



Mildred (Hedlund) Sogard

December 31, 2006

Sogard, Mildred L. (Hedlund) age 83, of Golden Valley, formerly of St. Louis Park, passed away on December 29, 2006. Mildred is survived by her husband, Herman O. Sogard; children, Gary (Barbara) Sogard, Gloria (Jon) Paulson; grandchildren, Jennifer (Lance) Paulson Klimek, Stephanie Sogard, Christian Paulson, Betze (Andy) Paulson Deutz, Jon Gary Paulson; great-grandsons, Tristan, Cade and Connor; brother, Raymond Hedlund. Mildred graduated from North High School in 1941. In 1942, at a war time Christmas party at Fort Snelling, she met Herman Sogard when they were paired together during the grand march. They were married in 1944. During their happy years together, they had two children, Gary and Gloria. The family enjoyed touring the United States on annual vacations. For many years, Mildred catered special occasions for a small clientele but she most enjoyed hosting countless dinners for friends and family. Mildred was a longtime member and volunteer of the American Swedish Institute and also belonged to the Acacia Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, but her true vocation was doting on her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Funeral service will be held on Tuesday, January 2 at 1 PM at: Washburn-McReavy Crystal Lake Chapel 612-521-3677 Penn & Dowling Aves N.