

# Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet

St. Paul Province



## Genealogy Request

Family Name Donnelly, Alice Loretto

Sister Name (if applicable) Sister Rachel

Birth Date/Place 10-21-1883 Albany, P.E.I., Canada

Reception into Novitiate 11-10-1903

First Vows 8-15-1907 Final Vows 8-15-1912

Date/Place of Death 12-1-1955 St. Bernard's Hospital, Council Bluffs, IA

Date/Place of Interment 12-3-1955 Resurrection, St. Paul, Mn.

Education No record

Ministry teacher - domestic

Mother's Maiden Name Larsh Multart

Birth Date/Place ? P.E.I., Canada

Father's Name John Donnelly

Birth Date/Place ? P.E.I., Canada

Other Notes

SISTER M. RACHAEL DONNELLY

Funeral Services were held on Saturday, December 3 at St. Joseph's Provincial House for Sister M. Rachael Donnelly who died at St. Bernard's Hospital, Council Bluffs, Iowa on December 1. Sister Rachael was born on October 31, 1883 at Albany, Prince Edward Island, Canada; the daughter of John and Sarah Donnelly.

Sister Rachael entered St. Joseph's Novitiate November 10, 1903, received the habit August 15, 1904; and made her profession August 15, 1907. Sister's apostolic work began as a teacher at St. Mary's Academy, Graceville in 1906. In the years following she taught at Basilica School in Minneapolis; St. Mark's, St. Paul; St. Michael's, Grand Forks, North Dakota; and Holy Cross, Los Angeles, California. Sister Rachael retired from teaching in 1939 because of ill health. Her resident convents since then have been St. Margaret's Academy, Minneapolis; St. John's Academy, Jamestown, North Dakota; St. Paul Catholic Orphanage and St. Joseph's Provincial House, St. Paul.

Sister Rachael is survived by four brothers and three sisters: Wilfred Donnelly, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada; George, Ottawa, Canada; Louis, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada; James Patrick, Everett, Massachusetts; Mrs. P. Tierney, Albany, P.E.I., Canada; Mrs. E. Croken, Kensington, P.E.I.; and Mrs. Agnes Pulsifer, Melrose, Massachusetts.

The High Mass of Requiem was celebrated by the Right Reverend James M. Reardon, Pastor of the Basilica of St. Mary. Burial was in Resurrection Cemetery.