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Alberta Jansen was born on March 4, 1916, in Jasper County near Kellogg. She was the youngest of nine children that were born to the late Dirk (Dick) and Gysbertha (Bruxvoort) Jansen. Alberta received her grade school education in country schools in Jasper County and continued to live with her father following her mother's death which occurred at a young age.

On Jan. 19, 1939, she was united in marriage with Kryn Struik, son of the late Johannes and Sophia (Fytje) Stam Struik, at Sully. To this union four children were born: Dorothy, Norma, Keith and Verlan. Alberta and Kryn farmed in the Sully and Lynnville, area all their married life.

Those who will cherish her memory are her four children and their spouses, 13 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren. They and their families are: Dorothy F. and Marvin Van Maanen of Grinnell, Marc and Shelly Van Maanen, Joshua Van Maanen, Tim Van Maanen, Morgan Van Maanen, Angela Van Dyke and fiancé Brad Braafhart, Aaron, Gina and Ashten Van Dyke, Dana and Rod Rozendaal, Makenzy, Makayla Rozendaal; Norma J. and Gene Roose of West Des Moines, Sharon and Dave Campbell, Bradley, Alex Campbell, Doug and Pam Roose, Kayla, Matthew Roose, Kurtis and Jodie Roose, Hannah Roose, Scott and Kristy Roose, Daniel, Katy Roose; Keith L. and Darlene Struik of Sully, Kirk and Stephanie Struik, Konner Struik, Justin Struik; Verlan L. and Elaine Struik of Leighton, Jeffrey and Ashley Struik, Jaydon, Peyton Struik, Joel Struik, Andrea Struik.

Of her original family Alberta leaves a sister-in-law, Johanna (Struik) Honderd of Pella. She was preceded in death by her husband, Kryn; her parents; her step-mother, Sophia (Stam) Jansen; and all her brothers and sisters: Evert Jansen, Elizabeth (Case) De Koning, Jennie (Simon) Fopma, Hattie (Rut) Fopma, Gertie (Meiron) Sjaardema, William D. Jansen, Dora (Raymond) Van Wyk and Henry D. Jansen; along with the following brothersin-law and sisters-in-law: Hubert Struik, Kate (Struik) Van Norden, Christina (Struik) Vander Molen and Wilma (Struik) Sjaardema.