



Marian Lorraine Colley

January 29, 1931 - February 24, 2021

Colley, Marian Marian Colley's 90-year journey on this earth ended February 24, 2021, when the Savior she trusted in this world welcomed her into the next. She was born on January 29, 1931, to Arnold and Margaret Lucht in Maple Grove, MN. She graduated from the MN School of Agriculture in St. Paul, earned an associate degree at St. Cloud State Teachers College, and graduated from Taylor University in Indiana in 1954, with a B.A. in Elementary Education. She taught school in Kansas City, MO, where she met and married her husband John Colley in 1956. She was a devoted wife and mother who lovingly raised three daughters. In later years, she served on the staff at the Evangelical Free Church Headquarters in Bloomington, MN. She loved music, playing both violin and piano, and singing in many small groups and choirs. She was an avid gardener with a special place in her heart for the beauty of her roses. She will be remembered for her kindness, patience, grace, and forgiveness, her generosity and joy in simple pleasures, and her ability to laugh at and adapt to all of life's twists and turns. Her family is grateful for her long life of love and service, and her legacy of deep faith. She was preceded in death by her parents and her older sister, Elaine Roseland. She is survived by her younger sister, Ramona Lucht; her three daughters: Cynthia Dirtzu (Steve), Judy Cummings (Dan), and Janell Colley (John Grabowski); grandchildren: Elliot (Adrienne) Dirtzu and Ingrid Dirtzu, Fiona and Meara Cummings; four great-grandchildren: Jessica Renshaw, Hunter, Isabella, and Jackson Dirtzu; and other beloved family members. Many thanks to staff at Abbott-Northwestern and Lyngblomsten for their compassionate care and support. A service will be held at 1pm on May 14 at Hope Presbyterian Church, 7132 Portland Ave, Richfield, MN 55423. "Her children rise up and call her Blessed." Prov. 31: 28 Washburn-McReavy.com Werness Brothers 952-884-8145

Events

MAY **Service** 01:00PM

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Hope Presbyterian Church

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