



Vivian (Hanson) Olson

February 29, 1920 - November 13, 2009

Vivian (Hanson) Olson, 89 year old resident of Little Falls, MN formerly of Minneapolis, MN passed away Friday, November 13, 2009 at the Lutheran Care Center in Little Falls. A Memorial Service will be held at 10:00 A.M. on Thursday, November 19, 2009 at Trinity Lutheran Church in South Minneapolis with Pastor Eric Hulstrand officiating. Burial will be at Lakewood Cemetery in Minneapolis.

Vivian (Hanson) Olson was born on February 29, 1920 in Zimmerman, Minnesota to the late Ole & Annette (Christianson) Hermanson. She lived in Zimmerman until she finished 8th grade at the country school and then moved to Princeton, MN where she lived with her older sister Helen and graduated from high school. Vivian had known Myron Hanson for most of her life. They married and moved to Florida where Myron was in the service. Myron was eventually shipped overseas and Vivian returned to Minneapolis and gave birth to their son Richard. When Myron returned they moved to their own house. Myron and Vivian belonged to Trinity Lutheran Church of Minnehaha Falls. Vivian taught Sunday school, VBS and belonged to Circle and Christian Homemakers. She worked for the Sr. Kenny Institute and eventually at the Billy Graham office, which she loved. Unfortunately Myron passed away in January of 1968, a few years later she married Gordon Olson and became stepmother to his children Janet and Gary. After Gordon passed away Vivian moved into an apartment where she continued her service at Trinity Church and hospitality to family and friends. She especially liked baking for her

granddaughters and great-grandchildren. . She is survived by her son, Richard (Jan) Hanson of Little Falls, MN; granddaughters, Kristen (David) Goligowski and Bridget Hanson; great-grandchildren Ben, Ellie, Jasie, & Gigi; sister, Viola (William) Hanson of Minneapolis, MN. Vivian was preceded in death by her parents; husbands, Myron and Gordon; 3 sisters, Helen, Myrtle, and Ethel; brother, Elliot. Well done thou good and faithful servant.

Tribute Wall



“ *Vivian (Hanson) Olson*

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