

Lyons, Julia Tracy d. 1-26-2002

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Julia (Tracy) Lyons

Julia (Tracy) Lyons, 101, of rural St. Anthony, died Saturday of a heart ailment at Marshalltown Medical and Surgical Center. Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in St. Anthony. Burial will be at St. John's Cemetery (Dunn Cemetery) in rural St. Anthony.

Julia (Tracy) Lyons was born in Gladstone. She was a school teacher in the St. Anthony Public Schools. She served on the Marshall County Election Board and the Liberty Consolidated School Board. She was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in St.

Anthony, the Rosary and Alter Society and Clemons Progress Club. She married Frank Lyons Nov. 27, 1930 in St. Anthony.

She is survived by one son, Allan of Burnside; two daughters, Mary Bartine of Clemons and Martha Nowlan of Cedar Rapids, nine grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband; one brother; and three sisters.

Visitation will be from 3 to 8 p.m. Tuesday with a bible vigil at 7 p.m. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in St. Anthony.

Fredregill Funeral Home in Zearing is in charge of arrangements.

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Julia (Tracy) Lyons, 101, of rural St. Anthony, died Saturday, Jan. 26, at Marshalltown Medical and Surgical Center of a heart ailment.

She was born in Gladstone, and was a lifelong rural resident of St. Anthony, and a former school teacher in the St. Anthony public school system. On Nov. 27, 1930, she married Frank Lyons at St. Anthony. She served on the Marshall County election board and was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in St. Anthony, of the Clemons Progress Club and of the Sacred Heart Rosary and Altar Society. She also served on the Liberty Consolidated School Board.

Survivors include a son, Allan (and Joanne) Lyons of Burnside; two daughters, Mary (and Richard) Bartine of Clemons and Martha (and George) Nowlan of Cedar Rapids; nine grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Frank, on May 30, 1986; a brother; and three sisters.

Funeral services were held Jan. 30 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in St. Anthony. Burial was in the St. John's Cemetery (also known as the Dunn Cemetery), rural St. Anthony. Fredregill Funeral Home, Zearing, handled arrangements.

FRANK and JULIA LYONS



Frank, Bill and Bessie Lyons (photo circa 1891)

Frank Lyons, son of Patrick and Mary Lyons, was born 95 years ago and has lived his entire life on the farm where he was born. He had three brothers and sisters. Bessie died at age 11; William married Anna Cerka (see separate story); and Catherine married Enos Lekin.

Frank served on the Marshall County school board 17 years and served as president of the Liberty school board.

He was president of the Clemons Creamery and a trustee of the Dunn Settlement and Sacred Heart cemeteries.

He joined the Farm Bureau shortly after it was organized and has been an active member through the years. In recent years he was also a member of the National Farmers Organization. In addition to farming 280 acres, he sold Archer Oil for 40 years.

Julia Tracy taught one year in a rural school south of Collins and then taught in Saint Anthony from 1920-28, where she met Frank and where they were later married.

They have three children: Allan, Mary and Martha. Allan married Jo Stoterau. He is superintendent at Central Webster School and Jo teaches learning disabilities in Fort Dodge. They have one son, Mark.



Front row: Frank, Tracy. Back row: Mary, Allan, Martha

Mary married Richard Bartine and they have six daughters: Kathy, Jennifer, Susan, Cherie, Rachel and Pamela. Kathy is married to Randy Randall and they have three children.

Martha has taught for a number of years and lives in Cedar Rapids with her husband, George Nowlan. George works in the construction business. They have two children, Julie and Mary. Julie graduated from Central College, Pella, in 1982, and Mary graduated from high school in 1982.

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