Mary E. Finley

Mary E. McCurdy Finley, 102, Billings, Mont., died Friday, Oct. 9, 1992, in Billings.

She was born Jan. 7, 1890, near Sedalia, daughter of Marguerite and William McCurdy. On Jan. 15, 1914, she married Ira L. Finley, who died earlier.

Mrs. Finley taught school in Smithton and Hughesville from 1908-17, when she moved to Billings. She was a member of First United Methodist Church, Billings, for more than 70 years.

Survivors include two daughters, Marjorie Finley Gillison and Katherine Bentz, both of Billings; four sons, Clyde Finley, Joliet, Mont.; Charles Finley, Hardin, Mont.; Gordon Finley, Absarokee, Mont.; Kenneth Finley, Billings; 28 grandchildren and 41 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday at the church, 2800 Fourth Avenue North.

Burial will be in Sunset Memorial Gardens, Billings.

The family suggests contributions to Big Sky Hospice, Billings, or a charity of the donor's choice.

Arrangements are under the direction of the Smith Downtown Chapel, Billings.