

W. T. Rycroft served as pastor of Forest Grove Baptist Church, Alachua, 1934. He and his wife, Mary Elizabeth Rycroft had one daughter.

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William Thomas Rycroft

Birth 16 Oct 1889 Vienna, Dooly County, Georgia, USA

Death 7 Sep 1979 (aged 89) Cherry Lake, Madison County, Florida, USA

Burial Cherry Lake United Methodist Church Cemetery Cherry Lake, Madison County, Florida, USA

Family Members

Spouse

Mary Elizabeth Nipper Rycroft 1890–1967

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Mrs. Mary E. Rycroft

MADISON — Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Rycroft, 77, of Cherry Lake, died Tuesday in the Madison County Memorial Hospital, after a lengthy illness. Mrs. Rycroft was a native of Crisp County, Ga., and had lived in Madison County for many years. She was a registered nurse.

Survivors include her husband, the Rev. W. T. Rycroft, Cherry Lake; and one daughter, Mrs. Robert R. M. Ohl, Jacksonville.

T. J. Beggs and Sons Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Forest Grove Baptist Church

Pastors – 1888 – Current

In the early church, pastors were called yearly. Church members had the option to call a new pastor or ask the current pastor to serve for another year.

Date	Pastor	Date	Pastor
1888	Z. A. Crumpton	1948	Bro. Edwards
1891	T. H. Crosby	1949	J. W. Keen
1892	Z. A. Crumpton	1951	Harold Brown
1893	J. T. Price	1953	Clifford Priest
1894	G. S. Cransby	1954	Bro. Stafford
1897	Z. A. Crumpton	1956	Bro. Newsome
1900	N. B. Plumer	1959	Bro. Greer
1900	William Malphus	1959	R. G. Key
1902	T. T. Price	1962	Bro. Crim
1905	F. M. Hartman	1963	Ralph Peek
1912	F. B. Johns	1966	E. M. Marchman
1912	A. J. Pinholester	1970	Ralph Peek
1915	Elijah Morris	1972	Paul McElroy
1915	L. W. Knight	1976	Ralph Peek
1917	Elijah Morris	1977	Frank Phillips
1927	A. B. West	1983	Ralph Peek
1928	J. R. Douglas	1987	Jim Lancaster
1929	Grady Herndon	1990	Steve Matchett
1931	P. M. Stanley	1997	Elwood Baker (Interim)
1932	J. L. Morris	1997	Gary DeBerry
1934	W. T. Rycroft	2002	John Parker (Interim)
1936	R. D. Bevis	2003	Warren Chesser
1941	C. A. Warren	2016	Dennis Tabor (Interim)
1941	Bro. Ellis	2017	John Parker (Interim)
1947	Bro. Keyes	2018	Tony Clubb (Current)

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