



## Dolores Lee Goetz

June 18, 1936 - July 17, 2023

Dolores Lee Goetz, age 87, of Dublin, Ohio, passed away on July 17, 2023, in Ohio Health Hospice Care in Riverside Methodist Hospital. She was born on June 18, 1936, to Leo and Mildred Wolf in Pittsburgh, PA. She married Richard (Dick) on November 29, 1958, and lived most of her family life in Worthington, Ohio, retiring to Friendship Village of Dublin in 2013.

Dolores was a loving wife and mother, and a talented artist, seamstress and craftsperson, who readily shared her talents with family, friends, and the community. Dolores was a dependable volunteer and enjoyed her service with the Worthington Historical Society as a board member, gift shop volunteer, and Orange Johnson House docent. She and a good walking buddy regularly collected recyclables in exchange for funds to provide sandwiches for the clients of The St. Michael Conference of St. Vincent de Paul. She loved to craft gifts for family and friends and donated crafted items to St. Michael's Women's Club and PTA, and Friendship Village's seasonal craft sales and service projects.

Dolores was predeceased by her parents, Leo and Mildred Wolf, and older sister, Donna Wolf. She is survived by her husband of 64+ years, Richard Goetz, and brother, Paul (Susan) Wolf; daughters Therese (Robert) Coon, Regina Goetz, and Karen (John) Butchko; son Bruce (Cindy) Goetz; grandchildren Sarah (Ernst) Andersen, Ben (Briana) Coen, and Thomas, Daniel, and Anna Lee Butchko.

The family is grateful for the care of Dolores and her family these past months

by the Alderwood Staff of Friendship Village of Dublin and Ohio Health Hospice at Riverside Hospital.

Visitation will be Thursday, July 27, 2023 from 9AM-10AM with a Funeral Mass to follow at St. Michael's Church in Worthington, OH. Inurnment will be at Resurrection Cemetery in Lewis Center, OH.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to:

The St. Michael Conference of St. Vincent de Paul; 5750 N. High Street, Worthington, OH 43085 Worthington Historical Society; [www.worthingtonhistory.org](http://www.worthingtonhistory.org) Or a charity of your choice

Arrangements by RUTHERFORD-CORBIN FUNERAL HOME, Worthington, OH. To leave a condolence for the family please visit [www.rutherfordfuneralhome.com](http://www.rutherfordfuneralhome.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 27. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Michael Catholic Church  
5750 N. High St.  
Worthington, OH 43085

## Funeral Mass

JUL 27. 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Dolores Lee Goetz.

July 26, 2023 at 09:47 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Dolores Lee Goetz.



July 26, 2023 at 09:47 AM



“ *Dear Cousin Dickie*

*Alice (Goetz) Anthony here  
So sorry to hear the passing of your dear wife Dolores  
Remembering all the good times we had as kids when visiting family  
Especially Grandma Goetz's home  
Anna Marie kept us informed of Dolores's passing  
Tell Ruth Ann I said hi  
Hope all is well with her family  
Your Dad and Mum were my God-parents  
May Dolores Rest in Peace*

*Love  
Rich and Alice Anthony  
aliceanthony@comcast.net*

Alice (Goetz) Anthony - July 23, 2023 at 08:54 PM



“ For years, whenever I entered the Old Rectory to work in the library there, I was greeted by the two Doloreses--Dolores Goetz and Dolores Breckinridge. They both listened to my plans for a book about Worthington, and offered encouragement and ideas for the book. So that's why the dedication thanks "the two Doloreses" for their encouraging words. It seemed at every Home and Garden Tour I would see Dick and Dolores walking from house to house, so appreciative of the historical society and the community of which they were such a happy part. She was a kind and gracious lady, who cannot be forgotten--a happy part of the memories of those who knew her.

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**John Haueisen** - July 21, 2023 at 07:52 AM