

MYRA G ALEXANDER
1865-1950

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Myra G Alexander was born in 1865 in the State of Iowa as per the 1910 U.S. Federal Census. When she was 38 years old she married Milton A Alexander and the couple lived on Spring Creek, Big Horn County, WY. The Alexanders had two sons by 1910 census—Leroy and Guy—one year apart and both born at the Alexander premises on Spring Creek. By this time, Milton was serving time at the Rawlins, Carbon Co, WY penitentiary. When he was released from prison, he returned to Ten Sleep and the family resided in Ten Sleep on Main street in a modest, frame house—white with green trim. Myra was a flower gardener and spent a lot of time in her garden. Leroy Alexander left the area, but, Guy Alexander, married Effie Arnold, daughter of Bert and Mabel Arnold; they gave Myra four beautiful grand-daughters. She passed away in 1950.

Memories: Myra Alexander lived down the street from my family, and when I was a small child her flowers were something I enjoyed. She was very small and quick. When I researched Ten Sleep history in the 1970's, old timers in Ten Sleep told me, that at one time she had a number of friends that shared the same telephone line. They had happy society together until after the Spring Creek Raid.. fb

Funeral Held for Myra Alexander

TEN SLEEP — Funeral services for Myra E. Alexander, 82, former resident of Ten Sleep, who died at Lusk Friday after an extended illness, were held Sunday at the Ten Sleep church with the Rev. Edward White officiating.

Pallbearers were Richard Redland, Colonel Burke, Leo Rhodes, Sam McPike, Merton Bader, and Roy Shriver.

Music was provided by the women's quartet composed of Mrs. Cecil Spaulding, Mrs. Sam McPike, Mrs. Roy Shriver and Mrs. Dave Egbert accompanied by Mrs. Frank Davis. They sang "In the Garden" and "There Is No Night There."

Mrs. Alexander is survived by two sons, Guy of Basin and Roy of Bremerton, Wash. Her husband preceded her in death.

Burial was in the Ten Sleep cemetery under the direction of the Veile mortuary of Worland.

Myra Alexander Called by Death

Myra E. Alexander, 82, former resident of Ten Sleep, died at Lusk Friday afternoon after an extended illness.

Born in Clarinda, Ia., Jan. 22, 1868, she is survived by two sons, Guy of Basin and Roy of Bremerton, Wash. Her husband preceded her in death.

Services and burial have been tentatively set for Sunday at 2 p.m. in Ten Sleep. The body will be brought from Lusk to Worland.

Burial will be in the Ten Sleep cemetery under the direction of the Veile mortuary of Worland.

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