

Carrie D. Simmons

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Carrie D. Simmons died April 9, 1968 in the Community Hospital Nursing Wing in Bonners Ferry. Rosary services were held Monday, April 11 in the Bonners Ferry Funeral Home Chapel. Funeral Mass was held Tuesday, April 13 in St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bonners Ferry with Rev. Donald Simmons and Ken Aruzen co-celebrating. Internment followed at St. Joseph's Cemetery in Spokane.

Carrie was born July 14, 1880 in Conway, North Dakota to John and Anna Dvorshak. When she was 12 years old she moved to Souris, Bottineau County, North Dakota where she completed her school-

Robert W. Simmons of Aberdeen in St. Patrick's Catholic Church at Crosby, North Dakota. In 1941, they moved to Spokane and celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary there in 1964. Mr. Simmons passed away in October of 1966 and since then Carrie has been keeping house for her son, Rev. Donald Simmons, first at Priest River, then in Orofino and then in Bonners Ferry in 1974 until entering the Community Restorium in the early 1980's. Carrie was a member of the Little Flower Altar Society of St. Theresa's Catholic Church in Orofino, the Third Order

of St. Francis and also the Altar Society of St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bonners Ferry. She is the last of nine children. Carrie enjoyed bridge, handworks and talking to her friends.

She is survived by her son, Rev. Donald Simmons of Bonners Ferry; one daughter, Mrs. Beatrice MacDowell of Spokane; several nieces and nephews and two grandchildren.

A memorial has been established to St. Ann's Catholic Church Memorial Fund, Box 58, Bonners Ferry, Idaho, 83805.