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Rose Shull, 101

Rose Shull, age 101, of Marengo and formerly of Ladora, died Saturday, Sept. 6, 2008, at Rose Haven Nursing Home in Marengo.

A funeral service will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, at the Smith Funeral Home in Victor. Interment will be in the Ladora Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Smith Funeral Home on Tuesday beginning at noon with the family present to greet friends from 5-7 p.m. on Tuesday evening.

Memorials may be designated to the Rose Shull Memorial Fund to benefit organizations of the family's choice. Online condolences may be submitted to the family at www.smithfh.com.

Rose Anna Sadie Shull was born the daughter of Charles and Mary Meyer Haman on March 14, 1907, in Genoe Bluff. She was raised in Genoe Bluff and attended country schools in Sumner Township.

Rose was united in marriage to Leslie Shull on Dec. 24, 1926, in Montezuma. To this union were born their children, Karl, Kathryn and Richard. The couple resided in Genoe Bluff before moving to Marengo, and then to Ladora in 1933. The couple operated a gas station in Ladora for several years.

Rose was a member of the Christian Fellowship Group. Her enjoyments included crocheting, quilting, and gardening.

Rose is survived by her children, Kathryn (Marvin) Davis of Ladora, and Richard (Cindy) Shull of Cedar Rapids; five grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Rose was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Leslie Shull in 1999; her son, Karl Shull in 2006; her grandson, Dennis Davis in 2006; her brothers, John, George, Henry, Lawrence and Carrol; and her sisters, Martha Wyant, Clara Hawkins, Mabel Van Blaircom, and Alma Weaver.

