



## Rita Charlotte Johnson

November 16, 1934 - May 19, 2026

Rita Charlotte Chudzinski Johnson, age 91, passed away Tuesday, May 19, 2026, peacefully surrounded by the love of her family.

She was born on November 16, 1934, at her family home at 18th and Washtenaw in Chicago, Illinois, to Joseph L. Chudzinski and Micheline V. Lyczacz. She attended St. Romans Grade School and graduated from Lourdes High School in 1953. On October 16, 1954, Rita married the love of her life, Arthur E. Johnson, at St. Gerald's in Oak Lawn. Rita dedicated 28 years of service to Quality Business Forms before retiring. Beyond her work, she was most proud of the family she nurtured and the love she shared with those around her.

Rita is survived by her children, Karen (Rick) Dove, Margaret Walsh, Nancy Joyce, and Robert Johnson; grandchildren; Matthew (Elizabeth) McCormack, Jessica (Dean) Dickson, Michael (Gina) Dove, Joshua Dove, Kaitlyn Joyce, and Jamie Joyce; great-grandchildren Paige McCormack, Valerie Dickson, Aubriee Dove, and Andrea Dickson, and Emersyn Dove; and special "Hawaiian" daughter, Laura Gill; brothers-in-law, William (Laureen) Johnson and David (Debbie) Johnson; sister-in-law, Eleanor Homerding; and many beloved nieces, nephews, and their families.

She is preceded in death by her beloved husband, Arthur E. Johnson; her

parents; her grandson, Andrew J. Dove; her great-grandson, Peyton F. McCormack; and her dearly beloved Gloria Jean Machala Bielke Shanahan.

Visitation will be held Wednesday, May 27, 2026, from 3pm to 7pm at Brown-Jensen Funeral Home, Manteno. A funeral mass will be said Thursday, May 28, 2026, at St. Joseph Catholic Parish, Bradley at noon with burial immediately following at Resurrection Cemetery in Justice, Illinois.

Memorials may be made to Sisters of St. Joseph of the Third Order of St. Francis.

# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery

7200 Archer Rd.  
Justice, IL 60458

# Upcoming Events

## Visitation

**MAY 27.** 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Brown-Jensen Funeral Home  
21 N Main St  
Manteno, IL 60950

## Mass

**MAY 28.** 12:00 PM (CT)

St Joseph Catholic Church  
211 North Center  
Bradley, IL 60915