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IN LOVING MEMORY OF

*Harriette M. Halverson*

On August 30, 2007 at 7:10 PM, Harriette Merrilla Halverson went to be in the presence of her Lord. She is survived by her husband of 52 years, Virgil Eugene and four daughters and their families. They are Peggy Halverson and Tom Kasak and son Justin; Jill and Craig Coughlin and children Ben and Sandy; Wendy and Paul Fuglestad and children Andrew, Emily, Noah and Christopher and Heidi and Skip Fisher and children Shane and Tate. Surviving siblings are an older sister Mary Burkhart and a younger brother Frank Finke. Harriette was 79 years old and rested from a full life of service lived with energy, ability and love.

Harriette was born on July 15, 1928 in Spring Valley, Wisconsin, Martel Township in Pierce County. Growing up on a farm, she began her schooling in a one-room schoolhouse and ended her education at River Falls and St. Cloud Universities. She taught elementary schools in Minnesota at Hoffman, Minnesota Lake, Stewart, Minnewashta and Prior Lake schools. She worked for 15 years for Cargill Corporation until her retirement in 1992.

Harriette played flute and sang in choirs through her high school and college training and remained committed to singing in church choirs all her years. For years she sang Handel's Messiah in combined church choirs. She also served actively through the years in numerous church and community activities including Dinner at Your Door, Sunday schools, Girl Scouts, Wednesday night meals, Methodist Hospital information desk, reading programs with Minnetonka Schools and church music committee.

From Excelsior Methodist the family in 1972 transitioned membership to Excelsior Covenant where they remained active members up to the present. Virgil and Harriette took short-term mission trips to Quito, Ecuador and Mt. Hagen, Papua New Guinea. Harriette, Virgil and their daughters loved to camp and travel having visited to most of America's 50 states.



MEMORIAL CELEBRATION SERVICE

Wednesday, September 5, 2007 11:00 AM

Excelsior Covenant Church, 19955 Excelsior Boulevard, Excelsior, Minnesota 55331  
(952) 474-2537[www.excelsior-covenant-church.org](http://www.excelsior-covenant-church.org)

FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON

Following the service.

PRIVATE INTERMENT

Thursday September 6, 2007  
Ft. Snelling National Cemetery, Ft. Snelling, Minnesota