

DAISY D. JOHNSTON

Mrs. Daisy D. Johnston, 92, of Brooklyn, died early Thursday, April 9, 1992, in Brookhaven Nursing Home.

Funeral Services were at 1:30 p.m., Saturday, April 11, in Nevenhoven Funeral Home with Rev. James B. Rea, Jr., Pastor of First Presbyterian church, officiating. Organist was Mrs. Nina Bartachek, special selections were "Just as I Am", "Old Rugged Cross", and "Amazing Grace". Casket bearers were Kenneth Lavent, Nathan Doty, Michael Butler, Wallace Roth, Dean Lippincott, and Curtis Blain. Interment was in Jackson Township Cemetery, Montezuma.

Daisy Olga Dee Johnston, daughter of Edward and Elmira Lyter Dee, was born near Brooklyn, September 15, 1899.

Mrs. Johnston received her education in a country school and the Brooklyn High School, graduating in 1917 and taught in a country school for two years. On September 15, 1920 she was united in marriage to Francis Johnston in Grinnell. They farmed in Scott Township for many years before moving into Brooklyn.

Mrs. Johnston was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, the Montezuma Garden Club and was active in many other community organizations and projects.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Brooks of Brooklyn and Francine Lavent and her husband Valere of Brooklyn; three grandchildren, Douglas Lavent, Debra Doty, and Valerie Blain; and six great grandchildren, Wendy Butler, Kenneth Lavent, Erin Doty, Nathan Doty, Jacob Blain, and Jillian Blain.

Mrs. Johnston was preceded in death by her parents, her husband who died in 1978, six brothers, and four sisters.