



Elvira Jeanette Johnson

April 20, 1920 - March 20, 2018

Elvira J. Johnson, 97 year old resident of Golden Valley, MN formerly of Little Falls, MN passed away Tuesday, March 20, 2018 at Colonial Acres Assisted Living in Golden Valley, MN. A funeral service will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Tuesday, March 27, 2018 at Grace Covenant Church in Little Falls, MN with Rev. Jerry Johnson and Rev. Greg Satterberg officiating. Burial will take place in Oakland Cemetery in Little Falls, MN. A visitation will be held from 10-11 A.M. on Tuesday at Grace Covenant Church in Little Falls, MN. There will also be a memorial service at 2:00 P.M. on Wednesday, March 28, 2018 at Covenant Village in Golden Valley, MN with a visitation from 1-2 P.M. at Covenant Village located at 5800 St. Croix Ave., Golden Valley, MN.

Elvira Jeanette Johnson was born on April 20, 1920 in Little Falls to the late Joel and Signe (Nelson) Johnson. After graduating from high school, she postponed further education, because her sister was dying from tuberculosis. However, in 1939 she continued with her education and became a student at the Bible Institute at Minnehaha Academy in Minneapolis. After graduating from the two-year program, Elvira returned to Little Falls and worked at the Morrison County Government Center. She worked in the auditor's office for over 40 years and served her final 13 years as the County Auditor.

Ellie loved her time at Grace Covenant and played their organ or piano for 60

years. She taught Sunday School, and worked on many projects for the church women. Ellie traveled to many different countries, took many photographs and kept detailed scrapbooks of her journeys. Her artistic talents were evident in her paintings, embroidery, knitting and crocheting. She loved collecting recipes, had a cabinet full of salt and pepper shakers and adored her dolls. Ellie moved from Little Falls in 2001 to Covenant Village in Golden Valley. She continued to travel and took advantage of the many trips and tours offered by the retirement center.

Ellie is survived by her brother, Jerry and his wife, Tish; nephews, Tim (Beth) Johnson and Randy (Judy) Johnson; nieces, Lenore (Brian) Frable and Lynette Johnson; great-nephews, Jerod (Lindsay), Joel (Megan), and Caleb (Ariel); great nieces, Annalise, Tori, Clarisa (Max) Finizio, Krista and Jayden; and five great grands, Cali, Piper, Henry, Emma and Lars.

She was preceded in death by her parents; sister, Dahlia Johnson; and great-niece, Brita Marie Johnson.

Memorial gifts may be designated to Covenant Retirement Communities, Benevolent Care Fund. She treasured and appreciated the many friendships she made through the years.

Cemetery Details

Oakland Cemetery

14820 138TH ST
Little Falls, MN 56345

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 27. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Grace Covenant Church
17117 Riverwood Drive
Little Falls, MN 56345

Service

MAR 27. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Elvira Jeanette Johnson*

January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *Patty And Joe Mallak lit a candle in memory of Elvira Jeanette Johnson*



Patty and Joe Mallak - March 23, 2018 at 11:22 AM