



Florence Louise Westrom

September 28, 1923 - January 24, 2016

Florence Louise Westrom was born in Lien Township, MN on September 28, 1923 the daughter of Hugo and Elin (Oakstrom) Lindblom. She was baptized and confirmed at Mission Covenant Church. She attended school in Grant County.

Florence was united in marriage on September 29, 1945 at Wenersborg Lutheran Church to the love of her life Melvin Westrom. They lived in Alexandria where they raised their daughter DeAnn. Florence was a beautician and had a beauty shop out of her home for many years. She liked gardening, sewing, and playing cards with friends and family. Florence volunteered her time at Calvary Lutheran Church and other community organizations in the area. She also enjoyed socializing with her friends at Calvary Lutheran Church.

Florence loved her family and especially liked to spoil her grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was known to bake the best rhubarb crisp, chocolate chip cookies and homemade bread. She enjoyed the helpful staff at Prairie Senior Cottages and always said "Tack så mycket" (thank you very much in Swedish). She will be missed by all who knew and loved her.

Florence L. Westrom died on Sunday, January 24, 2016 at the Prairie Senior Cottages in Alexandria at the age of 92 years old. She is preceded in death by her parents, husband Melvin Westrom, sisters Doris Berg and Gloria Aanerud, six brothers Wallace, Oliver, Willard, Elmer, Harold, and Robert Lindblom. She is survived by her loving daughter DeAnn Bernardy of Alexandria; grandsons

Brent (Sarah) Bernardy of Brandon, MN and Josh (Tina) Bernardy of Alexandria; great grandchildren Sophia Bernardy of Brandon, Zackary, Orion, and Sorsha Bernardy all of Alexandria; brother Leroy (Constance) Lindblom of Luverne; sister-in-law Alice Ellis of Alexandria; nieces and nephews.

A funeral service was held on Thursday, January 28, 2016 at Calvary Lutheran Church in Alexandria with the Reverend Marilee Bergerson officiating. Interment was in the Wennersborg Lutheran Cemetery near Kensington, MN.

Arrangements are with the Anderson Funeral Home in Alexandria.

www.andersonfuneral.net

Florence L. Westrom age 92 of Alexandria died on Sunday, January 24, 2016 at Prairie Senior Cottages in Alexandria. A funeral service will be held on Thursday, January 28, 2016 at 11AM at Calvary Lutheran Church in Alexandria. Visitation will be held for one hour prior to the service at the church on Thursday. Interment will be in Wennersborg Lutheran Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Wennersborg Lutheran Cemetery

Kensington, MN 56343

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **28**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Calvary Lutheran Church
605 Douglas
Alexandria, MN 56308

Funeral Service

JAN **28**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Calvary Lutheran Church
605 Douglas
Alexandria, MN 56308

Tribute Wall



“ I remembered Florence well through the past years when she was an active member at Calvary Lutheran. It was my privilege to visit Florence regularly in these last few months of her life and she was always very pleasant and grateful. We enjoyed singing (and once even playing the piano) some of the well loved hymns. I could tell that she loved music.

Rebecca 'Hult' Worley - January 27, 2016 at 08:06 PM



“ DeAnn - Thinking of you and all the wonderful times I had with you, your mom and my mom. Peace and blessings. Ken Martinson

Ken Martinson - January 26, 2016 at 11:10 PM



“ DeAnn, I am so sorry to hear about your Mom passing away. She was a very special woman. It brings back lots of good memories from when we were young and our parents would get together and we would play. We won't be able to make the service, but we need to make the time to get together this summer. I will mail you my phone number so we can connect again. Sue Schleif

Sue Schleif - January 26, 2016 at 07:08 PM



“ Sorry for your loss. When someone you love dies, it hurts very deeply. It is my wish that you will find comfort through prayer, to "the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ". God invites you to throw all your burdens on him, and he will sustain you through this difficult and painful period.

Milton Campbell - January 26, 2016 at 10:43 AM

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“ Allen And DiAnn Bakke lit a candle in memory of Florence Louise Westrom



Allen and DiAnn Bakke - January 25, 2016 at 07:02 PM

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“ Aunt Florence was a gentle person with a ready smile. She treated us so well. I will miss her and enjoyed listening to her play the piano and hearing her speak Swedish. She will be missed. Much love, Debra

Deb Solis - January 25, 2016 at 05:23 PM