



## Bruce E. Thompson

February 2, 1956 - January 19, 2021

Bruce E. Thompson, 64 year old resident of Little Falls, MN, passed away January 19, 2021, at his residence. Memorial Service will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Tuesday, February 2, 2021, at Shelley Funeral Chapel in Little Falls, MN. Burial will take place at the Minnesota State Veterans Cemetery north of Little Falls, MN. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service on Tuesday at the chapel.

Bruce Thompson was born on February 2, 1956, in Little Falls, MN, and was raised in Randall, MN. Bruce was a beloved father, friend to many, and a man of God. He went to heaven on January 19, 2021, after fighting the good fight, finishing the race, and keeping faith (2 Timothy 4:7). Bruce Thompson was a man of compassion, care, tenderness, and understanding. He had a great sense of humor and a wonderful personality. A lot of his career was serving with the Army and Air National Guard and retired as a MSGT. After retirement, he spent most of his time adventuring from town to town on hunts to find antiques and various collectibles. He eventually opened, Fragments of History, an antique store in Little Falls, MN. He also had a special eye for interior decorating with his antiques and collectibles, which made his house an inviting and intriguing place to live and visit. Bruce loved being outside while taking care of his beautiful lawn, agate hunting, and playing cribbage. His most beloved time was attending his Bible study, having his friends and family over for pie/coffee, and spending time with his daughter and son-in-law. More

than anything, Bruce Thompson's faith and walk with Jesus is what was most remarkable about him. The Lord grabbed ahold of Bruce in 2014 and he was never the same person since. Bruce blossomed into a man, friend, and father of love. He is now in heaven full of God's glory and splendor!

Bruce is survived by his daughter and son-in-law, Ashley and Jon Dudek, as well as his siblings, Donna Williams, Larry Thompson, Sue Schlichting, and Wanda Lutzke.

Bruce was preceded in death by his parents, Josephine and Lyle Thompson, as well as his brother Wally Thompson and sister Shirley Doroff.

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

# Cemetery Details

## Minnesota State Veterans Cemetery

15550 Highway 115  
Little Falls, MN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

LeMieur Funeral Home of Little Falls  
214 2nd Street SE  
Little Falls, MN

## Memorial Service

FEB 2. 11:00 AM (CT)

LeMieur Funeral Home of Little Falls  
214 2nd Street SE  
Little Falls, MN

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lemieur Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Bruce E. Thompson*



**Lemieur Funeral Homes** - January 29, 2021 at 12:00 PM

DJ

*The video was put together very nicely. A beautiful tribute to Bruce. May he rest in peace. God Bless All.*

**Debbie Jelinski-Harakel** - January 31, 2021 at 03:18 AM

LL

*Beautiful!*

**Lyle and Connie Lalim** - February 01, 2021 at 12:18 PM

AS

*Amazing! Thank You!*

**Ashley** - February 01, 2021 at 04:01 PM

JY

*A wonderful tribute to Bruce!*

**Jerry Yasgar** - May 29, 2021 at 03:50 PM



“ *Bruce E. Thompson*

January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Bruce E. Thompson.

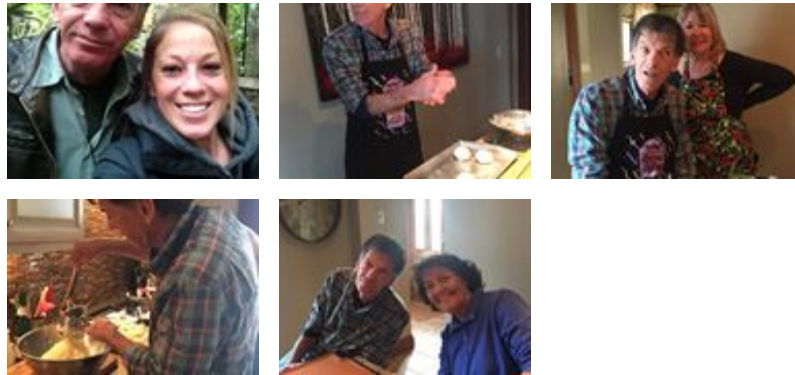


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January 29, 2021 at 11:12 PM



“ 45 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Lemieur Funeral Homes** - January 29, 2021 at 12:00 PM



“ *Jeff & Julie Bremer* purchased the *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* for the family of Bruce E. Thompson.



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**Jeff & Julie Bremer** - January 28, 2021 at 09:00 PM

WG

“ *With Love from the Zumbrota Ignite Group purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Bruce E. Thompson.*



**With Love from the Zumbrota Ignite Group** - January 28, 2021  
at 08:53 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Bruce E. Thompson.*



January 28, 2021 at 01:21 PM



“ *Ashley and Jon,  
I'm so very sorry to hear about your dad.  
Sending love & hugs & prayers to you! xoxo  
Nancy Fletcher*



**Nancy Fletcher** - January 27, 2021 at 06:30 PM



“ *Lynn Nelson Duxbury lit a candle in memory of Bruce E. Thompson*



**Lynn Nelson Duxbury** - January 25, 2021 at 06:47 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Bruce E. Thompson.* ”



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January 25, 2021 at 11:41 AM



“ *Ashley and Jon purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Bruce E. Thompson.* ”



