



## Judy K. Thornburg

January 15, 1949 - January 13, 2026

Judy Kay Thornburg, 76, of Kalkaska, made her journey to Heaven on Tuesday, January 13, 2026. She was born on January 15, 1949, in Grayling, Michigan, to the late Fred and Violet (Helsel) Blaisdell. Judy was a devoted wife and a loving caring mother and grandmother. Her family meant everything to her, and she would do anything for her sons and grandchildren. She especially enjoyed watching her grandchildren play sports and treasured the time she spent with them. Judy loved the outdoors and cherished camping trips to Michigan's Upper Peninsula, particularly in Grand Marais. She found peace by the water, enjoying time on the lake, watching the waves and sunsets over Lake Superior and Lake Michigan. She also enjoyed walking the Seven Bridges with her grandchildren. Judy had a special fondness for elephants, which she truly adored. Judy will be lovingly remembered by her husband Ronald; her sons: Richard, Jeffrey, David, Gary, and Douglas; her grandchildren: Aria, Ryan, Tucker, Justin, Jacob, Cassie, Ashley, Anthony, Wyatt, and Kyle; and many great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents and her siblings. Private services will take place. Arrangements have been entrusted to Kalkaska Funeral Home and Cremation Services.

# Tribute Wall



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Judy K. Thornburg.



January 19 at 02:11 PM



“ The Ngirarsaols planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Judy K. Thornburg.

The Ngirarsaols - January 19 at 02:11 PM



“ Debbie Gerring Coon lit a candle in memory of Judy Thornburg



Debbie Gerring Coon - January 16 at 10:18 AM



“ So very sorry for your loss. She was truly a very special person.



Mary Blaisdell - January 15 at 10:31 AM

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“ *Lisa C. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Judy K. Thornburg.*



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**Lisa C.** - January 14 at 03:39 PM

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“ *Deborah Newell lit a candle in memory of Judy Thornburg*



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**Deborah Newell** - January 14 at 02:03 PM