

Aurstone Roberts - niece 887-3717

# Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet

St. Paul Province



## Genealogy Request

Family Name Roberts, Anna Ada

Sister Name (if applicable) Sister Eberta

Birth Date/Place 6-2-1898 Kinkora, P.E.I., Canada

Reception into Novitiate 12-27-1915

First Vows 12-27-1917 Final Vows 12-27-1920

Date/Place of Death 3-31-1964 St. Mary's Hospital, Mpls., Mn.

Date/Place of Interment 4-2-1964 Resurrection, St. Paul, Mn.

Education High School

Ministry Elementary teacher

Mother's Maiden Name Theresa Sheehan

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

Father's Name William Roberts

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

Other Notes

## SISTER ELECTA ROBERTS

Sister Electa Roberts died at St. Mary's Hospital, Minneapolis, Minnesota, on March 31, 1964, in the sixty-fifth year of her age, and the forty-ninth of her religious profession.

Sister's death came suddenly and unexpectedly. She taught as usual until 3:15 P.M. on Friday. As she locked her classroom door that evening little did she realize that it was the last time she would do so. On Saturday morning she did her assigned duties. That afternoon, on meeting her superior, she remarked that she did not feel well, but thought possibly she was getting the flu. However, her condition grew worse during the night, and she was taken to St. Mary's Hospital, where the physician pronounced her condition serious, though not critical. She was anointed and members of her family were notified of her illness.

The best medical care, the attention of devoted nurses, and the prayers of the entire community centered on Sister. God answered these prayers according to His will; after having the joy of a final visit from her brother, Mark, of Ottawa, Canada, and her sister, Sister Electa, of the Sisters of Mercy, Syracuse, New York, Sister entered into eternal life.

Sister's religious life was devoted to the apostolate of the classroom. Her teaching assignments included St. Mary's, White Bear Lake; St. Cecilia's, St. Paul; St. Mary's, St. Paul; St. Theresa's, Hastings; Christ the King, Minneapolis; Our Lady of Lourdes, Minneapolis; St. Anthony, Minneapolis.

Sister Electa had the gift of seeing beneath the surface and finding the

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in Minneapolis*

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true worth of each individual. To her all creatures had a real dignity and significance which entitled them to reverence, simply because each was a creature of God.

The life of Sister Electa can best be summed up in the following words, "Animated with a childlike fear of God, we will love Jesus above all else, that we may approach Our Divine Master with joy, when He shall reveal Himself to us in the splendor of His glory." May her soul rest in peace.