



Constance "Connie" L. Thorn

December 19, 1940 - April 21, 2015

Constance Lee Thorn

Eagle

Constance Lee Thorn, age 74, died on Tuesday, April 21, 2015, with her family at her side. In spite of her struggle with gastric cancer, Connie remained engaged with life and optimistic until the end.

Connie was born December 19, 1940, in Avondale, MI, to Willedeana Leyder and Evert Shanafelt. The family moved to Eagle, MI, when Connie was in her early teens, and she attended Grand Ledge schools. Connie married Thomas Thorn on March 15, 1958, and they made their home near Eagle. Connie was employed by and retired from Michigan National Bank in Grand Ledge. She greatly enjoyed gardening, bird watching, reading, solving Sudoku puzzles, oil and watercolor painting, traveling, cooking excellent dinners of traditional American food, and spending summers on Sugar Island, MI.

Connie was much loved and will be missed by Thomas Thorn, her husband of 57 years; her children Carrie Thorn of Lansing, Phyllis Thorn of East Lansing, Brenda Hill of Williamston, and Thomas Jr. (Shirley) of Eagle; grandchildren Ian Thorn (Nikki) of Sinclair, WY, Justin Fuller of Sinclair, WY, and Megan Harnett (Dani) of Ocean Springs, MS. She was preceded in death by her parents, Evert and Willedeana Shanafelt.

A funeral service will be held at 11am on Monday, April 27, at Holihan-Atkin Funeral Home, 406 N. Bridge St., Grand Ledge. Interment will be at N. Eagle Cemetery followed by a luncheon at the Eagle Township Hall, 14318 Michigan

St., Eagle. Visitation will be held on Sunday, April 26, 2-5 pm. at Holihan-Atkin Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

North Eagle Cemetery

12200 S. Grange Road
Eagle, MI 48822

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 26. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home & Cremation Services
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Service

APR 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Constance "Connie" L. Thorn.*



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“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Constance "Connie" L. Thorn.*



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