



June Smith

December 28, 2009

Smith, June Peterson of Edina, MN, died December 26, 2009. Born in Vesta, MN, June 4, 1920, daughter of Dr. Roy and Evelyn Peterson. Beloved wife, adoring mother, caring grandmother and loyal friend. Survived by husband, Bruce and daughters, Ann Chase, Sara Smith both of Minneapolis, and Susan Butler and her husband, William of Stillwater; 5 grandchildren, Elizabeth Chase, Adrienne (Kevin) Hagen, Melissa Butler, Julia Butler, David Butler; 4 great-grandchildren, Kalen Chase, Hailey Hagen, Heinz Hagen and Cadius Hagen. Attended Macalester College and graduated from the University of Minnesota, she taught schools in Hinckley, MN and in Oak Ridge, TN during the years the atom bomb was developed. Following that she worked as a travel agent for the Ask Mr. Foster offices in New York City and Minneapolis. After her marriage to Bruce in 1949 she was active in community and church activities for a number of years and was also a nursery school teacher. Her interest in community activities continued after moving to the Gull Lake area of Brainerd, MN in 1983. She is listed as a organ donor. A memorial service will be held at Plymouth Congregational Church, 1900 Nicollet Ave in Minneapolis at 2:30 pm Tues., Dec 29. Special thanks to Dr. Ward Godsall, Allina Staff and N.C. Little Hospice. Memorials to Children's Home Society & Family Services of MN, Memorial Blood Centers of MN and Lyon County Historical Society & Museum of Marshall, MN. Private burial at Lakewood Cemetery in Minneapolis. Washburn-McReavy Edina Chapel 952-920-3996