

# Sister Martha (Charity) Goeser, 82 ✓

March 25, 1913-May 25, 1995

LaCrosse, WI - Sister Martha (Charity) Goeser, 82, a Franciscan Sister of Perpetual Adoration died May 25, 1995 in Villa St. Joseph at LaCrosse, WI. Sister Martha was born to Joseph and Emelia (Hunstock) Goeser March 25, 1913 in Earling. She entered St. Rose Convent Aug. 14, 1934. Sister Martha taught primary grades for 40 years and served as a teacher's aide for five years in parochial schools in ID, IA, MS and WI. For six years she ministered to the aging in nursing homes in AZ, IL and IA. From 1988-1995 she ministered in hospitality at Wakonda Prayer House at Griswold. She retired to Villa Saint Joseph in 1995.

She is survived by her Franciscan Community, her sister, Mrs Ramona Schwery of Manilla and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by four brothers and seven sisters, four of whom were members of the Franciscan Sisters of Perpetual Adoration.

Prayer services were held at St. Rose Convent in Maria Angelorum Chapel. Rev. LaVern Wingert, Director of Wakonda Prayer House in Griswold, presided at the Mass of Christian burial in the Maria Angelorum Chapel. Burial was in the Catholic Cemetery with Schumacher-Kish Funeral Home in charge.