



Aldores "Doris" Wilson

August 29, 2010

Wilson, Aldores L. "Doris" age 87, of Gaylord, formerly of Edina, passed away Aug. 26, 2010. Preceded in death by husband, Duane; son, Scott; grandson, Matthew Wilson; parents, Hjalmer and Myrtle Anderson; two brothers and one sister. Survived by children, Steve (Mary) of West Lafayette, IN, Beth Wilson of Gaylord, MN, Rick (Melanie) of Edina; daughter-in-law, Ann of Burnsville; nine grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; brother, Ron (Glorian) Anderson; sister, Joanne Palmquist; sisters-in-law, Viola Anderson and Pat Wilson; many nieces, nephews and friends. Doris, born in 1923, was a native of Cokato (or Knapp), MN where she lived until she moved for her senior year in high school to Minneapolis to care for her aunt. She graduated from Mpls North High School in 1941. Upon graduation she worked at Peavy Grain Exchange. On November 1, 1944 she met Duane Wilson on a blind date the last night he was in Minneapolis before leaving for overseas military duty in Burma and China. After a year of correspondence and the end of the war, they were reunited November 1, 1945 and married November 2, 1946. They made their home in Gaylord until 1977 when they moved to Edina. They shared 62 years of marriage before Duane died January, 2009. She was active in church activities in both Gaylord and Edina, and maintained membership in the Order of the Eastern Star for over 50 years. She loved flower gardening, reading, needlework, playing bridge, traveling and most importantly, her family. Private interment Lakewood Cemetery. Memorial service 2:00 PM Monday at Good Samaritan United Methodist Church, 5730

Grove St., Edina. Visitation 2-4 PM TODAY at: Washburn-McReavy Edina
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