

Helga Rigmor Sorensen, 82

Helga Rigmor Sorensen was born Aug. 1, 1900 in Logstor, Denmark. She was one of nine children born to Jens and Louise Moller Jorgensen. She was baptized in Denmark:

She came to the U.S. with her parents when she was only 12 years old. They settled in the town of Elk Horn. Here she was confirmed in the Elk Horn Lutheran church where she was educated in the Elk Horn school system.

On Aug. 9, 1924 she married Fred Sorensen. To them were born two children, one son and one daughter. He was manager of the Marne Elk Horn Telephone Co. for many years. He died Jan. 9, 1966. She has remained in her home in Elk Horn until recently. She was hospitalized in April, 1982 and then admitted to the Salem Nursing Home May 26, 1982 where she died Monday, June 14, 1982.

Surviving her are her son, Howard of Elk Horn, her daughter, Lillian (Mrs Robert) Eggerss of Lafayette, Calif.; eight grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Also surviving are one sister, Gladys (Mrs Bernard) Jensen of Dows and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, five brothers and three sisters.

Funeral services were held Thursday, June 17, 1982 in the Elk Horn Lutheran church in Elk Horn, with Pastor Eugene Soland officiating. Burial was in the Elk Horn Lutheran cemetery, Elk Horn with Bruce Roenfeld, Tom Sorensen, Donald Sorensen, Rich Larson, Merlin Sorensen and Egon Simonsen serving as casketbearers.

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SORENSEN — Executor of the Oct. 1, 1966 will of Helga
R. Sorensen, deceased, is Howard N. Sorensen, Elk Horn.