



Harriet Roycraft

March 30, 2015

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Harriet was born in Algona, Iowa Feb 1st 1929 to Ferdinand and Teresa Brethorst. She was the 3rd child of 7 siblings.

Harriet graduated from Algona High School in 1946. She moved to Minneapolis to attend a Business School which leads her to a secretarial position in a small insurance company. She shared an apartment with her sister Nancy.

Harriet met her husband George on a blind date through mutual friends. They were married in August of 1955. George worked for the Airlines and Harriet became a full time homemaker. They had their own home in Minneapolis and had 2 sons, Chuck in 1961 & Paul in 1964. In 1973 the family moved to Minnetonka until George's Retirement in 1983 which brought them to Bloomington. George passed away unexpectedly in 1987 at age 63, Harriet was 58.

Harriet was very active in the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, played cards and served many hours doing volunteer work for school, Church, and the Fairview Hospital. She was also an avid reader and history buff. Harriet had a passion for dogs; Queenie, Rosie, Ashley, & Buddy brought endless funny stories and

much happiness to her life.

1992 brought Harriet a Granddaughter named Rebecca. Harriet was an awesome grandparent and shares an everlasting bond with her granddaughter.

In October of 2014 Harriet moved from her Bloomington home to an assisted living facility in Chanhassen. The staff there quickly fell in love with Harriet and helped with her increasing needs as her health failed. Harriet passed peacefully on March 30th due to complications from a stroke and advanced dementia.

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