



## Joyce E. Truax

June 1, 1921 - May 15, 2015

She was preceded in death by her parents, Howard and Ruth Truax; sisters, Gladys (Joseph) Kernler, Jean Barnhart, Beverly Truax, and Roberta (Dr. Richard) Oslund; nephew Donald Kernler and special friend, Bud.

Joyce and her sisters attended Edison High School. Joyce received her teaching degree at the Winona Normal School. Her master's degree was through the University of Minnesota.

First graders, in the Minneapolis Public School System, enjoyed Joyce's teaching efforts for thirty years at Prescott first and then Bethune Elementary School. Joyce had a passion for children, writing, music, and gardening. She recently presented several readings from her self-published book, "A Celebration of Verse".

Joyce generously donated her body to the University of Minnesota. Interment will be in eighteen months at the Beaver Cemetery in Beaver, Minnesota.

A memorial service for Joyce and her sister Bobbie Oslund, who passed away on August 20, 2014, is planned for June 20, 2015 at Centennial United Methodist Church in Roseville, Minnesota at 11AM with visitation starting one hour prior. A light lunch will follow.

Additional details can be found on Facebook at "Joyce and Bobbie's Memorial".