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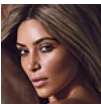
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The former *Good Morning America* host's daughter Lindsay Krauss Weinberg welcomed baby girl Parker Leigh on Aug. 30.

"Everything is wonderful and this has been the most amazing experience ever," Weinberg tells PEOPLE.

"Part of what has made it so incredible is that we're experiencing it with our families right by our side! My mom was literally with me at the hospital even though I know she didn't feel well at 1 a.m. as I was in labor," she adds. "She came right back at 6 a.m. when Parker was born! It was truly the most special experience ever."

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Lunden has been battling [triple negative breast cancer](#), a rare and aggressive form of the disease, since being diagnosed in June.

"When something like this happens, you learn just how important it is to have a support system," she said during an [interview with Robin Roberts](#) on *GMA*, where she spent 17 years as an anchor.

Though Lunden is overjoyed about the new addition to the family, when it comes to her new title as "grandma," she's considering a twist on the tradition.

"I'm like Marie Osmond in that commercial where she says 'Grandma? I'm not old enough to be a be a grandma,'" she jokes. "Then at the end she says 'I'm a Glam-ma.' I can handle that, Glam-ma."

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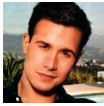



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Much luck Joan and Congrats to everyone.

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I love the name! Boy names for girls runs in my family. We have a Harri Eda, George Ann, Bobbi Sue, Danni Rae, Kenni Leann, Charlie Monroe and Donnie Lynn.

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**button** · 2 hours ago  
She's 63, plenty old enough for the grandma moniker. I would love to hear someone call me "grandma" even at 47! Wonderful news anyway....

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remember when Lindsey was born.. can't believe she is a mom now. Time flies...enjoy every day.

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What a wonderful, supportive family and a beautiful new baby. Prayers for a complete recovery for Joan. Cancer CAN be beaten

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Congratulations Glam-ma Joan, you have a beautiful family, also sending you a lot of prayer.

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Congrats. Joan prayers for you.

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Love the name!

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so happy for this beautiful family, and prayers to Joan for continued recovery

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**BillWA** · 4 hours ago  
Cool !!!!! Nothing like knowing when infomercial hosts become grandma's.

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**dancer92136** → **BillWA** · an hour ago  
She is much more than an infomercial host, and if you don't care about it.....DON'T READ it. This is People not TIME.

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Better than being called "guest". What were your parents thinking?

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Maybe "guest" real name is Brenda and she was embarrassed to use it.

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It's better than Apple or Moon Unit.

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I think that Parker is one of those names that can be used for a girl or boy. There are several actresses named Parker. And Leigh is definitely a female name.

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Beautiful family photo. Wishing Joan good luck on her treatments.

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Congrats! She has a beautiful family!

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