



Phyllis Rhoda Metzger

November 14, 1923 - July 8, 2009

Beloved Mother, Grandmother and Great-Grandmother Phyllis R. Metzger passed away peacefully at home surrounded by her loving family on Wednesday, July 8, 2009 at age 85. Preceded in death by her husband the Rev. Paul O. Metzger and her parents, Albert & Louise Rhoda. Survived by her children: Stephen (Kathy), Cynthia Woodbury, and Barbara "BJ" Metzger, grandchildren: Heather (Michael) Francis, Jennifer (Matt) Mankowski, Gayle Woodbury, Tressa Housen, Alison Woodbury, Paul Metzger, Leah (Jeremy) Yarrington as well as great grandchildren Elaina and Nicholas Mankowski, Julia Francis, and Kya Yarrington. Born in Milton, MA and raised in Quincy, MA, she graduated from North Quincy High School and Quincy City Hospital School of Nursing. She met her beloved husband, the late Rev. Paul O. Metzger while serving as part of the US Cadet Nurse Corps in New Jersey. After moving to MN, she was devoted to her roles as a minister's wife, nurse, and mother. She finished her fine nursing career with the State of Minnesota Department of Health as a Survey and Review Unit Supervisor. Dedicated to her faith and service to the community, she was a proud member of Fairmount Avenue United Methodist Church in St Paul. Funeral services: Monday July 13, 1:00 PM at FAIRMOUNT AVENUE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 1523 Fairmount Ave, St. Paul. Visitation 2-6PM Sunday July 12 at HOLCOMB-HENRY-BOOM, 536 N Snelling, St. Paul (651-646-2844). Memorials Preferred.

Tribute Wall



“ Steve, and family, my thoughts are with you at this time. Mothers are special.

Jeff Henry - July 13, 2009 at 12:00 AM