



## Nelda Thorne

August 18, 1922 - January 4, 2005

MOMENCE -- Nelda Marie Thorne, 82, of Momence, died Tuesday (Jan. 4, 2005) at the Miller Center in Kankakee. Cremation rites will be accorded by Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Crematory, West Kankakee. A memorial service will be held at 3:30 p.m. Jan. 15 at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses in Momence. Memorials may be made to Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses in Momence. Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais, is in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Thorne was a homemaker. She was born Aug. 18, 1922, the daughter of John and Ruby Buche Graves. Her husband, Cecil Ellis Thorne, whom she married Aug. 20, 1938, in Grant Park, died Feb. 7, 1991. Surviving are one son and daughter-in-law, Daniel and Vickie Thorne of Bourbonnais; three sisters and two brothers-in-law, Peg Hamann of Morocco, Ind., Ethel and Tom Jones of Demotte, Ind., Harriet and Roger Webb of Morocco, Ind.; three brothers and two sisters-in-law, Dean and Sylvia Graves of Ash Flat, Ark., Vernon Graves of Ridge Manor, Fla., Veryl Graves and Shirley Graves, both of Momence. Three sisters, Hazel Sinks, Ruby Mae Bement, Margaret Dowdell; and one brother, Orvin Graves, are deceased. Mrs. Thorne was a 57-year member of Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses in Momence, where she was proud of being a founding member. She was a very special cook.

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“ Vicki and Dan,  
  
Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. i;½She was a lovely lady and I am blessed to have had her as my patient. <br><br><br><br>Page##imported-begin##Page Hinkleman##imported-end##

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“ NULL##imported-begin##Ruth Keith##imported-end##

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“ Dan sorry to hear about your mom. We just talked about her at the doctors office. Just a note to let you know we are thinkig of you at this time. I know how tough it can be, when you loose your parents. <br><br><br><br>Hackie##imported-begin##David & Janice Hess##imported-end##

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“ I've some great memories from the past as a part of the Thorne family when I left home in Illinois for the first time. I was made to feel at home and a member of the family and enjoyed Nelda's cooking and down home wisdom. We played cards into the night often and had a great time when the grandparents came to the south in winter. We even made some of those car trips together, back and forth as snow birds. I'm sorry for your loss Dan. She was a special lady.##imported-begin##Larry L. Loucado##imported-end##

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“ NULL##imported-begin##Vernon J. Graves##imported-end##

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“ I will always remember Aunt Nelda, she was a wonderful person. She will be greatly missed.##imported-begin##Cynthia & Vernon Chase##imported-end##

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“ NULL##imported-begin##Daniel Albert Thorne (son)##imported-end##

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“ *In all the years I've known this very special lady, I have always been amazed at how determined she was to do what she beleived in. I would like to thank her for raising a great son and for sharing her life with me and my children. She will be deeply missed.##imported-begin##Barbara Nabors##imported-end##*

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“ *NULL##imported-begin##Dan and Shelly Couwenhoven##imported-end##*

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