

# OBITUARY

Abbie E. Pierce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pierce, was born April 30, 1902. She departed this life May 18, 1924, age 22 years and 18 days.

Her entire life was spent in the community.

She became a member of the Victory Chapel United Brethren church at the age of 12 years under the pastorate of Rev. George Geiger. She was always a faithful worker in the church and community.

She leaves to mourn her loss, father, mother, two brothers, Oliver and James, and two sisters, Eleanor and Edith, and many sincere friends.

"Beneath our eyes she faded slowly,  
Growing day by day more frail;  
Bearing sweetly all her sufferings,  
Without murmur, moan or wail.

Abbie's gone, but not forgotten,  
Never will her memory fade;  
Sweetest thoughts shall ever linger,  
Around the grave where she is laid.

We loved her, yes, we loved her,  
But the Saviour loved her more;  
So the Angels sweetly called her,  
To that bright and happy shore.

The golden gates were opened,  
A gentle voice said, "Come"  
And with farewells unspoken,  
She calmly entered home.

It was hard to part with Abbie,  
Oh, so hard to see her die;  
But we will try to meet her  
Some sweet day by and by.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the many kindnesses shown us by our neighbors and friends during the sickness and death of our dear daughter and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pierce and  
Family.