

## Eliza E. Miller

Occupant Name: Eliza E. Miller

Location: **Section C**

Date of Birth: 9/25/1843

Date of Death: 7/16/1924

Date of Burial: 1924

Veteran: No

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:

No legible headstone on site

Miller—Mrs. Eliza Ellen Miller, widow of the late Eli Warren Miller, died at her home in Brownstown Wednesday afternoon, July 16, of paralysis, aged 80 years, 9 months and 21 days.

Mrs. Miller was the daughter of Joseph and Martha Cummings and was born near Houston, Ind., September 25, 1843. Her parents were descendants of Scot Irish on her father's side, and her mother was Martha Raney of English descent. Her grandfather Cummings was a Revolutionary soldier from Tennessee.

She was united in marriage to E. Warren Miller October 5, 1865, who preceded her to the grave several years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Miller celebrated their golden wedding anniversary October 5, 1915. At this celebration many of the present readers of the Banner had a part. Quite a number of those in attendance by reason of their ages, have already gone into the great silence.

Mrs. Miller lived in or near Brownstown all her life. She was the mother of nine children, four of whom preceded her to the grave.

For many years she was a member of the Christian church. She was always a consistent christian, a kind friend, a helpful neighbor, a devoted wife and a wonderfully tender mother. Through a long life of service for others, she was always last to receive but first to give her service for others. She recognized that service for others was the price paid for happiness. She lived a singularly active life. No one ever knew her who did not love her.

Surviving her are three sons and two daughters, David J., Seymour; Benton, St. Louis; Will, Tulsa, Okla.; Mrs. Charley Barkman, Brownstown; Mrs. Martha Strohmenger, St. Bernard, Ohio. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. Sallie Schwein, Sylvia, Kan., and three brothers, George and Joseph Cummings, Bedford, and Thomas Cummings, Tulsa, Okla.

Funeral services were held at the residence Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. T. J. Due of Seymour officiating. Burial in Fairview cemetery.