

Rose Burri Palmer

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Rose Burri Palmer, 80, of Wheatland, died Thursday, April 9, 1981 at the Presbyterian Hospital in Denver after an extended illness.

Rose, the daughter of Gottlieb and Karoline Klemm Burri, was born August 28, 1900 at Dunlap, Kan. where she attended school until she moved to Laramie with her sister, Minnie, and attended prep school and the University of Wyoming.

On September 22, 1922 she married Will Irving Palmer in Wheatland. She taught school at Hall-Swope School; taught her own children for one year; and also taught at the Cottonwood school near Laramie Peak. Rose and Will homesteaded land in northern Albany County where they spent most of their lives until they retired and moved into Wheatland.

Rose was a charter member, 50 year and honorary member of North Albany Club; a charter, 50 year and honorary member of Laramie Dell Club; also a 50 year member and past worthy matron of Order of Eastern Star Chapter No. 11 in Wheatland; attended the United Methodist Church, was a member of Senior Citizens Kitchen Band, and was 4-H leader for Guys and Gals and Rose's Gals 4-H clubs.

Rose had two brothers Fred and Adolph Burri and five sisters; Anna Reich, Minnie Daugherty Saylor, Clara Dohring, Nellie Eaton, and Bertha Miller. She is survived by one brother Adolph and two sisters; Nellie and Bertha. Rose and Will had four children; William Frank of Bandon, Ore.; Fred Irving of St. Charles, Ill.; Geneva Ruth Marrs of Broomfield Colo.; and Budd Burri of Rock River.

She is survived by her husband, children, 14 grandchildren; and 19 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday, April 13, at 2 p.m. at the United Methodist Church with the Rev. Delbert Dick officiating. Interment was in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Serving as pallbearers were Chuck Shellhart, Tyler Dodge, David Dodge, William Boyd, Orville Scranton, and Owen McGill.

A memorial has been established to the American Cancer Society. The Schrader-Prell Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.