



## Ricky Thurman

July 1, 1957 - October 17, 2008

Belvedere, SC—Funeral Services for Mr. Ricky Thurman, 51, of Palmetto Avenue, Belvedere, SC, who entered into rest October 17, 2008, will be conducted Monday morning at 11 o'clock from the Posey Funeral Chapel. Rev. Jeremy Daley officiating.

Mr. Thurman was a native of Gallatin, TN, a former resident of Aiken having made Belvedere his home for the past year. He was of the Baptist faith.

Survivors include his wife Michelle Kent Thurman; a son, James Thurman, Gallatin, TN; two daughters, Heather Cook, Gallatin and Kelly Thurman, Clarksville, TN; a step-son, Eddie Kent, Belvedere; a step-daughter, Charlette Kent, Belvedere; his mother and father, Earl & Eleanor Thurman, Gallatin, TN; two brothers, Roger Thurman, Gallatin, TN and Earl Thurman, Jr., Castalian Springs, TN; two sisters, Rita Thurman, Gallatin, TN and Nancy Key, Castalian Springs, TN; one grandchild, Gracie Lynn Cook.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home Sunday afternoon from 3 until 5.

Posey Funeral Directors of North Augusta in charge of arrangements (803-278-1181).

Visit the registry online at [www.poseyfuneralhome.com](http://www.poseyfuneralhome.com)



# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **19**. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Posey Funeral Directors  
1307 Georgia Avenue  
North Augusta, SC

## Service

OCT **20**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Posey Funeral Home Chapel  
1307 Georgia Avenue  
North Augusta, SC

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ricky Thurman*

October 06, 2023 at 06:29 AM



“ *Ricky Thurman*

September 24, 2022 at 12:12 PM



“ *Daisy Mable Brooks/thurman was added to the Family Tree.*

**Nancy Key** - March 22, 2011 at 11:15 PM



“ *Thomas Baker Thurman was added to the Family Tree.*

**Nancy Key** - March 22, 2011 at 11:14 PM



“ *Margaret Jane Glover/mccullough was added to the Family Tree.*

**Nancy Key** - March 22, 2011 at 11:14 PM



“ *Elvis Mccullough was added to the Family Tree.*

**Nancy Key** - March 22, 2011 at 11:13 PM



“ *Rhonda Gail Stepp/thurman was added to the Family Tree.*

**Nancy Key** - March 22, 2011 at 11:08 PM



“ *Sheila Anne Hewitt/thurman was added to the Family Tree.*

Nancy Key - March 22, 2011 at 11:08 PM



“ *James Michael Thurman was added to the Family Tree.*

Nancy Key - March 22, 2011 at 11:06 PM



“ *Heather Anne Thurman was added to the Family Tree.*

Nancy Key - March 22, 2011 at 11:05 PM



“ *Kelley Anne Thurman was added to the Family Tree.*

Nancy Key - March 22, 2011 at 11:04 PM



“ *Rodger Edward Thurman was added to the Family Tree.*

Nancy Key - March 22, 2011 at 11:03 PM



“ *Nancy Faye Thurman was added to the Family Tree.*

Nancy Key - March 22, 2011 at 11:03 PM



“ *Rita Kaye Thurman was added to the Family Tree.*

Nancy Key - March 22, 2011 at 11:02 PM



“ Earl Wright Thurman was added to the Family Tree.

Nancy Key - March 22, 2011 at 11:02 PM



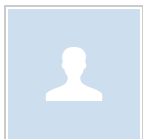
“ Eleanor Anne Mccullough/thurman was added to the Family Tree.

Nancy Key - March 22, 2011 at 11:00 PM



“ Earl Wright Thurman was added to the Family Tree.

Nancy Key - March 22, 2011 at 10:59 PM



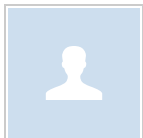
“ Happy Birthday Ricky! I love you and miss you more than words can say.##imported-begin##Nancy##imported-end##

July 01, 2010 at 01:01 PM



“ Daddy, I miss you !!!! I could always talk to you about anything. The only thing that gives me strength is to know your watching over me and protecting me. I love you more than words could say. Heather##imported-begin##Heather##imported-end##

October 18, 2009 at 12:41 AM



“ I can't begin to put into words what I feel. So much I wish I had said and it keeps running through my head. Ricky I know you are watching over us and that brings warmth to my heart. I love you dearly and I think of you each and every day.##imported-begin##Nancy##imported-end##

October 17, 2009 at 11:48 PM



“ When i woke up this morning and saw what date it was i was reminded of you, I miss you more than words could say, just wish you were here to talk to, but i know you are in a much better place. Daddy I love you and miss you !!!!!##imported-begin##Heather##imported-end##

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July 01, 2009 at 03:05 PM



“ Today is your birthday!!! I miss you a great deal. So much I wish you were here. It all happened so fast. Ricky I love you and I know you are with God and in a great place but I am selfish I guess. I know you are not in pain and that is my comfort. We will meet again someday and I look forward to seeing that wonderful smile and hearing your voice. "HAPPY BIRTHDAY" I guess the stars are your candles and I will look for them tonight. Love you##imported-begin##Nancy##imported-end##

