



Leonore Doreen (Carlson) Benson

February 22, 2016

Benson, Leonore Doreen (Carlson) I would like to let you know that my work here is finished. I received an offer I could not refuse, for an appointment, from which I will not be returning. It is an appointment which comes with a lovely bonus-a reunion with my beloved husband and dance partner, Bob; a reunion with all of my siblings, my parents, and other relatives, with my friends, all of whom I have not seen in a very long time. My new mission takes me to a wonderful place, a place we all dream about. I will be socializing with the angels, with my Savior, Jesus Christ, with our Lord, dancing, reading, and, hopefully, eating ice cream to my heart's content. I have had a wonderful life and wish to thank all who have helped make it so. I would like to express a special thank you to my caregiver, Shawna Benson, for holding me close in the dark hours of the night. Please do not cry because I am gone; instead, be happy that I was here! I am survived by my five precious children, Linda Benson of Chanhassen; Dale (Mary) Benson of Kimball; Sandy (Dale) Perkins of Clear Lake; Daryl Benson (Pat Nimmerfroh) of Mayer; and Patti (Robert) Juntunen of Minnetonka; four wonderful grandchildren, Sara Jeffrey (Shaun Mackenthun) of Litchfield; Perry (Shawna) Benson of Annandale; Christina (Jeremy) Alman of South Haven; and Cole Juntunen of Minnetonka; and five adorable great-grandchildren, Brennan and Chloe Jeffrey, Cheyanne and Wyatt Benson, and Jordan Alman; nieces and nephews. We, mom's loved ones, want to let her know that she did a great job and wish her a safe journey. We shall remember her oh, so sweet smile, the twinkle in her eye, her

sense of humor, her unconditional love for her family and friends. We invite you to join us and celebrate together. Interment Fort Snelling National Cemetery. Funeral service 10:30 AM Friday, Feb. 26 with visitation one hour prior to the service. Reception to follow all at: Washburn-McReavy.com Edina Chapel 952-920-3996 West 50th St. & Hwy 100

Tribute Wall



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“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Please know you are in our hearts. Love*

Brenda, Carlos, Jeanne, Cris, Sofia, Arturo and Dennis.

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“ *You don't know me nor I your mother, but wanted you to know your tribute to her was just beautiful! She would certainly be proud!*

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