

# At Evening There Is Rest

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Mrs. J. W. Reavis Reaches The End  
of a Long Life of Love  
and Usefulness.

30 GREAT GRAND CHILDREN  
AMONG SURVIVING RELATIVES.

Mr. and Mrs. Reavis Recently Cele-  
brated Their 64th Wedding  
Anniversary.

*James Washington*

Sarah Catherine Comer, daughter  
of Archie and Amelia Comer, was  
born June 20, 1846, in Surry Co.,  
North Carolina and died at her home,  
317 Park St., Grinnell, Feb. 27, 1929,  
at the age of 82 years, 8 mos. and 7  
days.

On Feb. 2, 1865, she was married to  
James Washington Reavis, and to  
this union were born seven sons and  
three daughters, two sons dying in  
infancy. The eight remaining are  
Elisha, Grant, Turner and Mrs. A. D.  
Rayl of Grinnell, Andrew, of Seattle,  
Wash., Joseph of Tama, Ia., Mrs.  
Amos Beatty of Roadhouse, Ill., and  
Mrs. Chas. Bauerle of Pontiac, Ill.

In 1880, she with her family mov-  
ed to Iowa, living in Searsboro one  
year, on a farm south of Blue Point  
6 years, and on a farm in Blue Point  
about 15 years, leaving the farm and  
moving to Grinnell in 1902, where she  
resided until death.

She was a kind, loving mother, a  
devoted wife, and a faithful follower  
of her Savior, having been converted  
at 11 years of age, and often express-  
ed a desire to go and be at rest with  
Jesus.

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She leaves to mourn her loss, her  
husband, 8 children, 36 grand chil-  
dren, 30 great grandchildren, one  
sister and two brothers and a host of  
friends. But our loss is heaven's  
gain.

Funeral services were held at the  
Friends church Saturday morning at  
11 o'clock, Rev. G. C. Simcox,  
pastor, officiating. Burial was at  
Blue Point M. E. Cemetery.