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IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF IOWA

Upon the Petition of)
HARVEY F. KIENAST,)
Petitioner-Appellee,)
And Concerning)
LaVON M. KIENAST,)
Respondent-Appellant.)

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Appeal from the Iowa District Court for Des Moines County - D. B. Hendrickson, Judge.

Respondent-wife appeals from the decree dissolving the parties' marriage asserting that the trial court erred in failing to award her alimony. AFFIRMED.

Bruce J. Schulte of Dailey, Ruther, Bauer, Schulte & Hahn, Burlington, Iowa, for defendant-appellant.

Steven S. Hoth of Hirsch, Link, Adams, Hoth & Krekel, Burlington, Iowa, for petitioner-appellee.

Considered by Oxberger, C.J., Hayden, and Sackett, JJ.

PER CURIAM

The scope of our review in this equity case is de novo. Iowa R. App. P. 4.

Petitioner, Harvey F. Kienast, and respondent, LaVon M. Kienast, were married in 1968. It was a second marriage for both parties. No children were born of the marriage, but each party had children from his or her first marriage. Harvey filed a dissolution petition and, following LaVon's answer, the trial court awarded LaVon temporary alimony of $200 per month.

At trial the court concluded that all assets had been accumulated since the marriage. The court then awarded net assets worth $27,000 to LaVon and net assets worth $21,793 to Harvey. The court then considered the $5,813 difference in assets to be a lump sum payment to LaVon in lieu of any alimony.

We find the property division was equitable and just under all of the circumstances disclosed in the record, and we decline to disturb the trial court's determination.

Each party shall pay their own attorney fees on appeal and costs are assessed against respondent-appellant.

AFFIRMED.