



Lynn M. Sandom

September 9, 1977 - October 29, 2025

Our dearly loved Lynn, age 48, passed away peacefully in the morning of October 29, 2025, after a decade-long and courageous battle with cancer. She was preceded in death by her father, Andrew Battend, and her grandparents, Julia and Ernesto Rivera.

Lynn was a light that naturally drew your attention and warmed the hearts of everyone who had the pleasure of knowing her. Funny and kind, she had an uncanny ability to connect deeply with people-whether lifelong friends or someone she'd just met. She was the friend who showed up, who listened, who always put others' needs ahead of her own. Even from her hospital bed at home in her final weeks, Lynn continued to treat everyone who came to see her as cherished guests. When speech became more difficult, she still found ways to share her gifts-persisting to communicate an observation or gratitude just to make others smile.

Lynn began her professional journey in marketing and advertising, first at Medicus in New York City, where she met the love of her life, Brian, and then at Cline Davis & Mann. The two eventually moved to the Twin Cities, where Brian grew up. Always curious and compassionate, Lynn pursued a new calling in holistic care, earning her Doctorate of Chiropractic from Northwestern Health Sciences University in 2008. Not long after graduation, Lynn and Brian relocated to New Hampshire, where they owned and operated Hollis Family Chiropractic before returning two years later to Minnesota-her now adopted home-where she rediscovered to her marketing acumen. Lynn

joined the team at Gage Marketing and then spent over a decade at Target Corporation, contributing her creativity and leadership to countless projects and colleagues who adored her.

A proud New Jersey native, Lynn attended St. Rose Grammar School in Belmar and graduated from Wall High School in 1995. She earned degrees from the Fashion Institute of Technology (1999) and Georgian Court University (2002) before pursuing her chiropractic studies.

Though Lynn had no children of her own, she had a special gift with kids- loving her niece and nephew, Cambrie and Riley, as if they were her own, and forming cherished bonds with her friends' children and the young ones in her Mackey Avenue neighborhood.

Lynn had an adventurous spirit and loved to travel. She visited Norway many times to spend time with Brian's family and Puerto Rico to connect with her mother's roots. She cherished unforgettable trips to Switzerland, Iceland, Costa Rica, Ireland, London, and Banff (Canada)-each one filled with laughter, beauty, and memories she carried close to her heart.

Lynn is survived by her devoted husband, Brian; her loving mother, Carmen; her brother, Andrew; in-laws Hans and Kathy; brother-in-law, Rob; and beloved niece and nephew, Cambrie and Riley. Further survived by many loving and dear friends. Special thanks to the Frauenshuh Cancer Center and Park Nicollet Hospice Care teams, the Mackey Avenue crew (best block ever), and her close friends/caregivers, Lisa Musto and Nicole Weber.

Lynn will be remembered for her humor, generosity, and radiant spirit-a shining soul who made every space brighter simply by being in it.

Those who knew Lynn are invited to attend a celebration service in the historic Memorial Chapel at Lakewood Cemetery (3600 Hennepin Ave, Minneapolis, MN 55408) on Friday, November 21st at 1pm, followed by a lunch reception onsite. Visitation hour will proceed service beginning at Noon.: For those unable to attend, the memorial service will be live-streamed and recorded, available at the following web link: <https://vimeo.com/event/5513797?fl=so&fe=fs>

While flowers are welcome, if you'd prefer to make a donation in her honor, please consider these organizations close to Lynn's heart:

Frauenshuh Cancer Center: <https://www.healthpartners.com/care/specialty-centers/frauenshuh-cancer-center/donate/>)

Metavivor: <https://metavivor.org/give/donate-now/>

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **21**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Lakewood Memorial Chapel
3600 Hennepin Avenue South
Minneapolis, MN 55408

Memorial Service

NOV **21**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

PB

“ Brian, I just learned of Lynn's passing. I never met her, but I am incredibly sorry for your loss. -Pete Bissinger

Peter Bissinger - February 16 at 10:43 AM

JU

“ Lynn was my best friend, and the best neighbour. I miss her. I am still sad and lost.

judson - February 05 at 03:07 PM

MW

“ Megan Clapp and Bill warren planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lynn M. Sandom.

Megan Clapp and Bill warren - November 21, 2025 at 08:39 AM

MW

“ Megan Clapp and Bill warren purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Lynn M. Sandom.



Megan Clapp and Bill warren - November 21, 2025 at 08:39 AM

LP

“ Lara and Jeremy Pischke planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lynn M. Sandom.

Lara and Jeremy Pischke - November 21, 2025 at 06:13 AM

LP

“ *Lara and Jeremy Pischke purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Lynn M. Sandom.*



Lara and Jeremy Pischke - November 21, 2025 at 06:13 AM

PG

“ *<https://youtu.be/YOn0UOoqyRw?si=loyf78nenyebPqe9>*

Priscilla G - November 20, 2025 at 11:54 PM

HJ

“ *Hans and Kathy, Rob, Cambrie, Riley, Jen planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lynn M. Sandom.*

Hans and Kathy, Rob, Cambrie, Riley, Jen - November 20, 2025 at 01:15 AM

HJ

“ *Hans and Kathy, Rob, Cambrie, Riley, Jen purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Lynn M. Sandom.*



Hans and Kathy, Rob, Cambrie, Riley, Jen - November 20, 2025 at 01:15 AM

FB

“ From your friends at Best Buy purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Lynn M. Sandom.



From your friends at Best Buy - November 19, 2025 at 11:23 AM

TF

“ The Dixen Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lynn M. Sandom.

The Dixen Family - November 19, 2025 at 12:05 AM

TF

“ The Dixen Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Lynn M. Sandom.



The Dixen Family - November 19, 2025 at 12:05 AM

MS

“ Brian - I am praying for you and for all of Lynn's family and friends. I am saddened to hear of Lynn's passing. You have been in my thoughts and will continue to be. May you find peace and comfort.
Love, Maureen Spence

Maureen Spence - November 18, 2025 at 09:12 PM



“ Lynn was beautiful inside and out. She will truly be missed. Cherish all the memories! Love, Joe & Rochelle

Rochelle Giuliani - November 13, 2025 at 09:50 AM



“ From Lynn's Target Marketing friends planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lynn M. Sandom.

From Lynn's Target Marketing friends - November 12, 2025 at 02:42 PM



“ Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Lynn M. Sandom.



November 12, 2025 at 02:42 PM



“ Skomsoyvog Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Lynn M. Sandom.



Skomsoyvog Family - November 09, 2025 at 01:39 PM

JG

“Lynn, such a bright light in everyones life. Always upbeat and caring about everyone else, even while battling her illness. She will be missed each and every day. Love you Lynn, Rest in Peace. Aunt Judy & Uncle Tim

Judy & Tim Giuliani - November 05, 2025 at 06:46 PM