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Eula M. Van Tomme

Mrs. Eula M. Van Tomme, 88, of Brooklyn, died Tuesday, Jan. 30, 2001, at Grinnell Regional Medical Center, Grinnell.

Funeral Services for Mrs. Van Tomme were held at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, Feb. 1, 2001, at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Brooklyn. Rev. Richard Okumu, Pastor, officiated and the musician was Marilyn Kriegel.

Special selections were "Rock of Ages" and "Amazing Grace." Flower attendants were Ronald and Jean Faidley and Donald and Ruth Huedepohl. Casket-bearers were Michael Van Tomme, Gary Van Tomme, Terry Van Tomme, Greg Van Tomme, Brian Van Tomme and Randy Van Tomme. Interment was in Calvary Cemetery, Brooklyn.

A Scripture Service was held at 8 p.m., Wednesday, at the Nevenhoven Funeral Home.

Eula Mae Gilbreath Van Tomme, daughter of David Gilbreath and Bessie Grier Gilbreath, was born May 23, 1912, near Barnes City, Ia.

Eula received her education in a rural school. On Aug. 17, 1932, she was married to Camie Van Tomme. They were the parents of three sons, Frank, Dean and Dale. They farmed south of Brooklyn. Mr. Van Tomme died Aug. 10, 1966, shortly after Eula moved into Brooklyn. She worked as a nurse's aide at Brookhaven Nursing Home until her retirement.

Mrs. Van Tomme was a member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church and St. Patrick's Altar and Rosary Society.

Preceding her in death were her parents; husband; one son, Frank; three brothers and three sisters.

Surviving are two sons and their wives, Dean and Evelyn Van Tomme of Brooklyn and Dale and Carol Van Tomme of Guernsey; one sister, Ruth L. James of Cedar Rapids; twelve grandchildren; twenty-three great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

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A memorial fund has been established. 14-R 2-5-2001

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