Charlene "Ann" Kubik, 77

Charlene "Ann" Kubik, 77, of Marshalltown, died Saturday, July 19, 2008, at Marshalltown Medical and Surgical Center while under the care of their staff, her family and the Iowa River Hospice.

Her funeral service will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, July 23 at the Pursel-Davis Funeral Home Chapel in Marshalltown. Burial will be in the Woodland Cemetery in Toledo.

Ann was born on April 5, 1931, in Barnes City, the daughter of William B. and Helen Warwick. She grew up in Barnes City and graduated from Montezuma High school in 1948. On Oct. 9, 1951, she was united in marriage to Thomas Kubik at the Evangelical United Brethren Church in Toledo. They lived in San Diego, New York and Virginia while Tom served in the Navy before returning home to Toledo. They farmed over 600 acres and also raised cattle, pigs and chickens.

Ann's devotion to farm life was amazing, as she helped in the fields, cooked large meals for farm hands, and even had her picture on the cover of Farm Bureau Spokesman for the eggs her chickens produced. She enjoyed sewing, gardening, flowers, her pets, fishing, cooking and shopping. Ann was a devoted, loving wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother and mother-in law. After Tom died in 1977, Ann continued her education and caring qualities and became a CNA at the Bethesda Nursing Home in Tama, before retiring and moving to Marshalltown in 1986.

Ann was a very compassionate, giving person who totally had the happiness of her children and family at heart. She was always there to support them when they needed help. She was kind and gracious to everyone.

She is survived by her son Daniel, of Marshalltown, daughter, Sherry (Rick) Beasley of Marshalltown, son Mark of Ankeny; her brothers Gale D (Jennie) Warwick, of Wadesboro, N.C., and Bill (Marilyn) Warwick of Deep River; her six grandchildren, Matt (Jen) Posusta, Rick Beasley Jr., Richelle Beasley, Nathan Kubik, David Kubik and Amanda Kubik and five great-grandchildren including her granddaughters, Madisyn, Morgan and Myla Posusta of Ankeny, who always brought a smile to her face, even in her weakest hours.

Preceding her in death were her husband Tom, her parents, and a sister, Martha Fowler.

Memorial contributions may be directed to The Iowa River Hospice in Ann's memory.