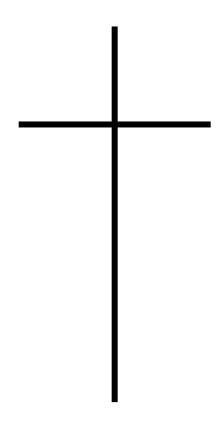
Esther Johanna Rose Sandau, age eighty-eight, of Alexandria, MN, entered into eternal rest on October 27, 2019. Esther was born May 31, 1931, in Krain Township, Stearns County on the family farm near Holdingford, MN, to John and Bertha (Hollenbach) Stern. Esther received the Sacrament of Holy Baptism on June 21, 1931, at Ebenezer Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albany, MN and later affirmed her faith in the rite of Confirmation on May 27, 1945. Esther graduated from Holdingford High School and the Professional Business Institute in Minneapolis. She married Elmer Sandau at Ebenezer Lutheran Church in Albany. Elmer's job brought the couple to Alexandria where they were both active members of Zion Lutheran Church. Two children were born to this union. She was a life member of the VFW Auxiliary.

Esther is survived by her children, Michael and his wife, Kay, of Spicer, MN and Michelle and her husband, Nick Torborg, of Champlin, MN. There are two grandchildren, Adam Sandau and Andrew Sandau; also several nieces and nephews. Esther joins her loved ones who have gone before; her Father, Mother, husband, Elmer Sandau, a sister and a nephew.

The family wishes to take this opportunity to thank all who have been so helpful at this time of bereavement.



In Remembrance
Esther Sandau

1931 ~ 2019

# *In Memory of*

## **Esther Sandau**

May 31, 1931 & October 27, 2019

### **Funeral Service**

Zion Lutheran Church Alexandria, Minnesota Friday, November 1, 2019 11:30 AM

#### **Officiant**

Reverend Don Wilke Reverend Terry Finnern

#### **Casket Bearers**

James Bredeck
Gary Aakre
Nicholas Torborg

Elaine Lindquist
David Aakre
Lisa Van Hout

### **Honorary Casket Bearers**

Adam Sandau Andrew Sandau

Members of the

Women's Fellowship

#### Interment

Kinkead Cemetery Alexandria, Minnesota

Lord, You have been our

Dwelling place
Throughout the generations.

Before the mountains were born
Or you brought forth the earth
And the world,
From everlasting to
Everlasting thou art God.

Psalm 90:1,2