



Linda J. Updike

August 13, 1949 - May 28, 2026

Frankfort - Linda J Updike, 76, passed away May 28, 2026, at home surrounded by her family after a long battle with dementia. A gathering of family and friends will be held at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home from 3:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. on Friday, June 5, 2026.

She was born in Frankfort, KY at Kings Daughters' Hospital on August 13, 1949. She was the daughter of the late William. A. Hunter and Edna Mae Hunter. She was a graduated of Franklin County High School and attended First Assembly of God for 45+ years.

Lovingly known as "Nene" by her grandchildren, she is survived by her husband of 55 years, Claytons Updike; 2 daughters, Tammy Fint (Robert) and Melinda Smith (Jeff) and a son, Timothy Updike; 3 grandchildren, Alexis Fint Ethington (Matthew), Zachary Smith (Lizz), and Miranda Smith Webster (Noah); 3 great-grandchildren, Adalynn, Blade and Carleigh. She is also survived by 3 nephews.

In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by her sister, Martha Jude and a nephew, Michael Gene Hunter, Sr.

The family wishes to express their sincere gratitude to Katie Meador for her exceptional kindness, patience and support shown to Linda "Nene" during her illness and never leaving her side in her final moments.

Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home & Crematory.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Memorial Gardens

3250 Versailles Road
Versailles, KY

Previous Events

Gathering of Family and Friends

JUN 5. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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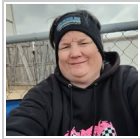
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Harrod Brothers Funeral Home - June 03 at 11:20 AM



“ Prayers for the family ”



Lisa Wilhoite - June 01 at 08:12 PM



“ Missy Clark lit a candle in memory of Linda J. Updike ”



Missy Clark - June 01 at 10:14 AM