(Handwritten date: Friday, June 4, 1943)

MRS. CHRISMAN, 89, HARTFORD TOWNSHIP, DIES Funeral Services Held This Afternoon At Linn Grove Church

Finals rites were held this afternoon for Mrs. Rosanna Kizer Chrisman, 89, at the Linn Grove Christian church, who died at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clara Pearson, a half mile south of Linn Grove. Rev. L. C. Winn, pastor, was in charge of the funeral at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Burial was made in Greenwood cemetery.

Mrs. Chrisman, who was a life long resident of Hartford township, died of infirmities of old age and had been ill only a week. She was the widow of William Chrisman, who died instantly about forty years ago when he suffered a kick by a horse.

The deceased was a daughter of Martin L. and Mary Katherine Kizer and was born on December 7, 1853.

Surviving are the following children: Mrs. Clara Pearson with whom she has been residing, Mrs. Bert Ramsey of Fort Wayne, Osia Chrisman of south of Linn Grove and Mrs. Simon Chandler of Millbury. There are also 22 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren.

A son, Elroy, then 35, and his wife died in the influenza epidemic during World War I. Two infant children also preceded her.

(Handwritten date: Wednesday, Oct. 13, 1943) (Should be Wed., Oct. 20...she died Oct. 19)

MRS. J. LYBARGER, MOTHER OF FIVE, DIES Ailing Only Since Wednesday, Passed Away Yesterday

Mrs. Jesse Lybarger, nee Janet Ineichen, became acutely ill last Wednesday. She was immediately taken to the Adams County Memorial Hospital and operated for gall stones, but at 4:00 p.m. yesterday she passed away at the age of 47.

Mr. and Mrs. Lybarger had been farming in Hartford Twp. until their boys were called into the service, when they moved to Geneva where their present home is.

She was born in Celina, O., the daughter of George Ineichen, deceased.

Surviving her are five children: Lt. Franklin Lybarger in North Africa, Pfc. John Lybarger in England, Cpl. David Lybarger of Calif., and Genevieve and Kathleen at home. In addition, there is one sister, Mrs. Adolph Pontius of Muncie, Ind., and two brothers, Harve and Albert of Geneva.

Mrs. Lybarger was a member of the Eastern Stars and of the Mothers of World War II.

At press the funeral arrangements still were undecided pending a response from the son in California.

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LYBARGER FUNERAL SATURDAY AFTERNOON

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