



## Kathy Jo Thompson

December 12, 1985 - December 19, 2021

Kathy Jo Thompson went to be with the Lord after a long battle with neurofibromatosis type 2 (NF2) on Sunday, December 19, 2021 in Folsom, LA at the age of 36. Kathy Jo was born in Covington, LA on December 12, 1985 to Delos Thompson, Jr. and Yundrela Usher Thompson. She was a member of Bogue Falaya Baptist Church.

Kathy Jo is survived by her parents; her brothers, William A. Gager (Nathalia), Delos A. Thompson, III and Daniel A. Thompson (Lyndsey Maginnis); nieces, Isabella Gager, Danielle Thompson and Adalynn Thompson; and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

Kathy Jo is preceded in death by her paternal grandparents, Delos, Sr. and Mary Lou Thompson; maternal grandparents, August and Emma Usher; and uncle, Dennis Thompson.

Kathy Jo graduated from Covington High School in 2004 where she was a member of Future Farmers of America (FFA) and St. Tammany Parish 4-H clubs. She was a livestock exhibitor from the age of 6 to 18, winning numerous awards, including several Grand Champion awards and the 2004 Premier Exhibitor award. She also served as the Louisiana Junior Jersey Association president.

Kathy Jo went on to graduate from Louisiana State University in 2009 earning a BS in Kinesiology with a concentration in Athletic Training. She was inducted into the Zeta Tau Alpha sorority. She was the athletic trainer for the LSU women's gymnastics and tennis teams, as well as the 2007 LSU Tigers BCS National Championship football team. Geaux Tigers!

Relatives and friends are invited to the Funeral Service at Bogue Falaya Baptist Church, 78689 Highway 25, Folsom, LA 70437 on Thursday, December 23, 2021 at 12:00 PM with visitation from 10:00 AM until service time. Interment will follow the service at Allison Cemetery, 77075 Sharp Road, Folsom, LA 70437.

E. J. Fielding Funeral Home has been entrusted with the arrangements. The family invites you to share thoughts, fond memories, and condolences online at E. J. Fielding Funeral Home Guest Book at [www.ejfieldingfh.com](http://www.ejfieldingfh.com).

# Cemetery

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## Allison Cemetery

77075 Sharp Rd  
Folsom, LA, 70437

# Events

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**DEC** **Visitation** 09:00AM - 12:00PM

**23**

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Bogue Falaya Baptist Church  
78689 Hwy 25, Folsom, LA, US, 70437

**DEC** **Funeral Service** 12:00PM

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Bogue Falaya Baptist Church  
78689 Hwy 25, Folsom, LA, US, 70437

# Comments

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“ Yun, I was subbing at Covington High when I heard about your daughter and me and you talked b/c my grandson has the same thing. I'm so sorry. My grandson is totally blind now and he is 23. He is doing well and is on nothing for years. He does have tumors in his brain and they just take MRI's once a year. All we can do is pray. But only God knows when he wants him. I had a friend that died and I was looking thru the Obituary and seen Kathy's. Tell Delos that Buddy and I are so sorry for your lost. Praying for ya'll Buddy & Janice Hingle Holcombe

**Janice H Holcombe** - January 27 at 11:21 PM

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“ Thankyou all for the kind words you shared about Kathy Jo. Your prayer for Yun and I and my family are needed and certainly appreciated!

**Delos Thompson Jr** - December 26, 2021 at 10:36 PM

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“ Yun and Dee,  
I'm sorry to hear of Kathy Jo's passing. She was a sweet girl, always had a kind word for others. I was blessed to have known her and for her to be friends with my kids. From the tball field to 4H clubs, she always had a smile. Prayers for you and your family



**Chantel Jourdan** - December 24, 2021 at 10:26 PM

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“ Chantel Jourdan sent a virtual gift in memory of Kathy Jo Thompson



**Chantel Jourdan** - December 24, 2021 at 10:19 PM

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“ Delos so sorry to hear of your daughters passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. God Bless you all!

