

**Walter L. Brink**  
**April 13, 1911 - June 28, 2005**

Walter L. Brink, age 94, died on Tuesday, June 28, 2005 at the New Glarus Home, New Glarus. He was born April 13, 1911 in Primrose Township, Dane County, the son of David W. and Rosina (Marti) Brink. Walter graduated from Whitewater Teacher College. On October 5, 1935 he was united in marriage to the former Ruth K. Legler at the Zwingli united church of Christ Parsonage, Monticello, by Rev. Albert Muehlmeier. After teaching in rural schools for thirteen years Walter began his career in farming on the family farm in Springdale Township. Walter served his community in many positions, Supervisor of Springdale Township, Dane County Board, Verona School Board, and Madison Area Technical Board. After retiring from farming he worked at Prange's in Madison. He was a member of the Zwingli United Church of Christ, Mt. Vernon taught Sunday School, sang in the choir and served on the church consistory for many years.

He is survived by a daughter Elizabeth (Victor) Babler, New Glarus; a son Donald (Karen) Brink, Ripon, CA. Six grandchildren and fourteen great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, two sisters, Esther Arnold and Laona Byrge and a baby brother.

Funeral services were held on Friday, July 1, 2005 at the Zwingli United Church of Christ, Mt. Vernon. The Rev. Brad Brookins officiated with burial in the Highland Cemetery, Monticello. A memorial fund has been established.

The family would like to thank Dr, William Scheibel, Rev. Brad Brookins, the New Glarus Home and Hospice Care for their dedicated concern and loving care.