

Margaret (Wertz) Bear, (28 Dec 1817 – 5 Feb 1897), The Perry County Democrat, March 17, 1897

Mrs. Margaret Bear, On February 5, 1897, at the residence of her son, **Samuel**, near Roseburg, **Mrs. Margaret Bear** in the 80th year of her age. Her remains were interred at St. Peter's Church, in Spring Township, on the 10th inst. **Mrs. Bear** was the widow of **Abraham Bear**, a lifelong resident of Spring Township, who was an invalid for many years and who died in December 1866. He was well known all over the county, having been crippled many years before from a fall. He was a brother of the late **Judge Bear**. Four sons and three daughters survive them: **J. H. Bear** and **D. A. Bear** both of Harrisburg; **G. W. Bear** of Lebo; **Samuel Bear**, of Roseglen; **Mrs. John Cless**, **Mrs. M. E. Titzel** and **Mrs. Thomas A. Gray** of Spring Township. Her four sons were the pall-bearers. She was highly esteemed by all who knew her.

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