



Dorothy Elizabeth (Endeward) Nygaard

October 3, 2014

Nygaard, Dorothy Elizabeth (Endeward) Beloved wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother died peacefully at Copperfield Hill in Robbinsdale on Fri., Oct. 3, 2014 at the age of 100 years and 3 months. She was preceded in death by her husband, Clarence; parents, Martin Endeward and Tilda Loken; 2 brothers and 3 sisters. She is survived by sons, Thomas (Ranae), Douglas and Gregory (Nancy). She is also survived by her grandsons, Matthew (Erika), Benjamin (Jodi) and Nathan (Krista); and granddaughters, Cara Nygaard, Jennifer (Jared) Beltrand, Leslie (Rafael) Quintero, and Elizabeth (Israel) DeGracia; as well as six great-granddaughters, 3 great-grandsons and several nieces and nephews. Dorothy was born in Watertown SD on June 29, 1914. Her family relocated to Mpls where she attended and graduated from Columbia Heights High School in 1932. In 1937 she enrolled in the Lutheran Deaconess Hospital Nursing Program and graduated in 1939. For several years she worked as a registered nurse in the pediatric dept. of Swedish Hospital in Mpls. On June 1, 1940 she was married to her high school sweetheart, Clarence Nygaard. They had been married for 67 years when he died in 2008. The family wishes to express their deepest gratitude to the caregivers at Copperfield Hill and the Health Partners hospice team. A special thanks is also extended to Rhonda Kleven for her dedication, love and compassion in caring for Dorothy. A memorial service will be held at Elim Lutheran Church, 39178 W. Broadway, Robbinsdale at 11 AM on Monday, Oct. 13, 2014 with visitation one hour prior to service. Private interment

Sunset Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials preferred to Elim Lutheran Church, www.Washburn-McReavy.com Robbinsdale Chapel 763-537-2333
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