

JENSEN, Evelyn Frances (Wilcox)

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Star Prairie, Wisconsin
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Obituary...

EVELYN FRANCES WILCOX JENSEN

Evelyn Frances Wilcox Jensen was born on Aug. 19th 1882 at Star Prairie, Wis. and peacefully passed away on Dec. 7, 1941 at her home near Lyman, in Lyman Co., S. D. at the age of 59 years 3 month 18 days.

In the spring of 1941 she entered the Mitchell Hosp. where she underwent an operation and all that science and loving care could do for her was done for her but due to the nature of her illness it was understood she could not survive any great length of time so her passing was not unexpected and it was with a feeling of thankfulness she expressed her desire that her days would not be long on this earth.

Evelyn Frances Wilcox was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Wilcox of Sun Prairie, Wic. and spent most of her childhood in that vicinity.

In her young womanhood she came to Lyman county and it was here she met Marinus Jensen to whom she was united in marriage on Jan. 4th 1917 in St. Paul, Minn. and for almost 25 years they have shared life's joys and sorrows together.

To this union two children were born Vernon and Frances.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jensen reside nearby and Frances resides at home.

Two little grandchildren, a boy and a girl were the special pride of Mrs. Jensen.

Mrs. Jensen was a quiet woman who by her daily life gave us both a pattern and an inspiration.

Hers was an unselfish spirit, thoughtful, and devoted to providing comfort for her family.

She was very patient in her suffering and her memory will remain long with her family and also the Nels Jensen family to whom she gave a mother's care after the loss of their own mother, as well as the large circle of friends and acquaintances whom she had endeared to her.

She was a consistent Christian, a loving wife and mother and a loyal friend.

She leaves to mourn her passing her husband, Marinus Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jensen and children, her daughter Frances and a host of friends.

God hath not promised, skies
ever blue,

A flower strewn pathway, al-
ways for you;

God hath not promised, sun
without rain,

Joy without sorrow, Peace
without pain.

But God has promised, Strength
from above,

Undying sympathy, unfailing
love.

Services were held Tuesday afternoon, December 9 in Alfred Knudsen's home and in the Spring Valley Lutheran church, Pastor Hy. Iversen, officiating. Mrs. Jensen was entered in the Spring Valley Lutheran cemetery. A solo was sung in the home by Miss Ada Knudsen and a duet by Mr. Carl Knudsen and Mrs. Kenneth Knudsen. In the church Miss Ada Knudsen sang a solo and the Mrs. Tony Long and Roy Long sang a duet.