

Rites today for Mr. Zumwalt

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James Elmer Zumwalt, 90, of 123 Fourth Ave., Grinnell, died Saturday morning at Grinnell General Hospital, following an extended illness.

Funeral services for Mr. Zumwalt were held at 2 p.m. today at the James-Schalinske Funeral Home, with the Rev. Russell Boersma, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, officiating. Organist was Julia Pearce, and pallbearers were Charles Phillips, Lee Pickens, Karl Collum, Ed Brand, and Jerry Carter.

Burial was at Hazelwood Cemetery.

The son of William and Mariam Anderson Zumwalt, he was born April 6, 1885, at Pittsfield, Ill. He received his grade-school education in Nebo, Ill., and his high-school education at East High in Des Moines. He also attended Drake University, Colorado A.

& M. and the State Teachers College at Cedar Falls. He taught school in Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota and Colorado and in Chester Township near Grinnell. He was employed at Iowa Southern Utilities Co. for four years, Spaulding Mfg. for three years and Grinnell College for 3 years. He was a member of the Christian Church at Nebo, Ill.

He was married to Mary Louise Ellis at Newton on Nov. 1, 1915, and she preceded him in death in 1958. He was married to Lela Logsdon at Pittsfield, Ill., in 1960, and she died in 1966.

Mr. Zumwalt is survived by one sister, Clara Clymer of Loveland, Colo.; a daughter, June Elaine Zumwalt of Cedar Rapids; a foster daughter, Betty of Los Angeles, Calif., two foster grandchildren; and two step-daughters, Mrs. June Ford of Nebo, Ill., and Mrs. Roy Boyle of Coleville, Wash. He was preceded in death by his parents, his wives, and a brother, Claud.