

Miss Frances Luke, Ex-Teacher, Dies

Miss Frances Luke, 78, a retired teacher, died in St Joseph's Hospital yesterday following a four-day illness. A resident of Loretto Rest the past two years, she was 78

She was the founder of the Parent-Teachers Association in Binghamton. Following her retirement about six years ago, she was head resident of a sorority house at Syracuse University for two years.

Miss Luke was born in South Granby where she first taught school.

Surviving are three sisters, Miss Ruth Luke and Mrs. Helen Johnson, both of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. Norma Osmond of Baldwinsville; five brothers, Ernest of Syracuse, Reginald of Plainville, Arthur J. of Sherrill, Phillip O. of Fulton, and Gerald M. of Rochester.

Funeral services will be conducted at 9 a.m. Monday in the Falardeau Funeral Home, Baldwinsville, followed by a solemn high Mass of requiem at 9:30 a.m. in St. Mary's Church, Baldwinsville.

Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home tomorrow and Sunday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.