

Sr. Margaret Murfield was born on August 18, 1907 in Delaware, Ohio. She entered the community in the fall of 1928 from Rome City, Indiana. She took her vows on her death bed. What follows is a portion of an article from the August 1947 issue of the Missionary Catechist. The article was written by Sister Blanche.

Under a spreading apple tree were the remains of our young novice, Catechist Murfield. Somehow it seemed very fitting that she should rest there. In the springtime, the beautiful white blossoms which cover her grave remind us of her youth. In the autumn, a bright red apple sometime falls upon her grave. Smilingly, I recalled the little joke she staged with an apple during her postulant days. Two School Sisters of Notre Dame had come to Victory Noll to give classes on teaching methods. Catechist Murfield purposely waited in the corridor for the class to get under way. Then, with much scraping of feet, she noisily and breathlessly made her way to the front of the room to plant an apple on teacher's desk. All, including Sister Loretta, laughed heartily at her perfect pantomime.

Catechist Margaret Murfield died April 23, 1930. She was the second burial in the cemetery.