



Joy Florence Brekke

September 23, 2013

Brekke, Joy Florence Born in Milaca to Florence Eugenia Hansen and Leo Patrick Moore on December 5, 1914. Her father died in the 1918 flu epidemic. After his death, the family moved into Joy's grandparents' home. She graduated from Milaca school and began working at the county auditor's office where she met Albert Eugene Brekke, who was a social worker for the county. They were married on February 5, 1937, and moved to Minneapolis. There they had their son, Bruce, and daughter, Linda. In 1951 they moved to a 200-acre dairy farm in Eden Prairie called Homeward Hills. When Eden Prairie moved to using street names, Homeward Hills Road was created. They became involved in the community and especially with the school that their children attended. Joy was active in the Eden Prairie Lioness Club, Community Club and Women's Club. She was an active Girl Scout leader for 11 years and the girls in her troop had a marvelous role model. She and her husband were the youth group leaders at Eden Prairie Presbyterian Church and Joy sang in the choir for many years and was often called upon to be the soprano soloist. She was a member of the Goldstein Museum of Design. For many years she was an Eden Prairie Red Cross volunteer. Predeceased by her husband, Al; son, Bruce Higham Brekke; mother and father; stepfather, George F. Munier; and brother, Robert Moore. She is survived by her daughter, Linda Mona (Dave); daughter-in-law, Marcia Brekke; grandsons, Erik and Kirk (Chelsey); and her beloved great-grandson, Camden Mona. Memorials preferred to Camden's Concert supporting Cystic Fibrosis at 6328

Timber Trail, Edina 55439, Girl Scouts River Valleys or N.C. Little Hospice,
Edina. Memorial service 10:30 AM Saturday, Oct. 5th, with visitation beginning
at 9:30 at: www.Washburn-McReavy.com Edina Chapel 952-920-3996 West
50th St. & Hwy 100

Tribute Wall



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