



## Sandra June Lindholm

September 16, 1948 - October 1, 2019

Sandra June (Rice) Lindholm, age 71, of Richland Center, formerly of Mineral Point, WI, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, October 1, 2019, with her loving daughter Tamara by her side at Pine Valley Community Village in Richland Center. Sandee was born on September 16, 1948, in Dodgeville, WI, the daughter of Douglas and Helen (Helms) Rice. She grew up in Wauzeka, WI, with her siblings – graduating June of 1966. She married Gerald Lang June of 1967; together they had a daughter Tamara Marie. Tamara was the light of Sandee’s life! Sandee worked for Central Wisconsin Center later transferring to UW Clinics & Hospitals for over 35 years. Sandra & Gerald divorced in 1978.

In 1983 Sandee met Rudy Lindholm and in December of 1989 they married. Together they farmed and raised their children. She continued to work at UW Clinics & Hospital until retirement in 2003. Sandee and Rudy enjoyed taking fun trips and adventures –favorite Alaska Trip.

Survivors include her daughter, Tamara Marie (Perry) Adams; grandson Alan (Jenn) Adams, their children Kalan, Brynn, Emersyn & baby due in March; 3 step children, Carolyn (Kevin) Butteris, Tom (Angie) Lindholm, Tim (Amy) Lindholm; 8 step grandchildren, Derrick (Jamison) Pfaff, Brandon (friend Michelle) Butteris, Brittany (Patrick) Loeffelholz, Brook (friend Ben) Butteris, Clarissa (friend Richie) Lindholm, Blake Butteris, Kayla (friend Luke) Cody,

Caden Lindholm; 8 step great grandchildren Aaron Pfaff, Kadence and Maylee Butteris, Treaton, Trinity, and Taytum Loeffelholz, RaeLynn Aide and Dekynn Butteris; 2 brothers, Ron (Chris) Rice, Rick (Mary) Rice; a sister, Deb (Linda) Rice; special niece Marissa (Daryl) Whitney their children Jonathan, Joey, & Jensen; special nephew Tyler Rice along with many nieces, nephews, other relatives & friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband Rudy Lindholm; a sister Marge Rice; twin granddaughters Skyler & Rose Adams.

Per Sandra's wishes no formal funeral services will be held. The Clary Memorial Funeral & Cremation Service assisted the family with arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

DM

“ Sandee and I worked together at the UW Pathology Department. She taught me the ropes of the lab and was a dear friend. She made sure every patient was treated like family.

I remember Sandee's long van ride to work (ugh) and her working on the farm.

After she retired, we talked via Facebook, mostly about my grandkids, hunting and farm life, We had many retired friends in common so in our conversations we would always update each other as to what was happening in our lives and our friends. We had many laughs and memories.

.She loved to read and we exchanged good books.

I will miss her farming advice since I am new to the farming world. Most of all I will miss her kind heart and sweet smile. She was a good person and helped others. She made a difference in my life. I am sad she has left us but am sure Rudy and heaven is glad to have her.

Tami, Perry, Deb, and the rest of the family I am sorry for the loss of this wonderful lady.

I was blessed to have Sandee as a friend for 18 years. Thank you for sharing her with me.

Debbie Martin



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**Debbie Martin** - October 03, 2019 at 03:13 PM

DT

“ My sympathy to Sandee's family. I went to church with her at the Methodist Church in Mineral Point and am friends with her step-granddaughter, Kayla Lindholm. I knew her as a very nice jovial person and a very nice loving grandma to her grandkids.

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**Donna Toay** - October 03, 2019 at 10:50 AM

SW

“ I met Sandee 3 years ago during a trip to Wisconsin. She was my daughter's grandmother-in-law. I enjoyed getting to know Sandee and the rest of the family. She was so very warm and welcoming to me. She absolutely **ADORED** our mutual grandson, Aaron. I wish I could have known her even better. She was so good to my daughter and her little family. We'll love and miss you dear Sandee. Rest in peace.

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**Shannon Ward** - October 01, 2019 at 11:09 PM

TA

Thank you Shannon I know how much she love Aaron and Jamie. She miss them all very much. But she really love the video of the sweet one's.

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**Tamara Adams** - October 02, 2019 at 07:07 PM

SW

I'm so glad. I tried to keep her up to date with Aaron's pictures. I promise that he will know her as he grows up. Peace and love to you.

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**Shannon Ward** - October 02, 2019 at 07:17 PM

  
Joyce  
Laverty

I always enjoyed the phone calls with her. She always tried to attend as many Helms events as she could. I really appreciated seeing her during our lunches. Sympathy to all of you. She will be missed.  
Joyce Helms Laverty

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**Joyce Laverty** - October 02, 2019 at 07:22 PM

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*Sandee and I were classmates from elementary school through high school. Even though we lived most of our adult lives less than 40 miles apart we lost touch until Facebook started. We would chat whenever someone we had in common would have a milestone event that was brought to our attention. Ultimately we discovered we were on opposite sides of the political spectrum which made for many a spirited conversation. She many times would end our sparing session with the words "even though we disagree, doesn't mean we can't be friends." I will miss our sparing sessions, but most of all will miss an old friend.*

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**Gary Hazen** - October 03, 2019 at 10:06 AM



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**JaneandWayne On Meadowlane** - October 29, 2019 at 12:31 PM