



## Katherine Louise Guldberg Doepke

December 18, 1921 - April 20, 2024

Age 102 of Minneapolis

Died peacefully at her apartment in Minneapolis on April 20, 2024. Born in Sutton's Bay, MI, she graduated from Fosston, MN High School, holding degrees from Bethany College (AA) and University of MN (BS/MA) in music education.

Her career included teaching music in Mpls. Public Schools (20 yrs), choir director (40 yrs) and congregation president (14 yrs) at Trinity First Lutheran Church. Katherine held key leadership roles in Mu Phi Epsilon music fraternity, Thursday Musical, American Choral Directors Assoc., and American Assoc. of University Women. Recipient of F. Melius Christiansen Lifetime Achievement award and many other honors.

Married to Henry Doepke for 62 years, Katherine had 4 children, 10 grandchildren, and 13 great-grandchildren.

Katherine moved to Kenwood Senior Living, Mpls in 2013 where she relished her independence, served as Residence Council President and entertained her friends on their grand piano.

A 1:00 PM Funeral Service will be held Sat. April 27 at Gathering Place Lutheran Ministries, 3245 New Brighton Road, Arden Hills, MN. (visitation at noon).

Washburn-Mcreavy Davies Chapel

612 377-2203



# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **27**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Gathering Place Lutheran Ministries  
3245 New Brighton Rd  
Arden Hills, MN 55112

# Tribute Wall



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Katherine Louise Guldberg Doepke.*



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April 25, 2024 at 05:38 PM



“ *Always great to see our dad's sister, Aunt Katherine on visits to Michigan. At her brother Erling's 100th birthday, she managed to direct a whole roomful of us, singing in a three-part harmony! Sending love & a hug, Rick & Anne White*



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**Rick & Anne White** - April 25, 2024 at 12:04 AM