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Early Friend of AA Passes

Word has been received, belatedly, of the death of Clarace Williams, of Akron, Ohio, on August 9, 1975, at the age of 92. She and her husband, T. Henry Williams (who died in 1967), were among the devoted nonalcoholics who encouraged AA during its infancy.

Before Bill W. appeared on the Akron scene, the Williamses had tried to help Dr. Bob. After the two alcoholics founded the Fellowship that was to be called AA, the Williamses opened their home to meetings of the first group in Akron.
