

## **ELSA M. SATHER**

**TAYLOR** – Elsa Maedeline Sather, 90, of Taylor, died Tuesday, May 12, 2015 at Black River Memorial Hospital while under the care of her family and Black River Memorial Hospice.

Elsa, the daughter of Nels A. and Serine (Tjeransen) Skutley, was born June 13, 1924 in Blair. She was raised in Curran Valley. Elsa graduated from Taylor High School in April 1942.

Elsa married Ray Sather on March 28, 1942 in Blair. They moved to San Diego, CA and worked at Canvair Aircraft Factory during WW II. After the war they moved to Taylor where they owned and operated Taylor Café and Variety Store for a number of years. Many people will remember her as custodian at Taylor School.

Elsa is survived by her daughter Elaine Pregent of Crystal, MN; grandson Corey (Kritsana) Pregent of Brooklyn Park, MN; one great grandson, Austin Ray.

Elsa was preceded in death by her parents, Nels and Serine; husband Ray on December 1, 1975; sister, Helga Skutley Lindbo; brother Arvid Skutley.

Funeral services for Elsa will be 11:00 AM, Monday, May 18, 2015 at Taylor Lutheran Church with Rev. Ben Ahles-Iverson officiating. Burial will follow in Woodlawn Cemetery in rural Taylor.

Friends may call from 5-7 PM, Sunday at Jensen-Modjeski Funeral Home in Hixton. Friends may also call from 10:00 AM until the time of services at the church on Monday.

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