



## Lynda Jo Knudson

July 2, 1959 - November 2, 2021

Lynda Jo Knudson, 62, Glendive, MT, formerly of Minot, ND, passed away Tuesday, November 2, 2021, at Glendive Medical Center Extended Care in Glendive, Montana.

Lynda was born July 2, 1959, to Andrew and Ardyce (Thorstenson) Knudson in Minot, North Dakota. She was an exceptionally beautiful baby, with three rambunctious older brothers. They all grew up in a chipper yellow house on Hillcrest Drive. She graduated from Minot High School in 1978.

A hard worker and dedicated employee, Lynda spent more than 20 years working in the dining room at the base with the help of the vocational workshop and later CW Resources. She took a great deal of pride in her work and in 2007 was recognized as “Best of the Best” by North Dakota APSE Network on Employment.

Lynda’s social network was enormous. She was easily the most gregarious Knudson and a card-carrying member of the Minot Social Club for Exceptional Persons (2nd Story). She spent countless hours there among her friends, shooting pool and staying up to date on all the gossip.

She was fantastic with names, always had the scoop and never let anyone she knew out of her sight without saying hi. Lynda’s genuine enthusiasm

made friends, family and casual acquaintances feel like celebrities when she excitedly greeted them and inevitably went in for a hug.

Though a social butterfly, Lynda loved living alone in her own apartment. She hosted her brother, Kim and sister-in-law, Barb often and adored babysitting their dog, Sadie. While living on North Hill she took up walking and covered a lot of ground going between Caribou, her brother, Dave and sister-in-law Jean's house, and back home again (not a small loop).

Lynda was a loving aunt to Bill, Heidi, Kayla, Amy and Kylee. She was the only one who could tell Kayla and Amy apart on the phone and recently let Heidi know how cute she thought her husband is. She served as the family source of news and never forgot anyone's birthday; she had them all committed to memory. She will be missed terribly.

Lynda's loving family includes: brother, Kim (Barbara) Knudson; sister-in-law, Jean Knudson; nephew and nieces, Bill (Aimee) Knudson, Heidi (Craig) Davey, Kayla Knudson (Matt Christiansen), Amy Knudson (Dan Hinman); numerous great nieces, great nephews, and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents; and brothers, Gary and David.

Funeral: Tuesday, November 9, 2021, at 10:00 am at Thompson-Larson Funeral Home Chapel, Minot.

Interment: Rosehill Memorial Park, Minot, ND.

Visitation: Tuesday one hour prior to the service at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made in Lynda's name to The 2nd Story of Minot. <https://www.secondstoryclub.com/>

The service will be livestreamed for the public to view and can be accessed by

going to the Thompson-Larson Funeral home website: [www.thompsonlarson.com](http://www.thompsonlarson.com)

Those wishing to sign the online register and share memories may access the online obituaries section at ([www.thompsonlarson.com](http://www.thompsonlarson.com)).

# Cemetery Details

## Rosehill Memorial Park

Minot, ND

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 9. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM.

Thompson-Larson Funeral Home

## Funeral

NOV 9. 10:00 AM.

Thompson-Larson Funeral Home Chapel

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lynda Jo Knudson*

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December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ *Bob & Dixie Justice lit a candle in memory of  
Lynda Jo Knudson*



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**Bob & Dixie Justice** - November 08, 2021 at 04:20 PM