

# MRS. ANNA STERN SUCCUMBS TODAY: RITES SATURDAY

Mrs. Anna Christine Stern, 59, wife of Henry J. Stern, died this morning at 8:30 in the family home five miles northeast of Kirkland in Franklin township, DeKalb county, of complications following a stroke of a week ago. She had been in failing health for several months.

Final rites will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Kirkland Veba chapel with the Rev. Glen Ames, pastor of the Methodist church there, officiating. Burial will be in Charter Oak cemetery. Friends may call in the chapel after Thursday noon.

The daughter of Mr and Mrs. William Schmidt, Mrs. Stern was born in Lyon county, Ia., Jan. 3, 1885, and resided in that community until moving to Kirkland community about 16 years ago. She was married June 3, 1908, at Canton, S. D., to Henry J. Stern.

Surviving in addition to her husband and her mother, the latter of George, Ia., are five brothers and three sisters. The brothers are Frank, George and Harvey Schmidt of George, Ia., Henry of Colchester, Ill., and William of Hadley, Minn. The sisters are Mrs. Alma Regenberg of Currie, Minn., Mrs. R. Ubbinga of Rock Rapids, Ia., and Mrs. Lucy Lamfers, George, Ia. She was preceded in death by a brother and one sister.

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