

Anna M. Tierney, 90

Feb. 11, 1906 - Nov. 16, 1996

WALNUT - Anna Marie Tierney was born Feb. 11, 1906, in Shelby County north of Avoca, daughter of Ben and Mary Karstens Bornholdt, and the youngest of five children. She attended grade school in the country and graduated from Avoca High School in 1922.

She married James L. Tierney Oct. 12, 1935. They lived most of their life in the Walnut area with the exception of 2 1/2 years spent in the Los Angeles, CA area. They moved to Peace Haven Retirement Home in 1978. He died in 1979. She was a member of the Peace United Church of Christ in Walnut and its Women's Fellowship, the American Legion Auxiliary and an honorary member of Peace Haven Association. She died Nov. 16, 1996, at the Colonial Manor Nursing Home in Avoca, at age 90 years, nine months and five days.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Leo; three brothers, Harry, Edwin and Clarence, and one sister, Wilma Hansen. She is survived by six nieces and nephews, Mary Jean Krummel of Walnut; Mary Pat (Leonard) Tremel of Earling; Josephine Leslie of Avoca; Donald Bornholdt (Gilma) of Spirit Lake; Joan Baker of Prior, OK and George E. Leslie (Florence) of Altadena, CA and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Nov. 19, 1996, at the Peace United Church of Christ, Walnut, with Rev. Doris Ruben officiating. Burial was in the Walnut Cemetery. Casket bearers were Jim Leslie, Gary Krummel, Kevin Bruck, Don Tremel, Walter Sampson and Mark Wedemeyer. Knutson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.