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Vander Weerdts rites are held

Josie Vander Weerdts, 89, of Sully, a resident of the Lynnville and Sully communities from her arrival in the United States in 1907, died Monday at the Pleasant Park Nursing Home in Oskaloosa April 2.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at the Christian Reformed Church in Sully. The Rev. Daniel Hakken,

pastor of the Sully Reformed Church, conducted services. Burial was in the Sully Cemetery.

The daughter of Jan and Anna Terpstra Runia, she was born May 2, 1889, in The Netherlands. She was married Feb. 23, 1910.

Surviving her are four sons, Brandt, Henry and Garit of Lynnville, and John of Searsboro; a daughter, Mrs. Garret (Anna) Hardeman of Oskaloosa; a sister who resides in The Netherlands; 15 grandchildren; and 20 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband.

Memorial contributions to Gideon's International will be accepted. Memorials may be left at the Garden Chapel Funeral Home in Pella or at the church.

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