



## Thomas J. Guingrich

December 26, 1944 - January 20, 2022

Thomas Joseph Guingrich, 77, passed away Thursday, January 20, 2022 at Amita St. Mary's Hospital.

He was born December 26, 1944 in Lafayette, Indiana, raised in Wolcott, Indiana. He is the son of William Vernon and Eleanor Bissonnette Guingrich. Thomas served in the United States Army and spent 19 months in Vietnam. He worked along side his father's grain elevator which then owned in Wolcott. He also worked for Jones McKnight and Conrail Railroad, retiring from Amtrak. After retirement he worked for Kankakee River Valley Metro Bus Services.

Thomas is survived by his loving wife of 50 years, Cynthia (Neff) Guingrich; his children, Alisa, Brad, Cory, and Nicole of Bourbonnias; siblings, Delores and Julian Keiser of Plymouth, Indiana, Susan and Steve Brace of Ft. Wayne, Indiana; nephews, Jeff (Jill) Guingrich of Monticello, Indiana; and many loved nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents; a son, Brian, a brother, William (George) Guingrich, a sister-in-law, Judy Houston Guingrich.

Tom loved riding his motorcycle with family and friends, the road to Sturgis twice. He was not a stranger to anyone. He would go up to anyone and take

them on the street. He will be missed by many.

A visitation will be held Wednesday, January 26, 2022 from 4pm until the funeral service at 7pm at Jensen Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to the wishes of the family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 26. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Jensen Funeral Home  
3639 E IL-17  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
(815) 932-4001  
<https://www.jensenmemorialchapel.com>

## Funeral Service

JAN 26. 7:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Thomas J. Guingrich*

October 08, 2023 at 04:39 PM



“ *Deepest sympathy to and prayers for Tom's family and friends.*

**Bill Maass** - May 01, 2022 at 02:31 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Thomas J. Guingrich.*



January 26, 2022 at 08:24 AM



“ *Walter Jordan lit a candle in memory of Thomas J. Guingrich*



**Walter jordan** - January 25, 2022 at 12:35 PM



*Hi dad 😊 I know your in a better place right now with no more pain and suffering you did your job down here as a husband ,father,brother,uncle and important as a man ,I am so happy that I got to be around you thank for all you did for me my fellow veteran I salute you mom has the watch now and we will be there for her so fly high with your new wings fly high and watch over us ☐*

**Walter jordan** - January 25, 2022 at 12:42 PM



RL

“ Randy and Pam Loring purchased the Sentiment  
s of Serenity Spray for the family of Thomas J.  
Guingrich.



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**Randy and Pam Loring** - January 24, 2022 at 04:22 PM

RC

“ Rhonda Couch lit a candle in memory of  
Thomas J. Guingrich



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**Rhonda Couch** - January 23, 2022 at 10:41 PM

RC

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Thomas J. Guingrich



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**Rhonda Couch** - January 23, 2022 at 10:40 PM

MM

“ Mary McNutt lit a candle in memory of  
Thomas J. Guingrich



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**Mary McNutt** - January 23, 2022 at 04:10 PM

TF

“ *The Neff Girls and all of our families. purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Thomas J. Guingrich.*



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**The Neff Girls and all of our families.** - January 23, 2022 at 03:27 PM

RC

“ *Rick Marla Coy lit a candle in memory of Thomas J. Guingrich*



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**Rick Marla Coy** - January 23, 2022 at 03:10 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Thomas J. Guingrich.*



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January 23, 2022 at 01:39 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Thomas J. Guingrich.*



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January 22, 2022 at 10:43 PM

KH

“ *Kim Senesac Hazzard lit a candle in memory of Thomas J. Guingrich*



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**Kim Senesac Hazzard** - January 22, 2022 at 10:31 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Thomas J. Guingrich.*



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January 22, 2022 at 08:20 AM