## **Mrs John Ristrom**

## **Rushworth Chronicle**

17 August, 1900

DEATH.

RISTROM.—On the 13th August, at her residence, Moora, Mary, the beloved wife of John Ristrom, and daughter of the late James Stewart, Moora, after prolonged and patient suffering.

O death! where is thy sting?
O grave! where is thy victory?
—I. Cor., 16, 55.

Mrs J. Ristrom's many friends will regret to learn that she expired at her late residence, Five Mile Creek, after a lingering illness, on Sunday last. The deceased, who was only 36 years of age, was a native of Rushworth.

She leaves a husband and four children to mourn their loss. She was highly respected and the funeral *cortege* that followed her remains to the Rushworth cemetery on Tuesday last was a lengthy one.

The Rev. J. Weir officiated at the grave. Mr Anderson was the undertaker.

Footnote: Ristrom is the spelling in the original newspaper report. Some members of the Risstrom family adopted the spelling Ristrom.