



## Sarah Rachel Skalet ( Swanson

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October 8, 2013

Skalet, Sarah Rachel (Swenson) age 101, of St. Louis Park, passed away Oct. 8, 2013. She was born on Nov. 16, 1911 in Lowry, MN, the daughter of Emma & Erick Swenson and was the 10th of 12 children. Sally was preceded in death by her husband, Gunnar in 1995; her parents and all 11 of her siblings. Sally met Gunnar Skalet at the Mpls Ice Arena and they were married in 1941. She is survived by her son, John (Marjie) of Denver, CO; daughter, Mary Jeanne (Mick) of Balsam Lake, WI; grandchildren, Andy Skalet, Laura Balfour (Eric); great- grandchildren, Noah, Annabel, Meredith; as well as many nieces, nephews, great-nieces & great-nephews. Sally hoped to be remembered for her faith in God and her dependence upon God for everything in life and after death. In lieu of flowers, please make any donations to the Mt. Olivet Lutheran Church Elder Outreach Program. Memorial service 12:30 PM Saturday, Oct. 19, with visitation one hour prior to service at: [www.Washburn-McReavy.com](http://www.Washburn-McReavy.com) Strobeck Johnson Chapel 1400 Mainstreet, Hopkins 952 938-9020

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“ *Sally will always be one of my favorite people. I started out as her hairdresser around 1979 at Horst and she became a loving friend. Years later, I even delivered hairdos to her home when she still lived in St. Louis Park. Seeing her in her house was the best--like going home somehow, like she was my mom, too. I can see her face now as I walked past the birch tree and she opened the front door as though she were waiting for me, which I'm sure she was. I can picture every detail of her in her kitchen right now--offering me one of her fabulous Christmas cookies before I gave her that June Allyson hairdo. I could see her happiness when I mentioned how gorgeous she was and what a great figure she had before I left. It was a warm and wonderful gift to know Sally and to have had so much time with her in such an intimate and beautiful way.*

*From Alicia*

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**Alicia** - October 11, 2013 at 10:01 AM