, 1975. They were married for 50 years. Linda was a nurse for 30 years including 24 years at Holland Hospital in Holland, MI. She worked in labor and delivery, medical-surgical, and the pain clinic. Her professional titles included Nursing Supervisor, Patient Care Coordinator, and House Supervisor. She retired from nursing at the age of 50 and spent 10 years caring for her parents.

Her childhood dream of becoming an artist or interior designer was evident in her life purpose: "I sought to add beauty to the world and fix things to make them better." She volunteered her time to those who could not afford a designer or florist. She was a cooking mentor in Apples of Gold for 10 years. Linda taught a ceramic class for 15 years through Zeeland Community Education. Her love of horses inspired her to volunteer for 15 years with Joni and Friends at Maranatha Bible & Missionary Conference in Norton Shores, MI. Linda's contribution to the Maranatha community will be missed and remembered through the prayer garden she helped create. Her favorite things included: gardening, cooking, family vacations, friends, hospitality, animals,

sewing, decorating, reading, sunshine, and beaches.

Linda's faith was important to her. She wanted to follow Jesus her whole life and participated in Bible Study Fellowship and small groups. Linda sought comfort from childhood fears with the security found in Philippians 4:13, "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Through all phases of life, the good and the hard, she felt God's direction and prompting by clinging to Proverbs 3:5-6, "Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him, and he will make straight your paths." During her year-long battle with cancer, Linda sought refuge in Psalm 91.

When asked about her marriage, Linda described her relationship with Tom as two hands, both left and right. Together, they were project driven and liked to build, fix, remodel, and complete projects for their family and for the betterment of others. They shared a mission of generosity for unmet needs. They shared in the joy of 8 grandchildren as Oma and Papa.

Linda was preceded in death by Marvin and Juella Lemmen. She is survived by a sister, Karen Glupker (Tim), and her husband, Tom Bock. Her children include Jennifer Bock-Nelson (Todd), Heidi Tucker (Michel), Erin Giovannetti (Tony) and Adam Bock (Bre). Her grandchildren include Trevor and Joel Nelson; Ella, Olivia, and Owen Tucker; Kai and Isla Giovannetti; and Jackson Bock.

To view the livestream of the service, please visit <https://www.youtube.com/@maranathabiblemissionaryco5693/streams>

Linda's memorial service is scheduled for 1:00 p.m. Saturday, March 28, 2026, at Maranatha Bible & Missionary Conference Center, 4759 Lake Harbor Rd, Norton Shores, MI 49441. Visitation will be 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Maranatha Bible &

Missionary Conference Center.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 28. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Maranatha Bible & Missionary Conference
4759 Lake Harbor Rd.
Norton Shores, MI 49441

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Linda Bock*



Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes - March 28 at 04:42 PM



“ *Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes created a Linda Bock Memorial Service in memory of Linda Bock*



Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes - March 23 at 11:28 AM



“ *What a beautiful soul she had! Her caring spirit showed in everything she did. She fought hard right to the end and her faith carried her through every step of the way. I wish we could be there to celebrate her life with you tomorrow...., thank-you for the video to be able to watch. Know that we will be keeping you All in our thoughts and prayers and may God's loving arms comfort you along the way. 🙏💕💕*

Linda DeBoer - March 27 at 06:21 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Linda Bock.*



March 26 at 09:50 PM



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

March 26 at 09:50 PM



“ *Tom, I am truly sorry for the loss of your dear Linda. I so enjoyed those years in fellowship and service at First Baptist with you and Linda and your children. Praying for peace for you and family that passes understanding on this earth.*
Kirk Zylstra

Kirk Zylstra - March 26 at 06:12 PM



“ *Summer's Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Linda Bock.*



March 23 at 01:52 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Linda Bock.*



March 23 at 01:11 PM



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

March 23 at 01:11 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Linda Bock.*



March 21 at 08:54 AM



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

March 21 at 08:54 AM



“ *Mark & Carol Stoel purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Linda Bock.*



Mark & Carol Stoel - March 08 at 03:42 PM

JD

“ I remember starting as a Registered Nurse at the pain clinic and Linda was always kind, supportive and helpful through my training and continued employment. She was a pleasure to work with. Jan DeJonge

Janice DeJonge - March 07 at 04:30 PM



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

March 05 at 05:12 PM

AP

“ Andrea Pfeiffer lit a candle in memory of Linda Bock



Andrea Pfeiffer - March 04 at 05:33 PM

LC

I saw the beautiful cross in your front yard today and wanted to share my condolences. 🌸

Lori Carr - March 06 at 04:25 PM

LL

Oh my dear horse partner for Joni and Friends! I will miss you dearly as so many others will! What a wonderful, creative, efficient, beautiful soul ❤️

Lorie Lettinga - March 26 at 10:11 PM