



## Karen Esther Torp

August 22, 1933 - September 6, 2020

Torp, Karen age 87, died on September 6, 2020. She spent her childhood in Belle Plaine, Minnesota, graduated from the University of Minnesota and then taught in the Minneapolis schools for several years. Karen lived in Edina for 46 years and the last eight at Friendship Village of Bloomington. Preceded in death by her husband Dr. William Torp, parents Thomas & Ethel Lynch and her brother Tom. Survived by sons Erik (Liz), Carl, David (Karla), grandchildren Alexander & Maria, brother Leland Lynch (Terry Saario) and sister Jane Wick (Michael). Memorials may be directed to Gillette Children's Specialty Healthcare and The Dowling Urban Environmental Elementary School (formerly Michael Dowling School for Crippled Children) in honor of her brother Tom. No services are planned; private family burial at later date at Lakewood Cemetery.