



Pham Thi Lien

August 16, 1934 - February 26, 2026

Pham Thi Lien, of Webster Groves, Missouri, passed away February 26, 2026 at the age of 91. She was born on August 16, 1934 in Hai Duong, Vietnam to Pham Van Tam and Nguyen Thi Hung, who have preceded her in death.

Loving wife of the late Thanh Nguyen; devoted mother of Thang Nguyen (Thuy Pham), Loi Vo (Thanh Vo), Binh Nguyen (Khiem Nguyen), Trang Nguyen, Hoang Nguyen (Susie Nguyen), Hang Trinh (My Trinh), Huyen-Nga Vo (Si Vo), and Anh-Tuan Nguyen; cherished grandmother and great grandmother.

Pham Thi Lien, a devoted mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and friend, passed away surrounded by the love of her family. Born in Hai Duong, North Vietnam, she lived a life defined by sacrifice, resilience, and unwavering love for her children.

In 1954, during the division of Vietnam, Lien made the courageous decision to leave her homeland in North Vietnam and migrate south with her first child. In the years that followed, she and her husband, who served in the military, built their family together. She became the proud mother of eight children — four sons and four daughters — dedicating her life wholeheartedly to their care and well-being.

In 1975, amid great uncertainty, Lien once again demonstrated extraordinary strength by leaving Vietnam and immigrating to the United States with her family. In a new country, she continued to do what she had always done best: love fiercely, work tirelessly, and put her family first. As a housewife and mother, she sacrificed endlessly so her children could have opportunities she never had.

Lien found joy in life's simple pleasures. She loved sewing and knitting, often creating beautiful handmade items for her family. Her kitchen was a place of warmth, where meals were prepared with care and served with love. She took pride in keeping a clean and welcoming home. In her later years, she enjoyed aerobics, trips to the casino, and shopping — one of her favorite pastimes. She delighted in makeup, getting her nails done, and feeling her best at any age.

Her greatest joy was her growing family. She was blessed with 21 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren, and one great-grandchild on the way. Nothing made her happier than being surrounded by her grandchildren, watching them grow, and sharing stories, laughter, and love.

Pham Thi Lien's life was one of courage, devotion, and quiet strength. Her legacy lives on in the generations she nurtured, the values she instilled, and the unconditional love she gave so freely. She will be deeply missed and forever remembered in the hearts of all who knew and loved her.

Cemetery Details

Chapel Hill Mortuary - Kirkwood

10301 Big Bend Road
Kirkwood, MO 63122
(314) 965-8228
info@stlfuneral.com
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Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 27. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Visitation will be held in the Mausoleum Chapel

Funeral Ceremony

FEB 28. 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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Service will be held in Mausoleum Chapel

Entombment

FEB **28**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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Entombment will be in the Mausoleum

Tribute Wall



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Pham Thi Lien.



February 27 at 03:45 PM



“ Love, Missy + Molly purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Pham Thi Lien.



Love, Missy + Molly - February 27 at 12:58 PM



“ Love, Missy + Molly planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Pham Thi Lien.

Love, Missy + Molly - February 27 at 12:58 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Pham Thi Lien.



February 27 at 12:40 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Pham Thi Lien.

February 27 at 12:40 PM



“ Ameristar St. Charles Casino Resort & Sp purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Pham Thi Lien.



Ameristar St. Charles Casino Resort & Sp - February 27 at 12:22 PM



“ Ameristar St. Charles Casino Resort & Sp planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Pham Thi Lien.

Ameristar St. Charles Casino Resort & Sp - February 27 at 12:22 PM



“ Tommy&Britney (Tam&Diep) purchased the Rose Garden Heart for the family of Pham Thi Lien.



Tommy&Britney (Tam&Diep) - February 27 at 12:12 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Pham Thi Lien.*



February 27 at 11:36 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Pham Thi Lien.*



February 27 at 11:21 AM



“ *Ba oi con rat la thuong va nho Ba nhieu. Bay gio Ba -da het -dau roi, Ba hay ngu ngon nhe. Sau nay con va Ba se ghap nhau lai. Mai Mai Yeu Ba Nhieu!
Con,
Miseo.*



MichelleAph - February 27 at 11:13 AM



“ *ThanhXuan Ly and Family purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Pham Thi Lien.*



ThanhXuan Ly and Family - February 27 at 10:55 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Pham Thi Lien.*



February 27 at 09:42 AM



“ *Thu and Preston purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Pham Thi Lien.*



Thu and Preston - February 27 at 08:55 AM



“ *The Yee and Maldonado-Yee Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Pham Thi Lien.*



The Yee and Maldonado-Yee Family - February 27 at 08:37 AM



“ *The Yee and Maldonado-Yee Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Pham Thi Lien.*

The Yee and Maldonado-Yee Family - February 27 at 08:37 AM

BF

“ Bà Nguyễn Tĩnh và Cac con Florida purchased the *Strength & Solace Spray* for the family of *Pham Thi Lien*.



Bà Nguyễn Tĩnh và Cac con Florida - February 26 at 11:17 PM

CC

“ Cac con chau nha Co Chu Chieu purchased the *Lily and Rose Tribute Spray* for the family of *Pham Thi Lien*.



Cac con chau nha Co Chu Chieu - February 26 at 11:14 PM

YV

“ Yen V. purchased the *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* for the family of *Pham Thi Lien*.



Yen V. - February 26 at 10:14 PM



“ *Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray* was purchased for the family of *Pham Thi Lien*.



February 26 at 09:40 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Pham Thi Lien.

February 26 at 06:15 PM



“ TD, YK, TP, TL, SC, QaH purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Pham Thi Lien.



TD, YK, TP, TL, SC, QaH - February 26 at 05:36 PM



“ Aunt, Carol Rossfeld purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Pham Thi Lien.



Aunt, Carol Rossfeld - February 26 at 05:06 PM



“ Aunt, Carol Rossfeld planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Pham Thi Lien.

Aunt, Carol Rossfeld - February 26 at 05:06 PM