

ROBITUARY

GERRIT VAN GENDEREN

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Gerrit, son of Peter and Mary Van Genderen was born May 30th, 1887, in Jasper County Iowa, lived most of his life in and near Lynnville, Ia., departed this life April 12th at 8:24 in Community hospital in Grinnell.

He was united in marriage to Minnie Van Englenburg in 1914 in Lynnville. To this union seven children were born. One died in infancy. Surviving are his widow Minnie, and the following children: Mrs. Mable Stanley, Searsboro; Everett, Lynnville; Harris, Newton; Glen, Mrs. Mildred Terpstra, Miss Evalena Van Genderen, all of Lynnville. Ten grandchildren, Mrs. Miriam Shultz, Lynnville; Mrs. Maxine Van Hoever, Montezuma; Linda, Michael and Marsha Van Genderen, Teresa, Craig and Klye Terpstra and Beverly and Ronald Van Genderen. Also six great grandchildren, Sonja, Kevin and Timmy Shultz, and Penni, Danny and Virginia Van Hoever.

Also surviving are four sisters, Mrs. Gertie VanGorp of Oskaloosa; Mrs. Dan Reitveld of Otley; Mrs. Will Swank and Mrs. Gerrit VerSteegt of Sully, three aunts and one uncle, several nieces and nephews and many friends.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon, April 14 from Lynnville Friends' church in charge of Rev. Carl D. Byrd. Mrs. Howard Macy accompanied Homer McDowell who sang, "Beyond The Sunset" and "Rock of Ages." Pallbearers were nephews, Alvin Reitveld, Marvin and Marion Swank, Clarence, Floyd and Harold VerSteegt. Flower attendants were the Mesdames Cliff Crews, Ray VerSteegt, Clarence Vos and Harvey Gause. Internment was in Sully cemetery.