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Mrs. Schumacher rites held

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Thelma E. Schumacher, 84, of 95 Fourth Ave., Grinnell, died of a stroke Tuesday, Sept. 8, at Grinnell General Hospital.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Thursday at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Grinnell, with the Rev. James Kirk officiating. Burial was in Hazelwood Cemetery, with the Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Memorials may be made to the church.

The daughter of Samuel and Ida Burdette Ingle, she was born on March 7, 1903, at Hoopston, Ill. The family moved to Danville, Ill., where she attended public school. She later graduated from Danville

Business College. Following her education she worked as a performer for the Barnum and Bailey Circus and Sells-Fota Circus Co.

She was married to Harry P. Schumacher on June 17, 1936, in Chicago. The couple lived in Chicago and later farmed near Cylinder for 25 years. They retired and moved to Grinnell in 1983.

Mrs. Schumacher is survived by her husband, Harry; one son, Harry Jr. of Council Bluffs; a daughter, Marlene Stephenson of Saline, Mich.; and three grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents.