Dr. Luella Mae Bare Voogd Klein-Colquitt, "Teddy", age 94, died on the 13th day, January 2019. Dr. Klein was born the daughter of Elmer De Witt Bare and Leah Stunkard in Walker, Iowa. Dr. Klein graduated Summa Cum Laude from the University of Iowa with a BA degree in 1946. She received her MD degree from the University of Iowa in 1949 and was elected to Alpha Omega Alpha. She completed a rotating internship at Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio and completed training in internal medicine and general surgery prior to completing residency in obstetrics and gynecology in 1955. After residency, Dr. Klein joined the faculty in obstetrics and gynecology at the School of Medicine Western Reserve University, in Cleveland, Ohio. In 1955, she was elected a United States Senior Fulbright Scholar attending post-graduate medical school and performing research at the University of London in London, England until 1957. Over the course of her long career, she served as an obstetric consultant for the Georgia Department of Public Health, 1958-1960, Assistant Director of Clinical Research at Bristol Laboratories, in Syracuse, New York, 1965-1967 and spent many years in private practice. She joined the faculty of Emory University in 1967 and spent the remainder of her career in the Department of Gynecology and Obstetrics at Emory University School of Medicine working primarily at Grady Memorial Hospital in Atlanta. She was Professor of Gynecology and Obstetrics, Co-Director of the Emory Regional Perinatal Center and Director of the Maternal and Infant (M&I) Care Project. Dr. Klein was honored by Emory University as a Charles Howard Candler Professor in 1988 and served as the first woman chair of the Department of Gynecology and Obstetrics, 1986-1993. Dr. Klein's professional career illustrates her dedication to women's health care, prenatal care, national and international health policy, and medical education. Dr. Klein was a Fellow of the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists (ACOG) and was elected the first woman president of ACOG (1984). Her presidency focused on unintended pregnancy. She also served as the Vice President for Women's Health Issues at ACOG, 1994-2010. Throughout her career, Dr. Klein was interested and involved in research in a variety of areas of important women's health issues. She served as an Executive Board member and past chair of Family Health International (FHI) and was a Board and Executive Committee member and past chair of the Alan Guttmacher Institute. She was a member of the Institute of Medicine and in her role as Director of Women's Health Issues, she was particularly involved in care for the underserved women and adolescent patients. She was on the general board of directors, division of maternal-fetal medicine at the American Board of Obstetrics and Gynecology. She was a participant in the NIH Expert Panel on the content of prenatal care and a member of the American Hospital Association Committee on Physicians, Chairman and Vice Chairman of Maternal and Child Health Care governing council of the American Hospital Association and Chairman of Food and Drug Administration Ob/Gyn Device Committee, 1986-1988. Dr. Klein championed maternal and infant care in the state of Georgia, and the effort to reduce infant and maternal mortality. She utilized her skills to carry these issues to a national and international level. She was a former President of the Georgia Ob Gyn Society. Dr. Klein received numerous honors and recognitions including receiving the Elizabeth Blackwell Award, the Family Health International Distinguished Recognition Award, SAAOG Lifetime Achievement Award, American Congress of Obstetricians and Gynecologists award for Outstanding Distinguished Service and the ACOG Lifetime Achievement Award. More recently the Emory Medical Alumni Association honored Dr. Klein with the Arnall Platz Award in 2015 in recognition of her strong commitment and dedication to issues that affect women in the Emory community and beyond. She received a 40th Anniversary Award from Federation Internationale Gynaecology and Obstetrics and recognition from local and regional professional societies in Georgia. Dr. Klein served as an editor for peer-review journals, textbooks, and authored many articles important to women and infant health. Dr. Klein retired from the Emory University Department of Gynecology and Obstetrics at the age of 89. Her husband, Alfred O. Colquitt, MD, predeceased her in 2005. Surviving are stepsons Alfred Colquitt, MD (Carol), Michael Colquitt (Robby) and Harold Colquitt; nine grandchildren and eight great grandchildren; nieces Becky Thomsen (Lorence), Barbara Taber (Raymond), nephew Carl Bare and host of great nieces and nephews. Thank you to the many caregivers who have supported Dr. Klein over the years. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that contributions be made in Dr. Klein's memory to support direct patient care for underserved women at the Emory Regional Perinatal Center, Grady Memorial Hospital. Contributions should be made payable to Emory University and sent to Emory University, 1762 Clifton Road NE, Suite 1400, Atlanta, Georgia 30322. There will be a celebration of her life on Saturday, February 9, 11:00 am at the Glenn Memorial United Methodist Church, 1660 North Decatur Road NE, located on the Emory University campus.