

## Dr. Ralph S. Akers

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Dr. Ralph S. Akers, of 1629 N. W. 35th St., Miami, Fla. and Crystal Springs, died suddenly at his home, at Crystal Springs, on Nov. 14, 1961, he was a native of Brush Creek township, Fulton Co., Pa. Born Dec. 18th, 1898 in Brush Creek township. The son of the late Dr. Edwin and Mary E. (Truax) Akers.

He was first married to the late Thelma (Stevens) Akers, and to Mary (Lord) Akers who survive. He has one son Stewart Akers of Ocala, Fla., one daughter, Mrs. Shirley Dalton, Worthington, Ohio, two step children, James T. and William C. Lord of Miami, Fla. Also three brothers Charles, and Fred, and Irwin Akers all of Crystal Spring. Two sisters, Miss Bessie V. Akers, Crystal Spring, and Mrs. Esta Jackson of Altoona. Also 6 grandchildren survive.

*Akers, Ralph S. (Dr.)*

He was a successful dentist, was a director of Hileah Hospital, former chairman of the board of same. Was a member of American Dental Society, East Coast District D. S. Miami, was a member of North Miami 7th Day Adventist church.

Funeral was held Friday, Nov. 17, 1961 at the Conner funeral home, Everett, Pa., with Noble K. Shepherd, assisted by Elder H. J. Doolittle, officiating. Burial was in the Akersville cemetery.

## Dr. Ralph S. Akers

Dr. Ralph S. Akers, 62, of Miami, Fla., and Crystal Spring, died unexpectedly Nov. 14, 1961, at his home near Crystal Spring.

He was born Dec. 18, 1898, in Brush Creek Twp., Fulton Co., the son of the late Dr. Edwin and Mary E. (Truax) Akers. He was first married to Thelma J. Stevens Akers who died May 23, 1961.

He is survived by his second wife, Mary P. (Lord) Akers; a son, Stewart Akers, Ocala, Fla.; a daughter, Mrs. Shirley Dalton, Worthington, O.; two stepchildren, James T. Lord and William C. Lord, Miami; three brothers, Charles, Fred and Irwin Akers, all of Crystal Spring; two sisters, Miss Besse Akers, Crystal Spring, and Mrs. Esta Jackson, Altoona; and six grandchildren.

Dr. Akers, a dentist, has his own laboratory of technicians. He was a director of the Hileah Hospital of Miami at the time of his death and a former chairman of the board of the hospital. He was a member of the American Dental Society, the East Coast Dental Society and the Miami Dental Society. He was a member of the North Miami Seventh Day Adventist church. He had retired and was in the process of moving back to his former home, Akersville, at the time of his death.

Funeral services will be held Friday, Nov. 17, at 2 p.m. at the Conner Funeral Home, Everett, the Rev. Noble K. Shepherd officiating, assisted by Rev. H. J. Doolittle. Burial will be in the Akersville Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home after 12 noon Thursday.