Maggie Muckle was born May 24, 1902 in Kircubbin County Down in Northern Ireland, the daughter of James and Elizabeth (Brown) Allen. She had two brothers and four sisters. Maggie grew up and received her education in Ireland. On March 10, 1926 she was married to Sam Muckle in the Presbyterian Church of Kircubbin County Down in Northern Ireland. In April of 1926 they arrived at Sentinel Butte, North Dakota where they made their home, farmed and raised their two children, James and Marion. Sam and Maggie lived on the farm until 1955 when they retired and moved into Beach. Their son, Jim took over the farm at that time. Sam & Maggie made a trip back to Ireland in the fall of 1954, returning in April of 1955. Maggie made two other trips back to her homeland; one in late summer of 1965 and again in the fall of 1981. She enjoyed gardening, raising flowers and was an active member of the Congregational Church in Sentinel Butte. She later became active in the United Community Church in Beach. Throughout her 102 years, Maggie worked hard, enjoyed good health, and shared the love of her family. They celebrated many very special birthdays in her honor, especially her 100th birthday. Maggie passed away Thursday, March 24, 2005 at the Wibaux County Nursing Home in Wibaux. Survivors include a son, James (Mae) Muckle, Sr. of Beach; a daughter, Marion (Holger) Johnson of Sentinel Butte; six grandchildren; sixteen great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; three step-great-grandchildren; seven step-great-great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Sam; two brothers: James and Brownie Allen; four sisters: Emily, Bertha, Marion and Hannah and two great-grandsons, Samuel and Conner.
Maggie Muckle

FUNERAL SERVICE
Monday, March 28, 2005 2:00 p.m.
United Community Church
Beach, North Dakota

PRAYER SERVICE
Sunday, March 27, 2005 7:00 p.m.
United Community Church
Beach, North Dakota

OFFICIATING
Rev. Warren Maxted

MUSIC
Soloist: Hannah Cleveland
Pianist: Gwen Lorenz

PALLBEARERS
Jim Muckle, Jr.              Leroy Johnson
Mark Johnson                  Tom Muckle
Richard Goodijohn   Patrick Cleveland
All of Maggie's Great and Great-Great-Grandchildren
are considered Honorary Pallbearers

INTERMENT
Sentinel Butte Cemetery
Sentinel Butte, North Dakota

ARRANGEMENTS
Stevenson-Mischel-Olson Chapel
Dickinson, North Dakota

A lunch will be served at the church following the
graveside service. Everyone is welcome.

When I must leave you for a little while

Please do not grieve and shed wild tears
And hug your sorrow to you through the years.
But start out bravely with a gallant smile;
And for my sake and in my name
Live on and do all things the same;
Feed not your loneliness on empty days,
But fill each waking hour in useful ways,
reach out your hand in comfort and in cheer
And I in turn will comfort you and
hold you near;
And never, never be afraid to die,

For I am waiting for you in the sky!