Veronica "Verna" Claire Schropp formerly of St. Charles. A memorial service for Veronica "Verna" Claire Schropp, 87, of Bloomingdale, formerly of St. Charles, will be held at 1:30 p.m. Sunday, at Yurs Funeral Home, 405 E. Main St., St. Charles. The Rev. Steve Miller will officiate. Born Aug. 22, 1912, in Chicago, to John and Martha (nee Kunkel) Mudloff, she died Thursday, March 2, 2000, at Alexian Brothers Vitas Hospice in Elk Grove Village. Burial will be private, in St. Joseph Cemetery, River Forest. Prior to her retirment to New Port Richey, Fla., Verna held managerial positions with National Van Lines and Solar Screw Company. Her love of cooking led to her successful business, Catering by Claire. Her family, however, was always the central focus of her life and she will be dearly missed. She greatly cherished the moments spent with her kids and grandkids. Surviving are her daughter, Charlotte (Bruce) Safbom of St. Charles; son, Glenn (Kathy) Schwartz of Yardley, Pa.; her adored grandchildren, Sheryl Frasco and Scott Safbom, both of Glen Ellyn, Kimberly (David) Griffin of Three Oaks, Mich., and David Schwartz of Ann Arbor, Mich.; and great-grandchildren, Justin, Christine, Eric, Andrew, Jacob and Grace Claire. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Joseph Schropp; sister, Genevieve; and brothers, Paul, Fred and Bob. There will be no visitation. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Vitas Hospice, c/o Alexian Brothers Medical Center, 800 W. Biesterfield Road, Elk Grove Village, IL 60007. For information, (630) 584-0060.

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