



## Nancy Carlson Anderson

January 18, 1939 - April 1, 2026

Edina, MN - Nancy Carlson Anderson passed away on April 1st, 2026, at the age of 87.

She died peacefully at her Edina home early in the morning on April 1, 2026. She had just returned from a stay in the hospital, and was delighted to have made it back to her home.

Born to a Swedish immigrant mother in Moline, Illinois, she was the beloved younger sister to two siblings, as well as a very cherished aunt to her many nieces and nephews.

In the mid-1960's, she moved to Minneapolis, where she taught first grade at the Kenwood School for just over a decade. There, she forged close friendships with students and families who would remain close to her throughout her life.

During that time, she married Cliff Anderson, who would be her devoted husband for 55 years.

She was, together with her husband Cliff, a heartfelt philanthropist.

She is survived by her husband Cliff, daughter Ellen Holt and grandsons

William and Peter Holt.

A small private service for friends and family will be held at her beloved Mount Olivet Lutheran Church.

Donations in her name can be made to:

Mount Olivet Lutheran Church,

5025 Knox Ave South

Minneapolis, MN 55419

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 15. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Mount Olivet Lutheran Church (So. Mpls)  
5025 Knox Avenue South  
Minneapolis, MN 55419

## Funeral Service

APR 15. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Mount Olivet Lutheran Church (So. Mpls)  
5025 Knox Avenue South  
Minneapolis, MN 55419

## Graveside Service

APR 15. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

Sunset Memorial Park (Minneapolis)  
2250 Saint Anthony Boulevard  
Minneapolis, MN 55418

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Cliff and Ellen , I am so saddened to see that Nancy has passed.  
Sincerest condolences and bear hugs. Pat Gessner*

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**pat gessner** - April 16 at 03:15 PM