



Mrs. Linda I. Pickering

August 4, 1950 - June 17, 2021

Linda I. Pickering, “Gram”, 70, of Burke passed away Thursday, June 17, 2021 peacefully in her home surrounded by family.

Born on Aug. 4, 1950 in Malone, NY, she was the daughter of John and Beatrice (Vaincourt) Soucia.

She was married to Wesley “Wes” Pickering on March 24, 1979 in Moira. He predeceased her on Oct. 31, 2016.

Linda attended Chateaugay Central School. She received an associate’s degree from North Country Community College and a bachelor’s degree from Plattsburgh State University. She was employed by New York State Corrections as a substance abuse counselor. Linda had a passion for family like no other and was known as Gram by many.

She is survived by four children, Robin Merrill and his companion, Lynn Dailey, John Merrill, Charlene Brady and her husband, Scott, Marvin Merrill and his wife, Christine; seven grandchildren, Justin Corcoran, Cecilia Merrill and her companion, Chad Covey, Jacob Merrill, Bryant Merrill and his companion, Felicia Farrell, Kayleigh Merrill, Wyatt Merrill, Brooke Merrill; five great-grandchildren, Pal Covey, Taylor Corcoran, Fyn Covey, Blossom Covey, Felix Farrell; two sisters and brothers-in-law, Sally and Herbie Barton, Poppy and Pete Gagung.

Besides her husband, she was predeceased by her parents, two brothers, David and Donald Soucia.

Calling hours will be held at the Chateaugay Funeral Home on Saturday, June

26 from 9 to 10:45 a.m. A Mass of Christian Burial will follow at 11:00 a.m. at St. Patrick's Church, Chateaugay.

Burial will take place at St. Francis Cemetery, Constable.

Donations in her memory may be made to Burke Fire Dept.

Cemetery Details

St. Francis of Assisi Cemetery

Constable, NY

Previous Events

Calling Hours

JUN **26**. 9:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

Chateaugay Funeral Home
36 Church Street
Chateaugay, NY 12920
(518) 497-6781
hwilcox2@twcny.rr.com
<https://www.chateaugayfuneralhome.com/>

Mass of Christian Burial

JUN **26**. 11:00 AM (ET)

St Patrick's Church
132 W Main St
Chateaugay, NY 12920-6013
(518) 497-6673

Tribute Wall



“ *Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mrs. Linda I. Pickering.*



June 25, 2021 at 03:20 PM



“ *Linda will always hold a special place in my heart. We were there for each other and helped one another through some difficult times but also wonderful times. I will miss you my friend, I hope you dance. Deepest condolences to her family whom she loved and cherished.*

Donna (Armstrong) Sisto - June 25, 2021 at 10:46 AM



“ *Olivia Bailey & Family purchased the Multicolor Bright Sympathy Basket for the family of Mrs. Linda I. Pickering.*



Olivia Bailey & Family - June 24, 2021 at 03:25 PM



“ *I have many fond memories of working with Linda at Franklin. She was not only a co-worker but a friend. My thoughts and prayers go out to all of the family.*

Lynne Durant

Lynne Durant - June 23, 2021 at 09:35 PM

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“ *My thought and prayers are with each of you during this difficult time.*

Carmon D. Rust - June 22, 2021 at 08:27 PM

DB

Our prayers and condolences go out to all of your family. God bless.

Debbie Brown - June 23, 2021 at 11:39 AM

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Sending Prayers to the family of Linda may she rest in peace and God Bless Y'all Marvin E Merrill

Marvin E. Merrill - June 25, 2021 at 03:18 PM



“ *Healing Tears - Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Mrs. Linda I. Pickering.*



June 21, 2021 at 09:17 PM



“ *Pink & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Linda I. Pickering.*



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