Tenor Stern 1987 dies at 70

Blake Stern, 70, a worldrenowned tenor who graduated from Grinnell College in 1940, died Tuesday, Dec. 22, while visiting his sister in Logan.

Mr. Stern, who also attended the Julliard School and taught at Yale University for 32 years until his retirement earlier this year, had performed on several world tours, as well as with the Boston Symphony.

A concert will be performed in Mr. Stern's memory at Yale in New Haven, Conn., on Jan. 28.

A graduate of Logan High School in 1935, he worked as an accountant for a year after graduating from Grinnell. He then joined the U.S. Navy and became an intellignece officer. He began attending Julliard after World War II.

His only immediate survivor is his sister, Amy Ann Gregory of Logan.