



## Genevieve Casmus

September 12, 1924 - June 24, 2025

Genevieve (Grzesik) Casmus, age 100, of Crown Point, IN passed away peacefully on June 24, 2025 at Bickford Assisted Living. She was born September 12, 1924, in Gary, IN to Walter and Katarzyna (Kolwaczyk)Galka, and was the sixth out of eleven children, including Toney, Julia, Stanley, Josephine, Angelina, Rose, Mary, Andrew, Evelyn, and additional sibling died in Poland. Genevieve was employed by G.W. Berkheimer for 50 years. Known to her family as “Jean,” “Grandma,” “Busia,” and “GG” she will always be remembered for her polish culinary skills and sharing it with family and friends. Her specialties included pierogi, golabki, and Mazurek. She delighted in visiting her son, Larry and his family in northern Wisconsin and relaxing on the pier while fishing. Genevieve was fond of watching the latest Hallmark movies and reading historical fiction. She was proud of traveling to all 50 states. On January 19, 1946, she married Stanley I. Grzesik at St. Hedwig Catholic Church, Gary, IN and later to James “John” Casmus who both preceded her in death. Genevieve was also preceded in death by her parents; son, James Grzesik; stepson, James Casamassa; and stepdaughter, Carolyn Olson. Surviving are her beloved sons, Thomas (Christine Rosenbaum) Grzesik, Lawrence (Milana) Grzesik; daughter-in-law, Linda (James) Grzesik, former daughter-in-law, Janice Grzesik, eight grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; sister, Evelyn Stepp, and many nieces and nephews. Also surviving is her stepdaughter, Dolly Kravagna, and four step-grandchildren Memorial visitation will take place Saturday, June 28, 2025, from 10 a.m. until

the time of the memorial service at 12 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point IN. Rev. Gerald Schweitzer officiating. [www.burnsfuneral.com](http://www.burnsfuneral.com).

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

JUN **28**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

EF

“ *Eva's Family planted a grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Genevieve Casmus.*

Eva's Family - September 04, 2025 at 03:29 PM

FD

“ *1 file added to the album Aunt Jean*



Frank Dobis - June 28, 2025 at 12:35 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Genevieve Casmus.*

June 27, 2025 at 05:49 PM

AN

“ *there's alot i could say about genevieve and how much i loved her. she was one of my favorite residents and i loved her laugh. i am extremely grateful to have met her before she left us. i will forever love her in my heart.*

aislinn nalls - June 27, 2025 at 04:33 PM

JF

“ James Galka and Joan McGee And Families planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Genevieve Casmus.

James Galka and Joan McGee And Families - June 26, 2025 at 05:35 PM

JA

“ Jeanne Dyer and Jack Armstrong purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Genevieve Casmus.



Jeanne Dyer and Jack Armstrong - June 26, 2025 at 03:18 PM

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Jeanne Dyer and Jack Armstrong - June 26, 2025 at 03:18 PM

RH

“ I worked with Jeannie at G.W. Berkheimer. She used to ride to and from work with me when she and Johnnie lived in DeMotte. She was a sweet woman who loved her family very much.

Rita Harrington - June 26, 2025 at 01:06 PM

JK

“ James K. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Genevieve Casmus.

James K. - June 26, 2025 at 11:34 AM

LF

“ Love , Eva’s Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Genevieve Casmus.



Love , Eva’s Family - June 26, 2025 at 01:09 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Genevieve Casmus.



June 25, 2025 at 10:33 PM

EN

“ Eric, Mitsi, and Chase Neel purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Genevieve Casmus.



Eric, Mitsi, and Chase Neel - June 25, 2025 at 04:38 PM