
Nellie Jansen, 89, Sully

Nellie Jansen, 89, of Sully passed away Aug. 11, 2005. Funeral services were held Aug. 15, at the First Reformed Church in Sully. Casket bearers were her grandsons. Interment was held at the Sully Cemetery.



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Memorials can be given to Gideon's International.

Nellie Freda Dunsbergen was born March 3, 1916, south of Kellogg. She was the oldest of four children born to Barney and Alida (Carbo) Dunsbergen. She attended the Spring Hill Country School through the eighth grade.

On Feb. 25, 1937, Nellie was united in marriage to Everett G. Jansen. To this union five children were born: Trucy, Jerry, Delores, Morris, and La Vonne.

Nellie and Everett farmed on the Dunsbergen farm until 1939 when they moved to the George Schnell farm. In 1975, they semi-retired and moved into Sully.

Those left to cherish her memory are her husband of 68 years, Everett; their five children and their families: Trudy and Ronald Van Manen of Kellogg, Kevin and Julie Van Manen, Jacob, and Emily, Eric and Kelli Van Manen, Ryan, Austin, and Dillon, Michele and Trent Jansen, Shane, Heather, and Mason, Todd and Sara Van Manen, and Kathryn;

Jerry and Linda Jansen of Kellogg, Mark and Jill Jansen, Jennifer, Jacob, and Jayden, David and Lisa Jansen, Caleb, Holden, and Korinne, Nathan and Kim Jansen and Sydney; Delores and Gary Vander Wilt of Sully, Shawn and Ed Goemaat, Megan, Andrew, Kathryn, and Matthew, Robin and Darin Morvant, Travis and Bayley, Alison and Shelby Agan, Trevor and Janae Vander Wilt; Morris and Debbie Jansen of Newton, Chris and Sara Jansen, Nicole Jansen, Melinda Jansen, Josiah Jansen, Tim Jansen; La Vonne and Ralph Van Donselaar of Cedar, Jeff and Vicki Van Donselaar, Ashli, Joshua, Katelyn, Zechariah, Sandy and Scott Van Veldhuizen, Nate, Blake, Noah, and Reuben, Jeremy and Kristen Van Donselaar, Courtney, Trisha, and Leah, Sheri Van Donselaar, Julie and Brad Boender.

Of her original family, Nellie leaves three siblings and their spouses: Wilma and Bernard De Zwarte, Bennie (Margaret) Dunsbergen both of Newton, and Robert G. (Anna Mae) Dunsbergen of Sully. Of Everett's original family she leaves: sisters-in-law, Wilma Vos, Cora Jansen and Esther Jansen all of Pella, and Gertrude and Robert Schnell of Sully.

Nellie was preceded in death by her parents; an infant daughter, Alice Gertrude Jansen, son-in-law, Doyle Arkema, sisters-in-law, Margaret Dunsbergen and Anna Mae Dunsbergen.