

## Delight M. Barkman

Occupant Name: Delight M. Barkman

Location: Section C

Date of Birth: 9/6/1880

Date of Death: 1955

Date of Burial: 1955

Veteran: No

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



## Woman Found Two Days After Death

Mrs. Emma Delight Barkman, 74, well known Brownstown resident, was found dead in her home Tuesday night and it was believed she died sometime Sunday night or early Monday morning.

Members of the family said they became alarmed when they were unable to reach Mrs. Barkman by telephone and that her son-in-law, Meredith K. Stewart, and the husband of Mr. Stewart's daughter, Earl Sewell, and neighbors went to the residence at about 6:30 o'clock Tuesday night and after breaking their way in, found her in bed dead.

Mrs. Barkman had attended church Sunday and talked with members of the family and others by telephone late Sunday night. A member of the family said she was a light sleeper and seldom Turn to page 6, column 7

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went to bed until after midnight, giving credence to the belief it was after midnight Sunday that she died.

L. E. Shaver, Jackson county coroner, said today it was difficult to place exact time of death. He added that Mrs. Barkman died of natural causes, probably a coronary occlusion.

Mrs. Barkman was born at Brownstown September 6, 1880, the daughter of the late Eli Warren and Ellen Cummings Miller. She was married to Charles Barkman January 1, 1902. He preceded her in death on March 10, 1954.

She was a member of the Brownstown Christian Church and was very active in church work and in the Woman's Circle of the church. She was also an active member of the WW Club, a social organization.

A highly respected and beloved member of the Brownstown community, Mrs. Barkman was widely known as a friendly and kind person.

#### Survivors include:

One daughter, Mrs. Meredith K. Stewart, Brownstown, one granddaughter, Mrs. Earl Sewell, Brownstown R1; two brothers, David J. Miller, of Seymour, and William A. Miller, Tulsa, Okla., and two nieces, Mrs. Lebert Reinbold, Brownstown, and Mrs. Raymond Geyer, Vallonia

Funeral services will be conducted from the Brownstown Christian Church at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon with the Rev. Gene Dulin, pastor, in charge. Burial in Fairview Cemetery.

Friends may call at the residence after 7 o'clock tonight.