

ALLEN, MABEL ELIZABETH

Birth

July 3, 1909 at Cumming,
Linn Twp., Warren Co., Iowa



Death

May 4, 2003 at home in Des
Moines, Polk Co., Iowa

Cause of Death

Cemetery Lot

Buried on Lot 111
Lot sold to Mrs. C. A. Farr on May 31, 1924

Maiden Name

Farr

Father

Clarence Albert Farr

Mother

Mary Elizabeth Goodhue

Marriage

Mabel Elizabeth Farr to Robert George Allen on April 20, 1940

Return of marriage to Clerk of District Court
Polk Co., Iowa
77-491

Robert G. Allen
Residence: 1212 56th St.
Occupation: Truck Driving
Age next birthday: 25
Place of birth: Lehigh, Nebraska
Father: Arthur C. Allen
Mother: Josephine Nagle
1st marriage

Married
 April 20, 1940
 Des Moines, Polk Co., Iowa
 Mabel Elizabeth Farr
 Residence: Des Moines, Iowa
 Age next birthday: 31
 Place of birth: Cumming, Iowa
 Father: Clarence Farr
 Mother: Mary Goodhue
 1st marriage
 Witnesses: Olive Loulyn and Julian Loulyn
 Minister: C. Clifford Bacon

Census

1910 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; ED212; Page 5A; April 21, 1910
 Dwelling 27; Family 27

Farr, Clarence	44	farmer	IA	NY	NY
		Married 18 years			
Mary E.	44	4 children, 4 living	IA	NH	IL
Elmer	17		NE	IA	IA
Lethia	14		NE	IA	IA
Perry	13		NE	IA	IA
Mabel	9/12		NE	IA	IA

1915 –

1920 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; ED 218; Page 9A; Line 33; January 22, 1920
 Dwelling 220; Family 222

Farr, Clarence A.	54	farmer	IA	NY	NY
Mary E.	53		IA	NH	IL
Perry A.	22		IA	IA	IA
Willett, Lefea A.	24	WD daughter	IA	IA	IA
George W.	02 ½	son	IA	IA	IA
Farr, Mable E.	10		NE	IA	IA
Goodhue, George C.	85	WD father-in-law	NH	NH	ME

1925 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; Jan 1, 1925; Roll IA1915_1975

Farr, Mary E.	58	Wd	IA		
		father, George C. Goodhue, born in NH			
		mother, Lefea S. Thomas, born in IL			
		parents married in Marion, IA			
Perry	27	son		IA	
		father, Clarence A. Farr, born in IA			
		mother, Mary E. Goodhue, born in IA			
		parents married in Newton, IA			

Mable E. 15 daughter IA
 father, Clarence A. Farr, born in IA
 mother, Mary E. Goodhue, born in IA
 parents married in Newton, IA

1930 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; ED 91-18; Page 6B; April 21, 1930
 Dwelling 121; Family 121

Farr, Mary E.	64		IA	NH	IL
Perry A.	33	son farmer	IA	IA	IA
Mabel E.	20	daughter	IA	IA	IA

1940 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; ED91-19; Page 9A; April 2, 1940
 Family 174

Klian, Edward	42	Farmer	IA		
		same house in 1935			
Van Pelt, Dorothy M.	18	house keeper, private home	IA		
Farr, Mabel E.	30	Maid in Private Home	IA		
		In 1935 was in Des Moines, Iowa			

It was showing this as an incomplete census

Funeral Home

Obituary

[The Des Moines Register, Monday, May 26, 2003]

Mabel E. Allen passed away May 4, 2003 at her home. Mabel was born July 3, 1909 in Cumming, Iowa. She is survived by her children, Madeline and Gerald (Lori); granddaughter, Kate; ex-husband of 58 years, Bob; nieces and nephews, Pauline Prall, Norman and Rodney Reed, Lawrence and Charlene Seid and Howard Farr, and friend, Bruce Beeston.

Mabel will be missed by her family, relatives and many friends of the family. Memorial services to be announced at a later date. Thanks to the Mercy Capitol staff for support and care to Mabel in her last days. Peace be with you Mom.

Misc.

Mabel and Bob were divorced in 1998.