



Linda L. Talmadge

October 12, 1941 - December 18, 2025

Franklin - Linda L. Talmadge, age 84, of Franklin passed away on Thursday, December 18, 2025 at Complete Care at Milford Manor in West Milford, New Jersey after a brief illness.

Linda was born on October 12, 1941, daughter of the late Harold and Mattie (Stephens) Runnalls of Hamburg. She was a lifelong resident of the Franklin area.

In addition to her parents, Linda was predeceased by her son, Ronald; her daughter, Kathryn; her grandson, Travis Smith; her sisters, Doris Schetting and Sharon Biller, and her brother, Ronald Runnalls.

Linda is survived by her loving husband of 67 years, William her brother, Charles Runnalls and his significant other Beverly Garreau of Franklin, her daughter, Cheryl Talmadge of Phoenix, AZ; her son, William Talmadge and his fiancé Linda Loughin of Clifton Heights, PA; her former daughter-in-law, Yolanda Morano and her husband Michael of Wantage; her grandchildren, Kristopher Talmadge and his wife Jacquelyn of Vernon, William Talmadge and his significant other Samantha Piper of Vernon, Michele Gandy and her husband David of Quakertown, PA, and Cassandra Talmadge and her significant other Kevin Bartos of Ferndale WA; and her four great-grandchildren; Emily Talmadge, Amelia and Lily Gandy, and Kane Talmadge. She will always be remembered for her snicker doodles, chocolate-chocolate chip cookies, cinnamon rings and especially; her homemade black-cap jelly. Friends are invited to pay their respects to the family on Tuesday, December

23, 2025 from 11 a.m. to 12 noon at the Pinkel Funeral Home, 31 Bank Street (Route 23), Sussex with funeral services at 12 noon. Interment will immediately follow at North Hardyston Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please consider a memorial donation in Linda's memory to the Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 758516, Topeka, Kansas 66675-8516.

Cemetery Details

North Hardyston Cemetery

Route 94
Hardyston, NJ 07419

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **23**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Service

DEC **23**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I remember Aunt Linda come over on Sunday to Aunt Bernice with that coffee round to visit, it was so good. Aunt Linda was always so nice to everyone. I shore she will be missed by Family.

Debra Talmadge - December 20, 2025 at 09:02 AM