

Obituary from The Ogden Reporter, Ogden, Iowa (excerpt)

Funeral services for Mrs. Gertie Nelson will be Friday, August 23, at 1:30 from the Hansen Funeral Home in Stratford, and at 2 p.m. at the South Marion Church, the Rev. F. Garrett in charge. Burial will be in the Hardin Township Cemetery at Stratford.

Mrs. Nelson, who had been living in Ogden the past few years until her recent illness, died Tuesday evening about 5 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Merrill Monson in Stratford. She had been ill for six months.

She is survived also by several brothers and sisters, Mrs. Stella Sparks, Edward Merriam, O.W. Merriam, and Mrs. V.A. Husmann, all of Ogden; Emery Merriam of Wood, Wisconsin; Mrs. John Becker, Mrs. Alvin Erickson, and Melvin E. Merriam of Boone; Mrs. D.H. Hensen of Des Moines, and a number of grandchildren.