



Joyce A Thomsen

July 13, 1925 - May 25, 2026

Joyce A. (nee: Pullis) Thomsen, 100, lived a long and remarkable life marked by grace, strength, humility, and faith. She was born on July 13, 1925, in Brownsville, MN. Joyce moved to Racine in 1943, where she worked at Rainfair supporting the war effort. In 1944, she met Arthur “Art” Thomsen, a United States Marine home on leave. They married in June 1946 and built a loving life together centered on family, service, and devotion. Their marriage lasted 74 years, until Art’s passing in 2020.

Joyce worked at InSinkErator for 33 years, retiring in 1980. Known for her strong work ethic, quiet determination, and wonderful sense of humor, she represented a generation whose dedication helped strengthen both family and community. Joyce and Art shared a love of reading and travel, especially visiting Civil War sites in their Volvo.

She is survived by her sister-in-law, Diane (Joe) Yust, many godchildren, great-nieces and nephews, and great-great-nieces and nephews. Joyce will be deeply missed and lovingly remembered for her kindness, loyalty, resilience, and the love she gave so freely to those around her.

Funeral service will be held at Sturino Funeral Home on Saturday, June 6 at 11 a.m. There will be a visitation at the funeral home from 10:30 a.m. until time of service. Joyce will be laid to rest with Art at Graceland Cemetery on a later date.

In lieu of flowers, memorials to Bethania Lutheran church or the Salvation Army have been suggested.

Cemetery Details

Graceland Cemetery

Racine, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 6. 10:30 AM (CT)

Sturino Funeral Home
3014 NORTHWESTERN AVE
RACINE
RACINE, WI 53404

Funeral Service

JUN 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sturino Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Joyce A Thomsen*



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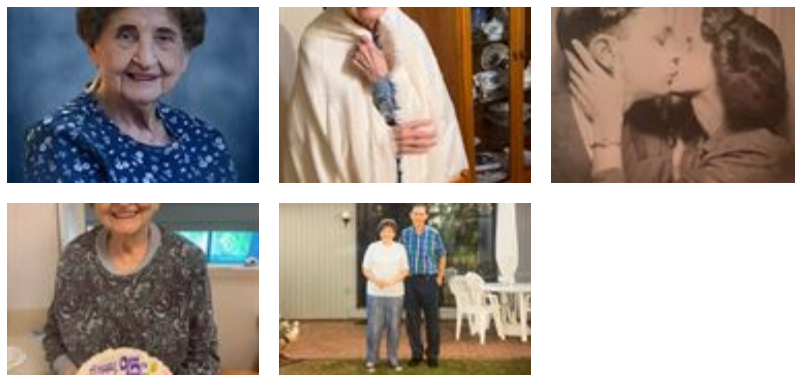
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“ *Michael R. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joyce A Thomsen.*

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