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Helen Jean Utter entered into the loving arms of her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on Friday, October 2, 2015. She was preceded to eternal life by her beloved husband, Del Utter and their son, Bill Utter. Jean was born on November 23, 1922, in St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada to Rodney and Helen Goodwin. After graduating from high school she worked in Hamilton, Ontario where she met Del Utter, the love of her life. They were married in St. Catharines in 1942 and celebrated 57 years of marriage. Jean is survived by two daughters and their husbands, Susan and Roy Hartman of College Station, Tex. and Jill and Mike Halseth of Charlottesville, Va.; and one surviving son and his wife, Jim and Perlita Utter of Paso Robles, Calif. Jean will be missed by her children, nine grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren, and many other relatives. The loves of Mother's life included her husband

and children, all of her family and friends, family get-togethers, the farms in Canada, traveling with family, reading, and most of all, Jesus. We as her family will forever reflect on how blessed we have been by both our parents. Their courageous acceptance of disease and suffering led them to focus on giving to us peace, unconditional love, faith and humor. The family would like to thank our dear friends and Hospice of the Piedmont for their help and prayers which enabled us to lovingly care for Mother in Jill's home with four generations participating. A memorial service to celebrate Jean Utter's life will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, November 27, 2015, at Jefferson Park Baptist Church, 2505 Jefferson Park Avenue, Charlottesville, Va. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests making a gift to the Charlottesville Pregnancy Center or Hospice of the Piedmont

www.hopva.org.