

Alice Baker (Obituary)

Miss Alice Baker, 91, a pioneer resident of Eagle, died Monday April 15 at the Sauk County Health Care Center at Reedsburg.

Miss Baker started her teaching career in 1910 after receiving her training at Whitewater Normal School. She then taught in Montana, later at Lancaster and Eau Claire.

In 1934 she visited her brother, John Earl Baker in China and as a result remained there to teach for 2 years at the Kuling School in Peking. Upon her return she taught in Eagleville and Wales and ended her teaching career in 1945 at Shullsburg.

Miss Baker was a member of the Waukesha Writers' Club and the Waukesha County Historical Society having contributed many articles for its publication "Landmark." She was a member of the Eagle United Methodist Church and had written a history of the Eagle Church entitled "The Methodist Church Story" for its centennial in 1971.

She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Aurel Pardee and nieces and 7 nephews. The body will be shown at Mealy Funeral Home Eagle after 4:00 PM on Wed. Apr. 17.

Funeral services will be at the Eagle United Methodist Church on Thursday April 18 at 2:00 P.M. with the Rev. Edward Johnson officiating, with burial in Little Prairie Cemetery.

The family suggests memorials to the Eagle Library Fund or the Eagle United Methodist Church.

Birth date June 13, 1882

Mother's name Lydia Ann Duffin

Fathers name Francis Baker