

SORENSEN, Martenia

Born 1860

Died: October 10, 1901
northwest of Viborg

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Died, Miss Martenia Sorenson at the home of her father Mr Goodhope who lives North west of town, at the age of 40 years 10 months and one day, Thursday, Oct. 10. The deceased went to College at Battle Creek Mich. three years. She worked as a missionary in the bible work for 15 years in different states. She was a devoted christian worker. She gave up the best part of her life to the cause. She was beloved by all who knew her. Just before she died she called her relatives to her bedside and bid them farewell, telling them to meet her on the new earth. She also said what dress she wanted to be buried in. And also requested that her five brothers and her cousin Pete Kier would act as pall bearers. She kept asking about her things that were on the way from Indiana amongst which which was a pet bird which arrived the day after she died. The funeral services were held at the Advent church and she was buried in the Advent cemetery, her grave was completely covered with flowers. The friends and relatives have the sympathy of all.