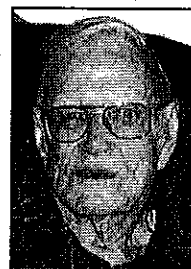


Woodrow William "Woody" Boyd, 90

Woodrow William "Woody" Boyd, age 90, died Thursday, Sept. 17, 2009, at the Grinnell Regional Medical Center, Grinnell, following a brief illness. Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 19, at the First Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn, with the Rev. John Reynolds officiating. Burial was in the Jackson County Township Cemetery, Montezuma, with military honors conducted by Francis-Gallagher Post #294. Memorials may be contributed to the First Presbyterian Church Handicap Accessibility Fund. Kloster Funeral Home, Brooklyn, is in charge of arrangements.



He is survived by three daughters, Linda Mullen (Brad) of Guernsey, Bev Boyd of Urbandale, and Shirley Messamer (Ron) of Adel; six grandchildren, Tina Saland (Cory) of Brooklyn, Bradford Mullen of Brooklyn, Adam Mullen of Guernsey, Teresa Gale of Waukee, Randall Messamer (Monica) of Perry, and Daniel Messamer of Puyallup, Wash.; and ten great-grandchildren, Jon Mullen, Jesse Saland, Hanna Saland, Devin and Derik Gale, Allison, Stephanie, and Alex Messamer, and Elaina and Jesse Messamer.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Ina Mae; two brothers, Warren and John; and a sister, Evelyn Chrissinger.

Woodrow William Boyd was born June 29, 1919, in Ewart, the son of John and Eliza Smith Boyd. He received his education in the Poweshiek County schools and served in the U.S. Army during World War II. Woody married Ina Mae Johnson in Montezuma on Feb. 24, 1941. He was employed as a truck driver for the Poweshiek County Roads Department for many years. He also worked as an auto mechanic in Deep River and for Dyer's Ford in Brooklyn. Woody was an avid fan of the Iowa Hawkeyes and the Chicago Cubs. He loved Aunt Marly's homemade cookies, playing cards, bingo and word searches. He also enjoyed his daily drives around the area. Woody was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Brooklyn.

Online condolences may be extended to the family via the website www.klosterfuneral-home.com.

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