



Linda Louise Everson Welsh

November 24, 1946 - May 7, 2026

Linda Louise Everson Welsh, age 79, passed away on Thursday May 7, 2026, in Bend, Oregon, surrounded by family with all four of her sons by her side. Linda was born on November 24, 1946, in Langdon, North Dakota. She was a loving mother to Juan (Colleen) of Eugene Oregon, Brian (Shawn) of Sisters Oregon, Doug (Stacy) of Bend Oregon, and Chris (Angela) of Moretown Vermont. She was also a proud grandmother to Duncan, Iris, Jordan, Teagen, Will, Micah, and Josie. She was the beloved daughter of Harry and Marie Everson and grew up in a large and loving family alongside her siblings Larry, Dennis, Mary Jane, Jim, Greg, Kelly, Randy, Tim, Patty, and Pam. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her three siblings, Larry, Pam, and Jim.

Above all else, Linda was devoted to her family. Nothing brought her more happiness than spending time with her sons and grandchildren. Holidays were especially meaningful to her, and she made every gathering feel warm, welcoming, and full of love. She enjoyed making lefse and playing tripoly with her grandchildren as well as sipping wine while visiting with her sons. Her unwavering love for her family will continue to live on in the memories and traditions she created.

Linda spent 25 years working in the insurance industry, working her way up to Vice President. She then continued her passion for helping others through her

work with the Central Oregon Council on Aging. She was known for her caring nature, generosity, and determination. She loved traveling and especially enjoyed her trips to the Oregon coast.

Linda will be remembered not only for what she did, but for how she made people feel cared for, supported, and loved. Her family takes comfort in knowing she was surrounded by love in her final moments, just as she surrounded others with love throughout her life.

Private family services will be held.

Niswonger-Reynolds Funeral Home was honored to handle the arrangements.