

Mass said for
Marie Cortier

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The Mass of the Resurrection for Marie Cortier, 91, of Marshalltown, was held at 10 a.m. today (July 24) at St. Mary's Catholic Church.

The Rev. Leo V. Kuebrich officiated at the Mass.

Pallbearers were Marion Gibson, Berkley Gould, Paul Jurgensen, Randy Jurgensen, Dale Phipps and Daniel Walker. Honorary pallbearers were Otto Fistler, Verl Garwood, Vernon Gibson and Don Schultz.

Burial was in Hazelwood Cemetery.

The Vigil Service was held at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday at the James-Schalinske Funeral Home.

The daughter of Lewis and Louise Stuart DeGroot, Mrs. Cortier was born Aug. 9, 1883 in Brussels, Belgium. She came to the United States as a child and attended schools in East Moline and Kewanee, Ill.

She was married to Mr. Busse and to this union one daughter, Henrietta Busse, was born. Henrietta preceded her in death as a child.

Following Mr. Busse's death, she married Julius Vulysteke in 1908. Two sons were born to this union—Victor Vulysteke Sr. of Grinnell and Lewis Vulysteke, who died in infancy.

In 1923, she was married to Achile Cortier in Chillicothe, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. Cortier moved to Belle Plaine in 1929 and made their home there until 1966.

Mrs. Cortier was a member of St. Michael's Catholic Church in Belle Plaine.

Survivors include her husband, Achile; one son, Victor Vulysteke Sr.; two grandchildren; six great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Cortier was preceded in death by her parents; two of her husbands; two children, Henrietta Busse and Lewis Vulysteke, and a brother, Emil DeGroot.