



Linda Shelton

December 11, 1941 - July 4, 2020

Linda Laura Brodsgaard Shelton, 78, of El Campo, Texas passed away on July 4, 2020, in Citizens Hospital, Victoria. She was born on December 11, 1941, in El Campo to Johnny and Helena Berndt Brodsgaard and raised in Danevang by Helena and her second husband, Leonard Lauritsen.

Linda graduated from El Campo High School and then attended the Massey Business School in Houston and the University of Texas in Austin. After a successful business career, she retired from the University of Texas Health Science Center in Houston as the Development Director of the Medical Center. In her later years, she loved gardening and had a special affection for her pets, especially her cats. Linda was a sweet gentle soul, never complaining about her ill health. She loved her family dearly and was loved by all who knew her.

She was preceded in death by her parents and husband, Clough Shelton III.

Survivors include her sons, Eli Ofenstein and wife Jennifer of Austin and Archie Ofenstein and wife Caroline of Salida, Colorado and three grandchildren, Gareth Ofenstein, Elena Ofenstein and Autumn Ofenstein. She is also survived by her sister Carolyn Lauritsen Mitchell of El Campo and brothers, Paul Brodsgaard and wife Bobbie of Muldoon, Texas and Mark Lauritsen and wife Janet of Cypress, Texas. Several nieces and nephews also

survive her.

A private graveside service will be held at a later date with interment at the Danevang Lutheran Cemetery.

Memorials can be made to the Danish Heritage Preservation Society, P O. Box 368, Danevang, Texas 77432; the Danevang Lutheran Church, P. O. Box 246, Danevang, Texas 77432; the Danevang Lutheran Cemetery, P. O. Box 366, Danevang Texas 77432; PBS, pbs.org or a charity of your choice.

Arrangements are under the direction of Triska Funeral Home in El Campo.

Tribute Wall

KA

“ *Kari lit a candle in memory of Linda Shelton*



kari - August 26, 2020 at 05:12 AM

KA

*I'll miss you
I'll miss talking to you at Wincrest*

kari - August 26, 2020 at 05:12 AM

MC

“ *Thoughts and prayers go out to her family. She was a sweet and loving soul. We enjoyed our visits with her and Clough & going to the theatre with them in Houston.*

Mary & Nolan Chambless

Mary Chambless - July 09, 2020 at 10:38 AM

PV

“ *Pam Vesely lit a candle in memory of Linda Shelton*



Pam Vesely - July 08, 2020 at 02:28 PM

MB

“ Linda and I became close after her and Clough moved back to El Campo. Several of their trips out of town, she asked my son Jay to tend her cats. She said she and Jay became soul mates due to their love of pets. She never failed to ask about Jay when she came into the salon for her cuts. She always had a smile on her face. Her life was full and well lived. I am blessed she was my special friend. Her journey was not one she chose, but she completed it with grace and strength.

Toodie Brady

Maureen Brady - July 06, 2020 at 06:04 PM

PD

“ Patricia Dybala lit a candle in memory of Linda Shelton



Patricia Dybala - July 05, 2020 at 07:08 PM