



Sandra Lavintman

Jul. 01, 1939 ~ May 11, 2025

With a heart full of cherished memories and a spirit touched by her love, we announce the passing of Sandra Lavintman on May 11, 2025. Born Sandra Lee Vermes on July 1, 1939, in Minneapolis, MN, she filled her 85 years with an unyielding love for her family, an adventurous spirit, and a zest for life that was as contagious as her radiant smile. As Ralph Waldo Emerson once said, "It's not the length of life, but the depth of life," and Sandra's depth was immeasurable. Known as 'Sandy' to her friends, she lived a life of purpose and joy, wholly devoted to nurturing her family and building a home filled with warmth and laughter.

Sandra is survived by her devoted sons; Mark (Tamara) Lange, and Gary Lange and Fiancé Jennifer Snyder; her cherished grandchildren, Jacob Lange, Joseph Lange, Briana Cole, Justine Lange, Cody Kleinsteuber, Casey Kleinsteuber, Charlie Kleinsteuber, Chloe Kleinsteuber; and her precious great-grandchildren, Kennedy Cole and Scottie Cole. She was a beacon of unwavering love and support, a testament to the power of a mother's love. Sandra's journey to eternity was preceded by her beloved husband, Arthur Lavintman; her loving parents, Harry and Frances Vermes; her brother Sheldon Vermes; and her daughter, Dana (Chaz) Kleinsteuber.

Sandra's love for travel took her to many fascinating places, with Palm Springs, CA holding a special place in her heart. She loved the camaraderie of playing golf, Mahjong, and cards with her friends, finding joy in the simple pleasures of life. Her absence will be deeply felt, but her spirit will continue to inspire us, her love will continue to embrace us, and her memories will forever be etched in our hearts. As we remember and honor Sandra's life, we invite you to share your memories, stories, and photographs on her memorial page.

The world was indeed a better place for having Sandra in it. As we bid her a heartfelt farewell. Let us remember the words of Dr. Seuss, "Don't cry because it's over, smile because it happened." Sandra happened to us, and for that, we will forever be grateful