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**Ashley and Jon** - January 25, 2021 at 11:17 AM



“ *Jim Cluka lit a candle in memory of Bruce E. Thompson* ”



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**Jim Cluka** - January 23, 2021 at 09:24 PM



“ *Had many good times at work. Rest in Peace* ”

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**Jim Cluka** - January 23, 2021 at 09:22 PM



“ *My sympathies to Bruce's family. My thoughts and prayers are with you.* ”

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**Marilyn Anderson** - January 23, 2021 at 12:51 PM

RF

“ *A classmate and a number of good times shared. Rest In Peace.*



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**Ron Fenske** - January 23, 2021 at 09:21 AM

DF

“ *Dan & Connie Fenske sent a virtual gift in memory of Bruce E. Thompson*



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**Dan & Connie Fenske** - January 22, 2021 at 04:15 PM

TI

“ *Taylor Truck line Inc purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Bruce E. Thompson.*



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**Taylor Truck line Inc** - January 22, 2021 at 10:41 AM

KT

“ *Ashley and Jon,*

*Thinking of you both during this difficult time. Sending you lots of love, hugs, and prayers.*

*-Kelly (Taylor Truck Line)*

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**Kelly Tripp** - January 22, 2021 at 10:09 AM



“ *Brad Hilmerson lit a candle in memory of Bruce E. Thompson*



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**Brad Hilmerson** - January 22, 2021 at 07:27 AM



“ *Lynne And Floyd Richmond lit a candle in memory of Bruce E. Thompson*



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**Lynne and Floyd Richmond** - January 22, 2021 at 03:38 AM



“ *My prayers and sympathy go out to the Thompson family. I have enjoyed talking with his sweet daughter Ashley. He was such a kind person with so much faith. I enjoyed our last talk about his spiritual path in life. So inspirational. May he Rest In Peace. We, at the Morrison County Veteran Service Office thank him for his service.*

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**Kathy Marshik** - January 21, 2021 at 09:37 PM



“ *Our condolences to the Thompson family.*



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**Bruce & Deb Pederson** - January 21, 2021 at 08:19 PM

CL

“ sending our sympathy, thoughts, prayers, hugs and love to Bruce's family esp his daughter Ashley  
we are so very sorry for your devastating loss  
Charlie and Dianne



Charlie and Dianne Ledbetter - January 21, 2021 at 02:27 PM

AS

“ I love my dad soooooo much! I know he is in heaven pain free and with Jesus. I can only imagine what he is learning and seeing up there! I'm so thankful I will see my dad once again full of God's glory and splendor. Love, Ashley (Bruce's Daughter)

ashley - January 21, 2021 at 02:10 PM

HE

Ashley and John; My love and prayers are with you at this time. Your Dad is now at peace, in God's arm's. All my love; Heidi

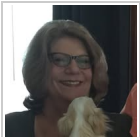
Heidi - January 23, 2021 at 10:01 PM



“ Danny Waldvogel lit a candle in memory of Bruce E. Thompson



Danny Waldvogel - January 21, 2021 at 01:37 PM



“ So many fond memories of Bruce as a classmate and a friend. We had some fun times in our little town of Randall. Sending prayers and comfort to his family.

Kathy Nazworth - January 21, 2021 at 01:33 PM

JO

“ *Jane Olson lit a candle in memory of Bruce E. Thompson*



**Jane Olson** - January 21, 2021 at 01:28 PM

FW

“ *Jerry & Faye Waltman*



**Faye & Jerry Waltman** - January 21, 2021 at 11:05 AM

KK

“ *So sorry for your loss. Bruce always had a wonderful smile that brightened the day. We will keep you in our prayers*



**Ken and Kathy Garrison Kloss** - January 21, 2021 at 09:12 AM

AD

“ *Ann Doble sent a virtual gift in memory of Bruce E. Thompson*



**Ann Doble** - January 21, 2021 at 07:53 AM

AK

“ Allison Kummet lit a candle in memory of Bruce E. Thompson



Allison Kummet - January 20, 2021 at 11:07 PM

SN

“ My sympathy to Ashley and Bruce's siblings and family. He was a wonderful friend and I will miss him very much. Til we meet again!!



Sandy Nelson - January 20, 2021 at 08:37 PM

TL

“ Tom Ledbetter lit a candle in memory of Bruce E. Thompson



Tom Ledbetter - January 20, 2021 at 06:05 PM

WW

“ Wendy Waltman lit a candle in memory of Bruce E. Thompson



Wendy Waltman - January 20, 2021 at 05:42 PM

WW

“ Bruce was my classmate, will miss you buddy! My Sympathy to Bruce's Family! 🙏

Wendy Waltman - January 20, 2021 at 05:41 PM

DJ

“ To all the Thompson families, my sincere sympathy on the loss of Bruce. A fellow coworker and a neighbor. May God Bless You All. May he rest in peace.



Debbie Jelinski-Harakel - January 20, 2021 at 01:45 PM

VJ

“ Our sympathy to Bruce's family. He was a good friend growing up and living down the street from my (Val's) house. Rest In Peace, Bruce.

Valerie and Steve Jones



Valerie Jones - January 20, 2021 at 12:54 PM