

Elmer Adams, 86

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Elmer Adams, 86, of Montezuma, died Saturday, May 17, at the Montezuma Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.

His graveside funeral service was held Friday, May 23, at Brooklyn Memorial Cemetery with the Rev. H. Burr Bryant of the Montezuma United Methodist Church officiating. Watts Funeral Home of Montezuma was in charge of the arrangements.

He was born July 18, 1916, in Poweshiek County, the son of Wilmer and Bessie Shine Layer Adams. He at-

tended school through the 10th grade. He became a resident of the Poweshiek County Home which later became the Diamond Life Health Care center at Montezuma. In early years, Elmer faithfully rode his bike to the United Methodist Church every Sunday for services. He loved to watch sports and was an avid Iowa Hawkeye Football fan.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Earl Adams.

He is survived by half-sister Lona Fleming of Atlantic, Iowa, and her family.