



City of Cambridge

1.

IN CITY COUNCIL

February 5, 1996

COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR BORN
COUNCILLOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR RUSSELL
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY
COUNCILLOR TRIANTAFILLOU

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WHEREAS: Dorris attended local schools and graduated from Cambridge High and Latin School in 1937; and

WHEREAS: Dorris married Golbourne H. Thorne, her childhood sweetheart, in 1938 and they were blessed with four children, Artelle, Gerald, Laurence and Starr, and currently have eight grandchildren and three great grandchildren; and

WHEREAS: Dorris worked for twenty-six years at the Registry of Deeds for Middlesex County and also as a warden for the Election Commission for fifteen years; and

WHEREAS: Dorris has volunteered many hours to the community with the Cambridge Boys Scouts, the Girl Scouts, PTA at the Morse Grammar School, Cambridge Community Center; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: On Sunday, February 18, 1996 at Isaac's on Plymouth Harbor, Plymouth, Massachusetts a luncheon party has been scheduled to honor the eightieth birthday of this remarkable women; and be it further

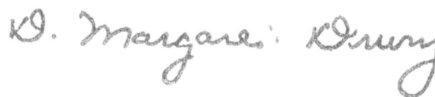
RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record wishing **Dorris Roberts Thorne** a happy eightieth birthday and many happy returns of the day; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to prepare for presentation a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to **Dorris Roberts Thorne** on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council February 5, 1996
Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.
Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "D. Margaret Drury".

D. Margaret Drury
City Clerk

Councillor Reeves

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TO: COUNCILMAN REEVES
FROM: JERRY THORNE
DATE: JANUARY 16, 1996
RE: PROCLAMATION FOR DORRIS R. THORNE'S 80th BIRTHDAY

*Donna
Please do for
2/5/96 mdg*

*mail out in hard
folder*

HI KEN,

Happy belated Dr. M.L. King Day.

My mother, Dorris Roberts Thorne was born in Cambridge on February 20th, 1916 at the Cambridge City Hospital. Her birth was the birth of the fourth generation of Cantibridgians in her family. She graduated from the Cambridge High and Latin school in 1937. She married her childhood sweetheart Golbourne H. Thorne (also a Cantibridgian) in 1938. That union gave birth to four children, all born in Cambridge, Artelle in 1939, Gerald in 1941, Laurence in 1946 and Starr in 1956. She has eight grandchildren, four of which were born in Cambridge making them the 6th generation of Cantibridgians in her family. She is also blessed with 3 great grandchildren.

Mrs. Thorne working career includes her position at the Registry of Deeds for Middlesex County as Title Examiner and various other positions during her 26 years of service at the Registry in Cambridge.. She worked for the Election Commission as a warden on election days for 15 years, and volunteered her time to the Cambridge Boys Scouts and Girl Scouts, Morse Grammar School PTA, and the Cambridge Community Center for a number of years.

Mrs. Thorne helped found and organize two Women Social Clubs, The Monday Nighters and the Thursdurettes.

Mrs. Thorne and her husband (who were married for 53 years before his passing in 1991) retired to their summer home on the Billington Sea in Plymouth, MA in 1983. However, all who know mother, knows that her heart is still and always will be in Cambridge.

*Sun. Feb. 18th party Luncheon
Plymouth Isaac's on Plymouth
Harbor*

*Son: Jerry Thorne w# 455-7093 h# 566-419x
75 St. ALphonsus St. Apt. 1803
Boston 02120*



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Born, Davis, Galluccio, Russell R-126
Consent Order # Sullivan, Toomey

Councillor Reeves re: Best wishes
to Dorris Roberts Thorne on her
eightieth birthday.

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Order Adopted