**Cindy Heintz** - December 24, 2021 at 12:37 PM

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“ Marilyn Bennett lit a candle in memory of Kathy Jo Thompson



**Marilyn Bennett** - December 24, 2021 at 12:48 AM

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“ Allison Hyatt lit a candle in memory of Kathy Jo Thompson



**Allison Hyatt** - December 23, 2021 at 06:09 PM

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“ Delos & Family

Please accept our Deepest Sympathies & Condolences.  
May God comfort you in your time of loss.  
We will certainly keep you in our Prayers.  
Love,  
Richie & Marla Privette

Wm. Richard Privette - December 23, 2021 at 04:11 PM

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“ To the Thompson Family,

We are saddened to hear of Kathy Jo's passing. You will all be in our prayers.  
  
Jena and Scott Sharp

Jena Sharp - December 23, 2021 at 10:55 AM

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“ My condolences to cousin Delos and family. Heaven now has a new beautiful Angel.  
May you all find peace in your hearts.



Jacqueline Saldana (San Antonio TX) - December 22, 2021 at 11:05 PM

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“ To this day and likely for many more, Kathy Jo has been my favorite patient. I have always loved the appointments with her, and seeing her resilience and persistence for better vision. The determination it took for her to learn how to put in her own contact lenses!  
I will continue to think of her often, and aim to sponsor future patients' scleral lens fittings who have other chronic health conditions.  
All my love, Dr. Kaitlyn Trahan

Kaitlyn Trahan - December 22, 2021 at 10:54 PM

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“ Delos, Yun and family I am so sorry to hear of Kath Jo's passing. She was a beautiful young lady. Please know my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.  
Barbara Myers

Barbara S Myers - December 22, 2021 at 08:57 PM

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“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kathy Jo Thompson.



December 22, 2021 at 04:19 PM

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“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Kathy Jo Thompson.



December 22, 2021 at 02:58 PM

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“ Remembering the calf shows and her and Josh showing their cows. So much fun great memories. She grew up to be a sweet lady always smiling. So sorry for y'all's loss

Kathy Stevens - December 22, 2021 at 02:41 PM

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“ Kathy Jo was one of my favorite gracious person I loved to take care of. She had a beautiful and grateful heart! Her charming and infectious smile was real. My prayers for divine comfort, peace and strength to all the family.

MONICA - December 22, 2021 at 01:30 PM



“ Kathy Jo is the most amazing person I know. Throughout her time with us, she always had a smile and a way of making your day brighter. Such an inspiration to me and all who are facing adversity.



**Brian Mathies** - December 22, 2021 at 12:28 PM

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“ 2 files added to the album Kathy Jo



**Terri Viola** - December 22, 2021 at 11:33 AM

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“ Kathy Jo was a regular at our house when we lived in Folsom. I really feel honored to have gotten to know her. Even though she was much younger than me, and as her illness progressed, she was always an inspiration that pointed to her heavenly Father. She fought the good fight. Delos and Yun and family, I will be praying for you in the coming months, but I know she is in the presence of her savior... God bless!

**Terri Viola** - December 22, 2021 at 11:32 AM

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“ Kathy Jo was a joyful child when she was in junior high---great attitude and beautiful smile!  
Mary Barnes  
Former Counselor---FJHS

**Mary Barnes** - December 22, 2021 at 10:30 AM

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“ I only met Kathy Jo once at her Uncle Julian's. We chatted for a while. She was a true ray of light with a beautiful smile. In this short in counter I saw how much Kathy Jo was loved and adored by her parents, family and friends. I know the Thompson family is heartbroken. My deepest and sincerest condolences to the Thompson family. Sincerely, Kitty (Becky's sister)

**kitty Prieur** - December 22, 2021 at 10:19 AM

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“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kathy Jo Thompson.



December 22, 2021 at 09:09 AM

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“ De and Yun  
Debbie and I are saddened by Kathy Jo's passing. Our prayers are with you and your family.  
John Mendow

**John K Mendow** - December 22, 2021 at 09:00 AM

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“ Terry Fisher lit a candle in memory of Kathy Jo Thompson



**Terry Fisher** - December 22, 2021 at 02:51 AM

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“ Paul & Debbie Mire purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Kathy Jo Thompson.



