



Miriam Strand

March 18, 2009

Strand, Miriam Rhue age 83, much loved wife, sister, aunt and great aunt, passed away on March 15, 2009. Miriam was born June 21, 1925, the 2nd child of 14 born to Orin and Elena Cain of Amery, WI. Miriam attended Pinehill School and graduated from Balsam Lake High School. She then attended St. Paul Bible Institute, later Nyak Bible College in New York. Planning to be a missionary, Miriam spent a year in language training in Paris, France. She traveled to the country then known as French West Africa where she served under the Christian Missionary Alliance as a teacher and secretary for 12 years. She returned to the U.S. when health problems interrupted her work. Miriam then worked at the Mpls. Grain Exchange until her retirement. Miriam is survived by her husband, John Strand; sisters, Oralee (Jack) Bailey, Violet (Rodney) Roberts, Lynnette Cain and Lucienne Cain; brothers, Orin Cain Jr., Dallas (Ann) Cain, Orison (Carol) Cain, Melvin (Nancy) Cain; and numerous nieces, nephews; great-nieces & nephews. Preceding her in death were parents, Orin and Elena Cain; brothers, William, Carlin and Homer Cain; sisters, Lois Cain and Nina Reinhold; a niece & nephew. Miriam is now in Heaven with the Savior whom she loved and served. Interment Fort Snelling National Cemetery. Funeral service Thursday 3/19/09, 11:00 AM at Fourth Baptist Church, 900 Forestview Lane N., in Plymouth. Visitation one hour prior to service at church. Washburn-McReavy Robbinsdale Chapel 763-537-2333