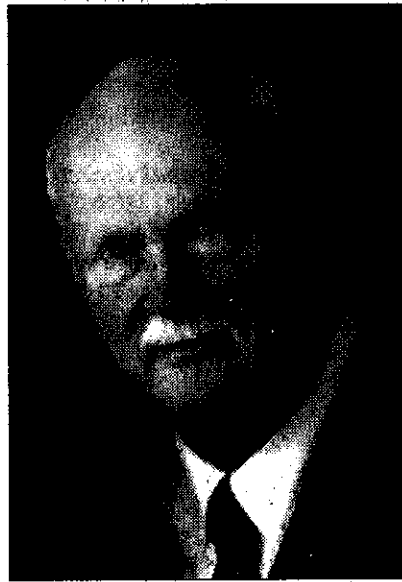


**Robert F. Jacobsen Jr.**

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Robert F. Jacobsen Jr., 88, of Grinnell, formerly of Tama, passed away Sunday, Oct. 7, 2012, at Grinnell Regional Medical Center.

Funeral services were scheduled for Thursday, Oct. 11, at 11 a.m. at Kruse-Phillips Funeral Home in Tama with Father Michael Mescher officiating. Interment followed at St. Patrick's Cemetery in Tama. Visitation was held Wednesday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be directed to the Alzheimer's Association or Grinnell Regional Medical Center.

Bob was born on Aug. 15, 1924, in Gilman; the son of Robert F. and Amanda W. Reimers Jacobsen Sr. After graduation, he served his country in the U.S. Army Air Corps.

On Nov. 27, 1948, he married Norma Jeanne Blythe at St. Patrick's Rectory in Tama. In 1984, Evelyn Navara came into his life and was his companion until his death.

Bob was employed by Fisher in Marshalltown for 30 years, retiring in 1983. He also farmed. Bob was a lifelong Tama resident. He was a member of St. Patrick Catholic Church in Tama, UAW Local 893, Fraternal Order of Eagles, and the American Legion. Bob liked fishing, pheasant hunting and fixing things. He enjoyed wintering in Texas and spending summers in Canada. Later in life, he bought a plane and enjoyed flying into his 80s.

Survivors include his companion

of 28 years, Evelyn Navara of Grinnell; three daughters, Bert Webber of Tama, Becky Strahl of Randall, Minn., and Vicki DeAngelo of Grinnell; four grandchildren; and two brothers, Dick Jacobsen of Arizona and Ron Jacobsen of Sheldahl.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and his wife Norma Jeanne, in 1983. 6H-R