

Hold Rites for Charles Sutphin

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Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Monday at the Nevenhoven Funeral Home in Brooklyn for Charles J. Sutphin, 83, of Brooklyn, who died Thursday night at the Brookhaven Nursing Home in Brooklyn.

The Rev. J. Arthur Eveland, pastor of the Grace United Methodist Church, officiated at the funeral. Burial was in Haven Cemetery in rural Tama.

Charles James Sutphin was born July 14, 1890, near Williamsburg, Ia., to Charles and Mary Frances Butler Sutphin. He attended vulcanizing school in Akron, Ohio, where he learned his lifelong occupation.

He was owner-operator of the Brooklyn OK Tire Shop from 1919 until 1971 when he retired.

Mr. Sutphin was married to Beulah Billick June 12, 1930, in Grinnell. The couple lived in Brooklyn from the time of their marriage, except for a two-year period when they lived in Grinnell.

A former member of the Knights of Pythias, Mr. Sutphin served the Brooklyn Fire Department for over 35 years.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Harry of Arizona and Douglas of Belle Plaine; a daughter, Mrs. Daryl (Bonnie) Doty of Cedar Rapids, seven grandchildren, and two great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and five brothers.