

Mr. Wildman

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services held

D. Wayne Wildman, 84, of Pinellas Park, Fla., formerly of the Lynnville-Sully area, died Sunday, April 1, at St. Anthony's Hospital in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Funeral services were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at the Trinity Reformed Church in Pella, with the Rev. Donald W. Plantinga officiating. Pallbearers were William Gosselink, Arthur Huyser, Edgar Roorda, Henry Roorda, Henry Vandervoort and Gerrit Van Zee. Burial was in the Sully Cemetery, with the Rev. Ralph Menning officiating.

The son of Charles and Grace English Wildman, he was born Nov. 4, 1899, at Lynnville. He graduated from Lynnville High School in 1916. After serving in the U.S. Army for a brief period, he attended Grinnell College for 1½ years and graduating from the School of Pharmacy in Des Moines in 1925.

On Sept. 13, 1927, he was married to Reva Wisgerhof at Sully. Following their marriage they lived in Sioux City for 10 years, returning to Sully in 1938 where Mr. Wildman operated a pharmacy for 22 years.

In 1960, they moved to Pella where he was employed as a pharmacist at the Vander Linden Rexall Drug Store and at Pella Community Hospital. He retired in 1972 and they moved to Pinellas Park.

Survivors include his wife, Reva; one daughter, Kay Sterling of Atlanta, Ga.; four grandsons; one great-granddaughter; two brothers, Keith of Pomona, Calif., and Dale of Reinbeck; and a half-brother, Claire Gifford of Pella.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother, Hoyt Wildman; and a step-brother, Ward Gifford.

Mr. Wildman was a member of the Central Bible Church in Pinellas Park, served as treasurer of D&D Missionary Homes in St. Petersburg, and was a member of the Van Veen-Van Hemert American Legion Post No. 89 of Pella.