



## Linda Kay "Gigi" Bergin

August 27, 1953 - January 22, 2026

Linda Kay "Gigi" Bergin, 72, passed away peacefully on January 22, 2026, in Independence, Missouri. Born on August 27, 1953, in Englewood, California, Linda lived a life marked by strength, passion, and an unforgettable spirit.

Linda was known for her vibrant personality and sharp intellect. She built a successful career as a recruiter before her retirement—a role in which she thrived and made lasting impressions on colleagues and clients alike. Her professional accomplishments were matched only by her devotion to her family and the deep love she shared with those closest to her.

She was a beloved mother to Andrea Lang and David Henderson, and a cherished mother-in-law to Jim Lang and Nancy Henderson. Linda also embraced her role as a stepmother to Tammy Fivecoat and Terry Fetters. Her grandchildren—Jimmie, Jackie, David, Jesse, Miles, and Levi—were the light of her life. Known affectionately as "Gigi," she poured her heart into every moment spent with them.

Linda is also remembered by her siblings: brother Michael Shoemaker and sister Lisa Baker. She now joins in rest her brother Eric Shoemaker and mother Barbara Shoemaker.

Faith played an important role in Linda's life. She found peace through her

relationship with God and found joy in daily devotional gatherings that nurtured both her spirit and community.

Those who knew Linda will remember her as one of a kind—a truly lovely lady whose presence left an indelible mark. Her strength was matched by warmth; her intelligence by compassion. She was deeply loved as a mother, grandmother, sister, and friend—and she will be profoundly missed.

May her memory bring comfort to all who knew and loved her.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Linda was a beautiful woman I was blessed to know. She was one of the ladies in a Bible study we have had for some years now. We started in a home for ladies that were displaced for awhile and we continued to meet on chat line through Covid and are still meeting , though our group is down to 3. Danielle, Sabrinia and I ( Becky) shared laughter, tears, encouragement and prayers, and God’s word together. We love you Linda💕💕 No more pain 😊We will miss you until we see you again!

Becky - January 31 at 04:43 PM



“ SISTER LINDA AND I ATTENDED THE SAME CHURCH. I AIM GOING TO MISS HER FRIENDLY SMILE. ❤️

Terri Miranda - January 29 at 06:35 AM