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July 01, 2009 at 02:03 PM



“ ~~~A MAN OF STEAL~~~  
\*\*RICKY\*\*

A MAN OF HOPE, A MAN OF LOVE, A MAN OF HAPPINESS...  
YOU ARE.... YOU TOUCHED AND HELD THE HEART OF MANY.  
INCLUDING MINE... FOR 18 PLUS YEARS...AND WILL  
CONTINUE A LIFETIME... SO MANY PIECES OF YOU THAT  
WERE SHARED.. A HUSBAND, A FATHER, STEPFATHER, A  
BROTHER, AND A FRIEND... A MILLION DOLLAR SMILE, A  
PRECIOUS HEART OF GOLD..AND MINE YOU STOLED..  
NEVER ONE TO TAKE, BUT ALWAYS ONE TO GIVE IN YOUR  
OWN SPECIAL WAY...SO UNIQUE, THAT ONE OF A KIND...I SEE  
THE BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS THAT YOU GREW.THE HOPES AND  
DREAMS OF THE HEARTS YOU TOUCHED AND FILLED, COME  
TRUE..FOR I AM SADENED FOR THE LOSS OF YOU..MY  
FRIEND,MY LOVE, MY HOPES, MY DREAMS OF YOU ARE  
FOREVER REAL..I'LL LOVE YOU ALWAYS, TO THE MAN OF  
STEAL...##imported-begin##SHEILA THURMAN##imported-end##

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November 17, 2008 at 12:39 PM



“ You came into my life like a fresh breeze and left with the morning dew. God called you to him for your work was threw but for those you left behind there will be an emptiness until the day we meet again. You stole my heart and it will forever be yours. I promised you I would be ok and maybe I will someday but for now you will have to understand that your were the love I waited for all my life and now I will never be the same. Rick you were the love of my life and you always will be. I will love you until my work is through and God calls me and I can be by your side for eternity. May you embrace God's love and rejoice in him. Love You!!##imported-begin##Michelle##imported-end##

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November 13, 2008 at 10:52 PM



“ *When Tomorrow Starts Without Me*

*When tomorrow starts without me,  
And I am not there to see;  
If the sun should rise and find your eyes  
Filled with tears for me;  
I wish so much you wouldn't cry  
The way you did today,  
While thinking of the many things  
We didn't get to say.  
I know how much you love me,  
As much as I love you,  
And each time you think of me,  
I know you'll miss me too;  
But when tomorrow starts without me,  
Please try to understand,  
That an angel came and called my name  
And took me by the hand,  
And said my place was ready  
In Heaven far above,  
And I would have to leave behind  
All those I dearly love.  
But as I turn to walk away,  
A tear fell from my eye,  
For all my life I'd always thought  
I wouldn't have to die.  
I had so much to live for  
And so much yet to do,  
It seemed almost impossible  
That I was leaving you.  
I thought of all the yesterdays,  
I thought for just awhile,  
I'd say good-bye and maybe then  
I could see you smile.  
But then I fully realized*

*That this could never be,  
For the emptiness and memories  
Would take the place of me.  
And when I thought of worldly things  
That I would miss tomorrow,  
I thought of you and when I did,  
My heart was filled with sorrow.  
But when I walked through Heavens gates,  
I FELT SO MUCH AT HOME.  
When God looked down and smiled at me,  
From his golden throne.  
He said, "This is eternity and all I've promised you,  
Today for life on Earth is past  
But here starts a new.  
I promise to tomorrow,  
But today will always last,  
And since each day's the same day,  
There's no longing for the past.  
But you have been so faithful,  
So trusting and so true,  
Though there were times you did some things  
You knew you shouldn't do.  
But you have been forgiven now  
And at last you are free.  
So won't you take my hand,  
And share my life with me?"  
So when tomorrow starts without me,  
Don't think we're far apart,  
For everytime you think of me,  
I'LL ALWAYS BE IN YOUR HEART.##imported-  
begin##Nancy##imported-end##*

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October 29, 2008 at 05:43 PM



“ My Dad was a great person, he could always make me smile. I miss him dearly. Daddy I love you, and you be in my heart forever.##imported-begin##Heather Cook##imported-end##

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October 27, 2008 at 05:58 AM



“ Ricky was a very special person, his smile could light up a room, his heart was bigger than Texas, and his love was genuine. He will be missed, he was a great step-father and friend. He was always up for anything, and the memories I have of him will always be fond ones. I wish we would have known of his passing sooner.##imported-begin##Stacey Farmer##imported-end##

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October 26, 2008 at 11:09 PM



“ Michelle, I am so sorry to hear of your loss, may God be with you in your time of grief##imported-begin##Janice Cosnahan##imported-end##

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October 19, 2008 at 12:57 PM