The Australian Women's Register

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Jacob, Maria Elizabeth

(1841 - 1924)

Born	10 May, 1841, Klemzig South Australia Australia
Died	13 October, 1924
Occupation	Missionary

Summary

Maria Elizabeth Jacob (née Auricht) was born 10 May 1841 in Klemzig, South Australia. She married Wilhelm G. Irrgang on 4 September 1862, who died in 1872. She then married Ernest Jacob on 24 May 1878. She worked with Aboriginal people at Bethesda Mission Station and died on 13 October 1924.

Published resources

Book

Three missionary pioneers, Proeve, E. H, 1946

Persecution to freedom: Christian Auricht and descendants 1806-1980; a history and family tree, Auricht, Norman L. (Norman Leslie), 1933-; Munchenberg, Reg S. and Christian Auricht Family Reunion Committee, 1980

Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

Archival resources

Lutheran Church of Australia

Bethesda Mission Correspondence to The Chairman of the Lutheran Mission Board by the missionaries and their wives including Maria Jacob and Anna Vogelsang.

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