



Nellie Shmitka

September 27, 2006

Shmitka, Nellie Alma age 90, of Edina, passed away Sept. 22, 2006. Nellie was born to John and Ida Streit in Mount Vernon, WI. She graduated from Mpls. Edison High School in 1933. Preceded in death by her parents; and her husband, Raymond C. Shmitka. Survived by daughter, Jan Lepsi of Palos Hills, IL; son, Wayne (LaVonne) of Centennial, CO; grandchildren, Alan (Juanita) Tietz, Virginia Tietz, Diane (Doug) Armstrong, Teresa Shmitka, Jared (Nicol) Shmitka, Cheryl (Ben) Vavra; step-grandchildren, Michael, Robert and Susan Walden; great grandchildren, Alan Tietz Jr., Barbie Burkhart, Ben and Mikayla Armstrong, Daniel, Bryan, Dylan and Devyn Shmitka, Kyle and Kaitlyn Vavra; great-great grandchild, Jeremy Burkhart; sister, Joann (Dale) McKeen of New Hope; and a nephew, Chuck (Linda) McKeen; and many caring neighbors and friends. In lieu of flowers, memorials preferred to Normandale Church Choir or donor's choice. Interment Fort Snelling Cemetery. Funeral service 11 AM Friday at Normandale Lutheran Church, 6100 Normandale Rd., Edina with visitation one hour prior to service at the church and also from 5-8 PM Thursday at: Washburn-McReavy Edina Chapel 952-920-3996 West 50th St. & Hwy 100

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“ *Nellie Shmitka. Was my grandmother. She treated us, My sister and I. Like her own children.* ”

Alan Tietz - February 22, 2024 at 05:39 PM