



## Verla Corellie Dobervich

March 24, 1935 - February 18, 2025

Dobervich, Verla Corellie (nee Johnson), age 89, of Bloomington, Minnesota, passed away February 18, 2025. Preceded in death by parents Alfred Clarence Johnson and Hilda Corella Johnson (nee Sorkness) and sister Priscilla (Grefsrud). Survived by her son, Broc, and numerous relatives. Verla was raised on a farm adjoining the city of Moorhead, Minnesota; attended Moorhead High School; and graduated from Concordia College, earning Bachelor of Arts degrees in Business Education, Psychology & Education, and Music in 1956. Verla taught business education for several years prior to marrying and raising a family in Fargo, North Dakota. In 1970, the family moved to Bloomington, Minnesota, where Verla worked at St. Paul Companies in its claims and staff attorney offices, and subsequently at Midwest Medical Insurance Company before retiring in 2001. Verla enjoyed reading, fostering "rescue" shelties, and hunting for and refinishing antiques. Verla will be remembered for her kindness and compassionate counsel and will be dearly missed by family and friends.

To honor Verla's wishes, there will be a private family ceremony prior to her internment at Lakewood Cemetery in Minneapolis. In lieu of flowers, memorials can be made to either Mount Olivet Lutheran Church Counseling Center or the Animal Humane Society.

