



## Marjorie E Bloom

April 8, 1918 - December 17, 2017

(Nee: Calander)

Age 99, of Roseville, peacefully entered her heavenly home on December 17, 2017. Marge was preceded in death by her husband, Ronald, and is survived by sons: Paul (Meg), Terry (Karen [late]), and Steven (JoAnne); 8 grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren. Marge grew up on a farm in rural Cambridge, Minnesota in a household that included Swedish immigrant grandparents who had homesteaded and built the farm. After graduating from Cambridge High School in 1936, she attended secretarial school before working as a clerical worker for Isanti County until she married Ronald in 1941. Marge was reared in a Swedish Baptist church (North Isanti Baptist) and was a founding member of the Brooklyn Center Baptist Church. Marjorie and Ronald raised their family in Fridley where they lived for over 40 years. In addition to being a loving wife, mother and skilled homemaker, Marge used her secretarial skills working in various positions. She enjoyed crafting; especially, making dolls that grew to a large award-winning collection. Her last years were comfortably spent at EagleCrest Arbor in Roseville. As her abilities declined, she retained a welcoming spirit displayed by a warm smile for her caregivers and visitors.

The funeral will be Thurs., Dec., 28, 2017 at Holcomb-Henry-Boom-Purcell Funeral Home, 515 Highway 96, Shoreview at 11:00 AM. Visitation begins at 10:00 AM. Interment will be at Cambridge Baptist Union Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials to Presbyterian Homes Foundation,

2845 Hamline Ave N, Roseville, MN 55113.