



## Beverly Louise Joyce

December 6, 1934 - May 3, 2022

Dateline: Godfrey, IL

Beverly Louise Joyce, 87, died at 6:50 p.m. on Tuesday, May 3, 2022 at Integrity of Godfrey. She was born December 6, 1934 in Alton the daughter of the late Elmer George and Emma Elizabeth (Harris) Meisenheimer. She worked as a manager with the Alton Public School district in food services for many years. On June 18, 1952 in Alton, she married Lester Joyce and he preceded her in death on September 10, 2004. Surviving are two daughters, Linda Ventimiglia of Alton and Vickie Murphy (Dan) of Godfrey, one son, Roger Joyce (Linda) of Alton, one daughter in law, Nela Joyce of Florida, seven grandchildren, Jennifer Link (Chris), Ricky Joyce, Randy Joyce, Adam Joyce (Chelsea), Aaron Joyce (Ellen), Leslie Dickson (Bill) and Clinton Murphy, eleven great great grandchildren and one sister, Dixie Walker of TX. Besides her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by one son, Richard Joyce, a daughter in infancy, Rosemary Joyce, two sisters and three brothers. Visitation will be from 11:00 a.m. until time of service at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, May 6, 2022 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. William Cooper will officiate. Burial will be at Upper Alton Cemetery. Memorials may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Additional information and online guest book may be found at [www.gentfuneralhome.com](http://www.gentfuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 6. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home & Cremation Services  
2409 State Street  
Alton, IL 62002  
(618) 466-5544  
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## Funeral

MAY 6. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Beverly Louise Joyce*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Beverly Louise Joyce*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Sincerest sympathy to Bev's family I had the privilege to work with Bev for many years in Foodservice RIP my friend Heaven has another beautiful soul! Peace be with all of you at this time. Jan Sanders*



**Janet Sanders** - May 06, 2022 at 01:06 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Beverly Louise Joyce.*



May 05, 2022 at 05:02 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your lose. Your mom and dad were very kind to me and I enjoyed spending the nights and going to church. I hope your family only has good thoughts .  
Debby Bohart Altom*

**Deborah Altom** - May 05, 2022 at 01:40 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Beverly Louise Joyce.*



May 05, 2022 at 11:05 AM



“ *Storti's (Nina/Ian/Billy) & Holsapple's purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Beverly Louise Joyce.*



**Storti's (Nina/Ian/Billy) & Holsapple's** - May 05, 2022 at 09:55 AM



“ *My condolences to the family. Bev was a nice person.*  
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**ione Snow** - May 05, 2022 at 09:43 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Beverly Louise Joyce.*



May 05, 2022 at 01:49 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Beverly Louise Joyce.*



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May 04, 2022 at 09:00 PM



“ *RIP Aunt Bev, I will miss you dearly. Thank you for the long visits over the years, I am truly blessed beyond measure. I know you are having a blessed reunion with Uncle Les, Rick and Rosemary and so many others.*



*Vickie, Roger and Linda, I am so sorry for your pain, I wish I could be there to give you all bear hugs. Lifting you all in prayer during this difficult time. Know that your Texas family loves you very much. God Bless!*

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**Gayle** - May 04, 2022 at 06:06 PM



*I'm So very sorry to hear about your mom and my aunt Bev. I understand what it is To grieve for someone you love. I think of all the talks the Joyce Girls would have and that Aunt Bev would sit quietly listening and spoke in a soft kind voice. What made our relationship with Aunt Bev is extra special is that she was married to my mother's twin; Lester!  
Thank God that He gave us our loving famtly to have many priceless memories.*

*To my Joyce Family, you are in my heart,my thoughts,and my prayers.  
Love,  
Donna and Randy❤️*

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**Donna and Randy Hard** - May 04, 2022 at 10:36 PM

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*Dear Vickie and Family  
I am so sorry for your loss  
I am glad I got to know her through  
the years. she was there to help in  
any way she could.*

*Karen Galyen (Karen Long)*

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**Karen Galyen** - May 05, 2022 at 10:14 AM