

Gary Thomas Dilweg

Gary Thomas Dilweg passed away peacefully after some years of declining health on January 12th, 2025.

Gary was born on January 03, 1937 to LaVerne Ralph Dilweg and Eleanor Coleman Dilweg in Green Bay, WI. He spent his childhood between Wisconsin and Washington, DC, along with his three siblings, Jack, Bob and Diane, who preceded him in death.

Gary graduated from the US Naval Academy with the rank of First Lieutenant in the United States Marine Corp.

Gary met the love of his life, Vivi Dilweg, while they were attending the University of Texas at Austin School of Law. Gary and Vivi married in 1966 and returned to Wisconsin where he pursued a business and political career. Vivi became the first female Judge in Brown County. Gary served in the Wisconsin State Assembly representing the Green Bay area from 1979 to 1983.

Gary was an avid nature photographer, loved the outdoors and the company of his family and dogs on excursions near and far. Gary's later years were devoted to caring for Vivi as her struggle with Multiple Sclerosis progressed, until her passing in 2016. He had great joy in seeing his grandchildren grow and visiting with friends and family.

Gary's adventurous spirit is now free. He is survived by his sons Sean, Rory, and Travis, beloved daughters-in-law France, Laura and Nicole, precious grandchildren Mercer, Kian, and Willow, many loving nieces and nephews, and his faithful dog Liebchen.

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