

## **Eagle Butte**

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Prusky George died 1915, husband of Helen Prusky.

Rataushk Jacob.

Rataushk Mrs. Jacob.

### **Eagle Butte, Alberta. NE 30-07-03-W4**

This was the homestead for Robert Lee Roth and his wife Orpha Ann Thompson, their daughter Marguerite died in winter 1907, at the age of twelve, from pneumonia and was interred a little to the north of the house. Since then, the course of the road was changed; her body now lies under the road.

### **Eagle Butte, Alberta. SW 36-07-04-W4**

Amelia Garlough died in 1906, she was interred on the hill behind the Garlough home, wife of Hezekiah Garlough, he died in 1932 and is interred in St. Margaret's Cemetery, Thelma, Alberta.

### **Eagle Butte, Alberta. NE 02-08-04-W4**

Fred Kettlewell born May 27, 1875, at Essex, England, married November 12, 1903, to Mittie Hester born April 09, 1882, at Brownsville, Texas, their daughter Mona Joan died at age one month is interred west of the Eagle Butte post office site.

### **Little Plume Evangelical Church, Eagle Butte, Alberta.**

The decision to build Little Plume Church was made February 24, 1919. Previously services were held in schools or private homes. The building was erected between spring planting and fall harvest by a group of area pioneers. One of the pioneers who helped build the church was Mr. Michael Klaiber.

The first building burnt down in spring 1921. The congregation had carried insurance on the building therefore they were able to have a new building ready for dedication August 07, 1921.

Pastors during the first years included: Reverends Gretzinger, E. Gischler, L. Eidt, Sam and Henry Senft and W. Krotz

Little Plume was part of a field service under the Evangelical Church of Canada which included churches at Medicine Hat, Gros Ventre and Neuberg, Alberta. The Wisdom church was added to this field when the Medicine Hat church was removed from it.

The congregation slowly improved their church, electricity was installed in 1955, in 1957 it was placed on a basement, a furnace was installed and major renovations took place.

From 1940 to 1970 the little church was served by Reverends E. Lieske, D. Sipe, H. Riegel, R. Diemert, J. Dyck, L. Huff, A. Riegel, A. Knopp, J. Kaiser, S. Sherman and A. Lieske.

After being served by a Pastor from Medicine Hat, Alberta, until 1971, the congregation requested this service be terminated and Edwin Riegel was appointed Pastor.

The cemetery restoration was completed in 1974 and 1975 with assistance from a Provincial Government grant. The church was damaged severely by lightning June 24, 1975. Major renovations were required, the building was stuccoed and natural gas was installed in 1977.

The first board of trustees who served as a building committee was elected March 09, 1919, and almost sixty years to the day, March 11, 1979, another building committee was set to handle the \$87,000.00 addition. This included an entrance, library, nursery and washrooms on the main level, a

fellowship hall and kitchen in the basement. The addition was dedicated June 22, 1980.

Reverend Vern Schorr who served as Pastor in the early 1990's was tragically killed in a highway accident June 30, 1994. Regular services are still being conducted.

The church and cemetery are located at the junction of range road 51 or Eagle Butte Road and township road 100 twelve miles south of Dunmore, Alberta. The legal land description is NW 36-09-05-W4. The property is well maintained with a good fence and grass recently cut as at August 30, 1996. First burial in 1920 and last burial in 1994.

### **West row South to North:**

Marked but unknown.

Schattle Gottlieb born 1878, died 1950, husband of Christina Schattle.

Schattle Christina born 1880, died 1939, wife of Gottlieb Schattle.

Wonnenberg Reinhart born July 23, 1915, died July 15, 1934, of August Wonnenberg and Elizabeth Unterseher.

Heller Andrew born August 07, 1984, died May 07, 1934, husband of Katherine Nittel she interred in Wisdom Cemetery.

Rabb Fredrick Sr. born 1859, at Fere Champenoise, Russia, died 1941, husband of Katharina Mayer.

Rabb nee Stickel Anna Marie born January 15, 1866, died October 22, 1933, second wife of Fredrick Rabb Sr.

Schattle George born August 06, 1902, died April 1928, son of Gottlieb and Christina Schattle.

Bohnet Friedrich born January 18, 1877, at Malajoslawatz, Bessarabia, died February 12, 1928, husband of Fredricka Frisch.

Bohnet nee Frisch Fredricka born December 14, 1879, at Caucasus, Russia, died August 1934, wife of Friedrich Bohnet.

Frisch nee Wegner Julianna born January 27, 1852, died September 17, 1927, age 75 years, 8 months and 21 days.

Wutzke Molly died 1925, daughter of Theodore Wutzke and Mathilda Seitz.

Marked but unknown.

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Klaiber Katharina born February 01, 1870, died March 26, 1923. Inscription reads: "Ruhe Sanft In Deiner Gruft Bis Jesus Dein Heiland Dich Ruft."

Seitz nee Schlinker Katharina born 1877, 62 years, 4 months, 13 days, died 1939, wife of Gottlieb Seitz.

Seitz Gottlieb born 1873 in Russia, died 1923, husband of Katharina Schlinker.

Nittel Michael born January 15, 1850, at Wittenberg, Russia, died October 1943.

Nittel nee Genert Dorothy born in 1851, at Albota, Russia, married 1876 or 1877, died September 1920, wife of Michael Nittel.

Klaiber Fredrick born 1913, died July 14, 1992, of Frederick Klaiber Sr. and Dorothy Stickel.

Marked but unknown.

Wutzke Alvin born 1943, died 1944.

Deering Harold born 1941, died 1941.

Bohnet Kenneth born 1928, 8 years, 1 month, 14 days, died 1936.

Marked but unknown.

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Schattle Leah Mary born February 23, 1930, died September 21, 1930, of Gottlieb Schattle and Olga Schorr.

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Papay Mae no dates of John Papay.

Seitz Ruth born April 03, 1927, died April 12, 1927, of Jacob Seitz.

Heidinger Lillian born 1925, died 1925.

Seitz Edwin born 1923, died 1923.

Seitz Martha born 1921, died 1922.

Schorr John W. born February 28, 1915, at Gras Ventre, Alberta, died March 22, 1998, at Medicine Hat, Alberta, of Ludwig and Christina Schorr.

As at December 17, 1997, we believe the following to be interred here as well, as per Provincial archives:

Bohnet Esther Margaret died March 09, 1913, daughter of Fred Bohnet.

Bohnet Victor died an infant of Friedrich Bohnet and Friedricka Frisch.

Geitz Elsie died July 21, 1915, at 1 year, 4 months, daughter of Hohn Geitz.

Klaiber Edward died January 08, 1916, at 2 months, 11 days, son of Ed Klaiber.

Thompson Robert John died August 12, 1910, son of George Thompson.

Wutzke infant of Theodore Wutzke and Mathilda Seitz. February 09, 1999.

Two of the unknowns are:

Rabb nee Rosenfelder Christina died 1913, first wife of Fredrich Rabb Jr.

Heidinger Johann born January 26, 1852, born at Wittenburg, Russia, died February 11, 1920, husband of Rabb Robert eighth child of Fredrich Rabb Sr. and Anna Marie Stickel.

Anna Maria Widmer.

East row South to North:

Schorr Vernon J. Reverend born July 23, 1940, died June 30, 1994, of John and Rosie Schorr married October 24, 1959, to Florence L Brandt.