

Lay Shwe was born on January 1, 1964, in Lerdo, Burma, the daughter of Lu Baw and Lah Htoo. In 1978, she was married to Ko Der. In 2013, they immigrated to America, settled in Willmar, Minnesota and became U.S. citizens. She was a member of Grace Baptist Church. Lay worked hard as a homemaker, raising her eight children. She enjoyed cooking, gardening, entertaining family and reading the bible.

Lay passed away Sunday evening, December 29, at her residence, surrounded by her family and under hospice care, at the age of 60.

She is survived by her eight children, Kah Htoo, Paw Tamla Htoo, Paw Ta Hgay, Ko Wan, Lay Der, Sell Paw, Ko Lay and Pa Don; ten grandchildren; three sisters and two brothers.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her husband, Ko Der.

Celebrating the Life of



Lay Shwe

1964 - 2024

The Twenty-Third Psalm

*The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:
He leadeth me beside the still waters.
He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the
paths of righteousness for His name's sake.
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the
shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art
with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.
Thou preparest a table before me in the
presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my
head with oil: my cup runneth over.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me
all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the
house of the LORD forever.*

In Loving Memory Of

Lay Shwe

January 1, 1964

Lerdo, Burma

December 29, 2024

Willmar, Minnesota

Funeral Service

Friday, January 3, 2025 - 1:30 p.m.

Grace Baptist Church

Willmar, Minnesota

Prelude Nancy Snyder
Welcome and Prayer
Opening Hymn *"The Way Of The Cross Leads Home"* pg. 151 (and Karen)
Scripture Readings Ecclesiastes 7:1-5 & John 14:1-6
Hymn *"All The Way My Savior Leads Me"* pg. 62 (and Karen)
Family Tribute and Obituary Ku Ku—Granddaughter
Hymn *"The Solid Rock"* pg. 406 (and Karen)
Message - "Is your way to Heaven or Hell?" Pastor Ron Snyder
Bible Text - Psalm 1
Theme - "You either die in Jesus or in sin"
Closing Prayer
Closing Hymn *"Amazing Grace"* pg. 330 (and Karen)
Postlude

Casketbearers

Lay's Family Members

Interment

Fairview Cemetery

Willmar, Minnesota