



Mary Jane Carlson

May 21, 1926 - August 2, 2021

Carlson, Mary Jane Age 95 went to be with the Lord on August 2, 2021 joining her husband of 56 years R. Allen Carlson, her son Russell, son-in-law Patrick and daughter-in-law Edith on August 2, 2021.

Survived by her children, Julie (daughter-in-law), Ruth Nicholson, Ron (MaryLynn), Rich (Sue), David, Jeanne Draper, Mary (Kelby) Grovender, Lee; sisters, Gerry (Hugh), Marge, Dorothy (Tony); sister-in-law, Marcella. She was the adoring grandmother to 24 grandchildren and 42 great grandchildren. She enjoyed time spent with family, serving in the church kitchen, reading, sewing, and gardening.

At an age when most people retire, she went to work as a home health aide, caring for others.

She grew up in Niagara, Wisconsin with her 3 brother and 6 sisters, and spent her adult life in Albert Lea and Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 AM, Friday, August 20, 2021 at GracePoint Church, 2351 Rice Creek Road, New Brighton. Visitation from 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM. Interment at Fort Snelling National Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials preferred to Gideon Bibles (<https://www.gideons.org>) or Low Vision/Macular Degeneration research (<https://www.brightfocus.org/macular>).

Tribute Wall

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“ *Our deepest condolences on the passing of Aunt Mary Jane. She was such a very wonderful person and always, always had a wonderful smile and kind words. She will be greatly missed. Much love to all.*



Tawnn Cherty - August 18, 2021 at 12:00 AM

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“ *to the family -- I think I perhaps met her at Mary & Kelby's wedding, but the brief but succinct obituary reveals such a wonderful woman! May her grandchildren and great grands always remember her kind ways.*

Rosalie Nelson - August 08, 2021 at 12:00 AM