



## John M. "Marty" Thacker

December 19, 1960 - October 21, 2024

John M. "Marty" Thacker, 63, of Huntington, WV passed away on October 21, 2024 at Saint Mary's Medical Center.

Marty as he was known was born on December 19, 1960. He was preceded in death by his parents Janet and Emory Thacker and his brother Mark Thacker.

He is survived by a nephew, Steven (Nicole) Thacker and a niece, Traci (Mike) Woelfel. Additional survivors are great nephew, Cannon Thacker and a great niece, Cali Thacker, and a special friend Bill Parker. Marty also leaves behind his loyal companion, Oreo, a Boston Terrier and a host of friends many of which he taught school with.

Marty greatest joy was his career in being a reading specialist having worked for 38 years in Lincoln and Cabell Counties. He earned two master's degrees from Marshall University.

Funeral services will be conducted Sunday, October 27, 2024, 3:00pm by Rev. Timothy Dixon at Grace Christian Fellowship Church located at 530 Roby Rd Huntington, WV 25701. Visitation will take place at the church one hour prior to the service.

# Cemetery Details

## White Chapel Memorial Gardens

3547 US-60  
Barboursville, WV 25504

# Previous Events

## Gathering of Family and Friends

OCT 27. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Grace Christian Fellowship Church  
530 Roby Road  
Huntington, WV 25705

## Funeral Service

OCT 27. 3:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Marty and I hung out a lot in High School and I always considered him a great friend. I am very sorry to see that he is gone. RIP my friend.* ”

Jim Easley - October 24, 2024 at 11:25 AM

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“ *Billie Frye lit a candle in memory of John M. "Marty" Thacker* ”



Billie Frye - October 23, 2024 at 04:42 PM

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*Sorry to see this, very nice young man. Praying for Comfort for Mary's family*

Billie Frye - October 23, 2024 at 04:44 PM

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“ *The Wilisch Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of John M. "Marty" Thacker.* ”



The Wilisch Family - October 23, 2024 at 11:54 AM

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“ *The Wilisch Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John M. "Marty" Thacker.*

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**The Wilisch Family** - October 23, 2024 at 11:54 AM