Paul & Debbie Mire - December 22, 2021 at 01:09 AM

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“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Kathy Jo Thompson.



December 22, 2021 at 12:17 AM

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“ Delos and Yun, so very sorry to hear of your daughter's passing. My heart goes out to you and your family but, know she is at peace and pain free. Cindy Caruso

Cindy Caruso - December 21, 2021 at 11:23 PM

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“ Delos & family-I'm so sorry to hear about Kathy Jo. Please know we will have your family in our prayers.

Love,  
Denise Holland Lee



Denise Lee - December 21, 2021 at 10:17 PM

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“ So many of the great memories from my childhood involve Kathy Jo. She was such a great friend and I always smile when I think about all the mischief we used to get in. From preschool at aunties to college at LSU, she was always there and we made so many great memories. We may have gone on different paths as we got older but she was always a phone call or text away. I'll miss her greatly and the light she brought to this world. I'll love you forever my sweet bean sprout

**Sarah Mizell Ayers** - December 21, 2021 at 09:40 PM

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“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Kathy Jo Thompson.



December 21, 2021 at 09:19 PM

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“ Kathy Jo was a remarkable young lady. Her attitude, strength and faith was amazing! She was such an inspiration to me when I was dealing with my recovery. Woody and I both send our prayers.

**Jill and Woody Hunt** - December 21, 2021 at 07:28 PM

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“ Kathy Jo , or K J as many of us fortunate enough to share part of her life called her, held a special special place in our minds , hearts, and lives!!!! As her teacher, coach,FFA Advisor and fellow Christian, KJ and I had plenty of times together to build many many precious memories!!!! The toughness and determination I saw on the court and the show ring was an inspiration to me and so many others! I know without a doubt that she is showing dairy cattle on streets of gold today!! What a witness for the Lord she was right up to the time the Lord needed her to straighten out some dairy entries in the grandest show of all!!!! She was loved and admired by me and I will see her one day once again!!!! I was so blessed to have her in my life!!

**Ray Core** - December 21, 2021 at 06:43 PM

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“ Delos, Yun, and family, I am so sorry to hear of Kathy Jo’s passing. She put up a good fight. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

Mittie Rohner - December 21, 2021 at 05:42 PM

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“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Kathy Jo Thompson.



December 21, 2021 at 05:37 PM

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“ Gail Willie lit a candle in memory of Kathy Jo Thompson



Gail Willie - December 21, 2021 at 05:05 PM



“ Praying for this amazing family.

Gail Willie - December 21, 2021 at 05:06 PM

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“ Sue Pujol lit a candle in memory of Kathy Jo Thompson



sue pujol - December 21, 2021 at 04:58 PM

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“ Sweet Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Kathy Jo Thompson.



December 21, 2021 at 04:51 PM

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“ I first met Kathy Joe when I was her 4H Camp counselor. We showed livestock together, was in 4H and FFA together. There was never a moment when she did not have a smile on her face even on the toughest of her days. Her faith was inspiring. Heaven gained a beautiful angel too soon.

**Katie Jenkins** - December 21, 2021 at 04:35 PM

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“ We are so saddened by the loss of sweet KathyJo. The strength all of you have shown as you fought this battle was amazing. She was such an inspiration with a powerful testimony. We certainly enjoyed our Christmas parties each year and visiting with her. Delos and Yun please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers in the days ahead. May God give you peace and comfort.  
Love,  
Melissa and Jason Populus

**Melissa Populus** - December 21, 2021 at 04:20 PM

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“ My wife and I want to give our utmost condolences. Through the years we kept up with Kathy Jo's valiant fight. May God comfort Delos & Yun and her siblings. In spite of the hand Kathy Jo was dealt, in her short life she set an example of courage for all to follow and her parents and siblings set a stellar example of love, loyalty and dedication.

**Carl & Mary Lou Bennett** - December 21, 2021 at 02:59 PM

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“ Mary McLain lit a candle in memory of Kathy Jo Thompson



**Mary McLain** - December 21, 2021 at 02:10 PM