



Helen Marie Nordenson

August 3, 1928 - February 15, 2026

Nordenson, Helen M.

Age 97, of Minneapolis., Born August 3rd, 1928 in Rapid City, SD, passed away February 15, 2026. Predeceased by her husband of 57 years, John W. Nordenson, brother, Donald L. Holsten, and one sister, Marian L. Engstrom. Survived by sister, Doris E. Hovland, daughter, Judy A. Danielson, two sons, David A. Nordenson (Nancy) and Daniel J. Nordenson (Dawn), seven grandchildren-Erick Nordenson, Anna Brenckman, Alex Nordenson, Karin Larson, Jessica Jaeschke, Benjamin Nordenson, Samuel Nordenson, and eight great-grandchildren (Ezekiel, Jonas, Ryker, Casey, Henry, Tess, Asher, Shay).

Helen came to Minneapolis after high school to attend Northwestern Bible College in St. Paul. She worked in office support positions after college and later in life after raising her family. She loved people, was gregarious, and had a wealth of beloved family and friends. Many of her lifelong friends were rooted in her long membership with John at First Covenant Church, Minneapolis. She held volunteer leadership roles over many years in the church's inner city relief programs. In later life, she and John were members of Excelsior Covenant Church. Helen enjoyed an active community life at 7500 York Cooperative from 2016 to February 2025, when she moved to Mount Olivet Home.

As her family, we are very grateful for the full and engaged life she lived to the end. She experienced great joy and fulfillment as a grandmother and great-

grandmother. Helen never wavered from her childhood commitment to the Christian life. She frequently expressed her faith in Jesus Christ openly, and particularly in her final days, she was full of hope and anticipation of joining loved ones in heaven. Peace to her memory.

Memorial Service Sat. March 21, 11 AM at Washburn-McReavy Edina Chapel.
Visitation 1 hour prior to service.

Memorials to Mount Olivet Home, 5517 Lyndale Ave. S, Minneapolis, MN
55419

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Edina Chapel
5000 West 50th & Highway 100
Edina, MN 55436

Memorial Service

MAR 21. 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM (CT)

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Edina, MN 55436

Tribute Wall



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