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## Thelma Erickson

...Littleton, bookkeeper, part of choir; 85

LITTLETON — Thelma (Carter) Erickson, 85, a retired bookkeeper and a Littleton resident since 1957 who was an active church member

in town, died Monday, April 22, at her home. She was the wife of Henry W. Erickson.

She was born in Boston's Charlestown on March 23, 1917, a daughter of the late Ralph and Gladys (Harvie) Carter. She grew up in Florida and Tewksbury and graduated from Lowell High School in 1933. Mrs. Erick-

son worked as a nurse's aide at Beth Israel Hospital in Boston, when she met and married her husband in 1940. She lived in Boston's Dorchester and Roxbury before moving to Littleton.

She worked as a bookkeeper for American Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Boston and Wakefield, Herpy's Dairy of Littleton and most recently at Sir Steak Machinery, before her retirement in 1979.

Mrs. Erickson was a member of the First Baptist Church of Littleton, where she was a choir member and a member of the Women's Fellowship. She enjoyed cooking and canning, craftmaking and also played the organ as a hobby.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two sons, Richard Erickson of Westford and Paul Erickson of East Longmeadow; two daughters, Norma Thompson of Fort Myers, Fla., and Ruth Taylor of Hudson, N.H.; 10 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

**ERICKSON** — Of Littleton, Thelma (Carter) Erickson, April 22, Funeral Services will be held at the First Baptist Church, Littleton Common, Littleton on Friday at 10 a.m. Visiting Hours will be at the Badger Funeral Home, 347 King St., Littleton on Thursday, 5-8 p.m. Burial at Westlawn Cemetery, Littleton.

