



## Rachel Theresa Pennig

March 2, 1929 - May 27, 2024

Rachel Theresa Pennig was born March 2, 1929, in St. Augusta, MN to Alphonse and Eleanor (Krebs) Henkemeyer and passed away on May 27, 2024, at the age of 95.

She was a graduate of St. Cloud Technical High School and worked for the Federal Government in the Department of the Interior - Bureau of Indian Affairs for nearly 44 years.

She married Burdell Johnson April 7, 1972. He passed away April 15, 1991. She then married Warren Pennig October 30, 1992. He passed away September 28, 2007.

She is pre-deceased by her parents, her husbands, sister Lois Duwal, nephew Mark Duwal and brothers-in-law Henry Duwal and Sy Janochoski.

She is survived by her sister Corrine Janochoski of St. Cloud; nieces Deb (Dewey) Smith; Karen (Rich) Crabtree; Diane (Dillip) Emmanuel; nephews Tom (Mona) Janochoski; Jim (Joyce Mroska) Janochoski; Dan (LeAnn) Janochoski; and many treasured great nieces, great nephews and friends.

In addition, the family wishes to thank the staff at Sunrise Senior Living Center in Edina, and the Hospice Nursing staff for their kind care of Rachel.

Mass of Christian Burial at St. Edward's Catholic Church in Bloomington, MN on Friday, June 28, 2024, at 11:00 a.m., with visitation one hour before Mass at the church. Interment at Oak Hill Cemetery in Minneapolis, MN. The Mass will be live-streamed and available on St. Edward's website:  
[stedwardschurch.org](http://stedwardschurch.org)

[www.Washburn-McReavy.com](http://www.Washburn-McReavy.com)

Werness Bros. Chapel 952-884-8145

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 28. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Edward's Catholic Church  
9401 Nesbitt Avenue South  
Bloomington, MN 55437

## Memorial Service

JUN 28. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Edward's Catholic Church  
9401 Nesbitt Avenue South  
Bloomington, MN 55437

## Graveside Service

JUN 28. 1:45 PM - 2:15 PM (CT)

Oak Hill Cemetery (Minneapolis)  
5901 Lyndale Avenue South  
Minneapolis, MN 55419

# Tribute Wall

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“ *I'm sorry to read of Rachel's passing but wow she had a nice long life! I have fond memories of her with my Aunt Cecile, trucking down the hallway on her scooter when they lived off Irving Ave. in Bloomington. What a kind, sweet woman and the best friend Aunt Cec could've had.* ”



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**Deb Kramarich** - August 21, 2024 at 04:35 PM