



## Lorinda Tyler-Pohontsch

April 10, 1973 - November 24, 2015

Lorinda Pohontsch, 1973-2015

Resided in Orem, UT

In the early morning of November 24, 2015, Lorinda Pohontsch passed away at the Utah Valley Regional Center in Provo, UT as a result of a short but intense battle with a viral infection. She was 42 years old.

Lorinda was born in Portsmouth, VA on April 10, 1973 at 8:17 AM. She was the second child of the Navy officer John M. Tyler and his wife Virginia H. Somerville.

Lorinda had no memories on her early time in Virginia. She called Star Valley, WY her stomping ground. This is where her family moved after her father retired from the military. At that time she was in the 3rd grade. She really loved growing up on the dairy farm of her grandparents, May Lou and Daryl Brown, and experienced the true life of a country girl.

Lorinda loved cooking, baking, gardening, and everything else that had to do with a life at home. Playing board games with friends and relatives was one of her favorite activities. She worked in a call center, was a medical coder, and lastly, became a certified aroma therapist. She studied the old way of healing by implementing natural oils into her massage therapy sessions. Lilies were her favorite flowers and little Buster her favorite dog.

Lorinda really loved spending time with books, especially everything written by the author Anita Stansfield. LDS-fiction was not the only type of literature you could find on her nightstand. Often there were found several books with writings contributed to the biblical Abraham, Enoch, and other prophets of old. Lorinda had a strong testimony of Jesus Christ, His infinitive love, and the gospel He taught.

After a few unsuccessful attempts to find the partner for life and all eternity she imported one from Germany, as she used to say. She and Milan were sealed in the Salt Lake

Temple. Lorinda is preceded in death by her father John, and is survived by her loving husband Milan, her children Aaron, Robyn, and Jarom, as well as her mother Virginia. Her immediate family are her siblings Daniel (with his wife Bridget), Hilary (with her husband George), Paul (with his wife Shizuka), and Jennifer (with her husband Jonathan). Her nieces and nephews are: William, Cailey, Maile, Krystalynn, Kaydee, Kiarra, Hannah, Edward, and Mary Lou. A deep and trusting friendship Lorinda developed with her aunt JoAnn, in whom she saw a big sister rather than an aunt. Many other people called her a friend, and close friends called her a sister.

The family wants to thank Lorinda's primary care physician Dr. Karyn Springer, the personnel of the Utah Valley Regional Center in Provo, the personnel of the Utah Valley Mortuary, and the many ward members and friends that were always there when they were needed.

Funeral Services for Lorinda will be held Monday, November 30th, at 10 am, at the Geneva Heights Stake Center, 546 North 500 West, Orem, Utah, where a Viewing will be held prior from 9:00 am to 9:45 am. Interment in Orem City Cemetery, 1520 North 800 East, Orem, Utah.

Funeral Directors: Utah Valley Mortuary.

# Cemetery

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## Orem City Cemetery

1520 North 800 East  
Orem, UT, 84097

# Events

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**NOV** **Viewing** 09:00AM - 09:45AM

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Geneva Heights Stake Center  
546 North 500 West, Orem, UT, US, 84057

**NOV** **Funeral Service** 10:00AM - 11:00AM

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Geneva Heights Stake Center  
546 North 500 West, Orem, UT, US, 84057

# Comments

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“ My mom was one of the best listeners I have ever known. I would also tell her about whatever girl situation I was in and she would give me the best advice. I am very grateful my mom taught me proper manners when it comes to girls (i.e opening doors for them and such) because without her I would probably never land a second date :) One of my favorite memories with mom was our trip to Yellowstone. I remember camping and it started raining one day when we were there and the tent was leaking water so we had to throw all sorts of tarps over the tent so it wouldn't get everything soaked. Man it was so crazy. The second memory I have on that trip was going boating with the family. When we were out and cruising around the lake the motor kept coming out of the water and looking back now I am pretty sure we were suppose to lock the motor down that way it wouldn't come out of the water but it makes me laugh looking back now. My mom was amazing and I know she is so happy right now and can't wait to see us again. LOVE YOU MOM XOXO

Jarom - November 30, 2015 at 11:40 PM

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“ vom Herzen nur das beste, wir sehen uns in einer besseren Welt wieder, und dir Milan alle Kraft der Welt



Zvonimir Brajkovic - November 30, 2015 at 01:51 AM

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Milan Pohontsch - November 27, 2015 at 02:22 PM

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“ My heart aches for Milan and her family. What a great family. I am grateful for their spirit and testimony that they have shared with me. Always a blessing to be in their home. Lorinda's thoughtfulness and caring has reached me and our family many times. Hopefully I can return the favor. You will be missed.

**Spencer Folkman** - November 26, 2015 at 11:34 AM

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“ Lorinda is my sister-friend. We had deeply meaningful conversations about family, forgiveness, love, and the Plan of Salvation. Although I was assigned to be her Visiting Teacher, I would have continued to serve her and learn from her the rest of my life. I miss you and look forward to our next hello hug.

**Tonya Silva** - November 26, 2015 at 11:07 AM

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“ Lorinda was my first \*real\* visiting teacher, the first visiting teacher by whom I felt truly loved and understood. She came over regularly, usually with food, and always with a deep love for the gospel. We had the most wonderful conversations about scripture, and though we spoke 'different languages' in many ways, it was such a testimony to me that we somehow came to the same truths about the gospel by very different roads. She was so deeply spiritual, so deeply loving, and exactly the visiting teacher I needed for my first few years of married life and motherhood. I absolutely \*adore\* this woman, and because of her faith and service, she will remain a vital part of my life story. Thank you, thank you, Lorinda, for teaching me what a woman of God can be. Many blessings on your journey.

- Kim Berkey

**Kim Berkey** - November 26, 2015 at 08:08 AM

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“ You were always there when i jeeded to talk about anything. I will always love you and be grateful that you were mt sister,friend, mentor, and sometimes even a mother.



**Jenny** - November 25, 2015 at 06:18 PM

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“ My dearest sister I will miss you all to much

**dan** - November 25, 2015 at 05:19 PM

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**Utah Valley Mortuary** - November 25, 2015 at 10:53 AM



“ To my wonderful niece. She was brave and couageous.. Always thinking of others. Kind loving. Family always number one. She had an amacing testimony of Jesus Christ. Loved her Heavenly Father. She and Uncle Mark had a special bond. We will miss you sweetheart.

**Peggy Austin** - November 25, 2015 at 08:07 PM



“ Liebe Lorinda mögest du Jetzt ohne Schmerzen im celestialem Himmelreich sein mit der Gewissheit das wir uns da bald alle Wiedersehen  
Vermisse dich sehr  
Dem Milan alle Kraft der Welt

**zvonimir** - November 25, 2015 at 11:37 PM



“ My sincerest condolences and deepest sympathies to your family. Such a tragic loss gratefully tempered with the eternal hope of a joyous reunion.  
Katie Ledbetter

**Katie Ledbetter** - November 26, 2015 at 12:36 PM



“ I loved Lori so much and treasured her friendship. I love your entire family and am so grateful to be part of your family. May we all be as wonderful, caring, loving, spiritual, etc. as Lori was. God be with you until we meet again.

**J'Lene** - December 05, 2015 at 09:06 AM



“ Dieses Schicksal und der Verlust sind unbeschreiblich und kaum in Worte zu fassen. Vielleicht trösten Dich, lieber Milan, die Worte von Joh. Wolfgang v. Goethe ein wenig: "Was man tief in seinem Herzen besitzt, kann man nicht durch den Tod verlieren."

**Centa Dillinger** - December 21, 2015 at 02:43 PM