



Linda Susan (Burke) Fread

October 5, 1949 - November 24, 2009

Proverbs 31 and Titus 2 woman who loved Jesus with all her heart, went home to be with her Lord and Savior on November 24, 2009. Preceded in death by her parents, Donald and Mildred Burke. Survived by her husband Paul; children, Stephen (23), Joseph (22), Joshua (20) and Mary (16); brother, Spencer (Chris) Burke. Linda was born in Jackson, Michigan on October 5, 1949. She graduated from Parkside High School in Jackson in 1967. She moved to Ann Arbor, Michigan and worked as a legal secretary. She joined a charismatic Christian community called The Word of God in Ann Arbor in 1970. There she met her husband and they were married December 14, 1985 at First United Methodist Church. They moved to the Twin Cities in 1986. Linda, age 60 of Minneapolis, was a devoted wife and mother who lived a sacrificial life of service to Jesus, her family and others. She worked at Cornerstone Bookstore at North Heights Lutheran Church, Twin Oaks Realty and Luther Hopkins Honda. She had a positive effect on everyone who had the privilege of knowing her. Visitation 4-8PM Thursday, Dec 3 at HOLCOMB-HENRY-BOOM-PURCELL, 515 Hwy 96 at Mackubin, Shoreview (651-482-7606). Funeral service 10AM Friday (visitation at 9AM) at NORTH HEIGHTS, 1700 Hwy 96 at Hwy 10, Arden Hills (Door B). Interment Incarnation Lutheran Cemetery. Memorials preferred to Linda Fread Benefit Fund, TCF Bank, attn Greg Hildebrandt, 4165 Broadway Avenue, Robbinsdale MN 55422.

Tribute Wall

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“ Paul,

God bless you brother. I'm sure this is a tough time for you, perhaps bittersweet now that Linda is not in pain any longer. My heart is with you and the children and I will be lifting you up in prayer. I would like to be there however I am retiring from the University on Friday and starting a new job on Monday. May God's richest blessings rest upon you and the children.

I admire your steadfast faith in this time.

*Your sure friend and brother in Christ,
Jim Burby*

Jim Burby - December 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM