## Virginia Grimm, 76



V i r g i n i a Grimm, 76, died at her home in North English on Friday, Aug. 10, 2007.

Her funeral service was held at St. Joseph Catholic Church in North English on Monday, Aug. 13,

with the Rev. Pat Lumsden officiating. Burial was at St. Bernard Cemetery near Millersburg. Powell Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Virginia Grimm was born on June 11, 1931, in Williamsburg, the daughter of Will and Gertrude Thomas Davies. She graduated from Conroy High School in 1948. Virginia married Melvin Cledith Grimm on Aug. 2, 1949, at St. Mary's Church in Williamsburg. They lived in the rural Keswick, North English, Deep River and Webster communities before

moving to North English in November 1996. Melvin preceded her in death in December 1996. Virginia worked 28 years as a certified nursing assistant at the English Valley Care Center in North English. She retired in 2006. Her joys in life were her family and gardening.

She is survived by three sons: Kevin (Diane) Grimm of Millersburg; John (Shirley) Grimm of Malcom; Terry (Kim) Grimm of Williamsburg; and daughter Carol (Arnie) Reif of Conroy; 10 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; a brother, David Davies of Williamsburg and a sister-in-law, Evelyn Stepanek of Cedar Rapids.

She was preceded in death by her parents and husband Melvin.

Messages and tributes may be left at www.powellfuneralhomes.com under obituaries. A memorial fund has been established for Iowa City Hospice and the English Valley Care Center.