Peggy Paxton, 68, of Marshalltown, died Tuesday, Aug. 27, 2013, at Iowa River Hospice Home with her family by her side.

Funeral services for Peggy will be held at 7 p.m. on Friday, Aug. 30, at Mitchell Family Funeral Home. Public visitation will be held from 4 p.m. until services on Friday, Aug. 30, at Mitchell Family Funeral Home where her family will be present to greet friends. For further information or to send a condolence please visit www.mitchellfh.com or call 641-844-1234. Mitchell Family Funeral Home is handling the arrangements.

Memorials in lieu of flowers may be directed to the Peggy Paxton Memorial fund which will be distributed among the organizations that touched her life.

Peggy was the first-born child to John and Genevieve Mae Paulson Bailey in Grinnell. She was raised on a rural farm west of Newburg. Peggy attended grade school at Newburg and graduated from Grinnell High School in 1963. She attended Marshalltown Community College for one year. In January 1965, she married William Vint of Marshalltown; they had two children and were later divorced.

She met Gary Paxton in 1987, and they married on Nov. 5, 1994, at their home in LeGrand where they lived for 21 years.

She enjoyed family, gardening, crocheting, camping, reading, and Sudoku.

Peggy worked as an accountant for 30 years, the majority of those at Marshalltown Printing Company and Marshalltown Orthopedics.

She is survived by her husband Gary Paxton of LeGrand; her daughter Jennifer Nazario of Wellsburg; her stepdaughters Kimberly, Blue of Gifford, and Erika Denmark of Rockwell; four grandchildren; her siblings, Kathy Karam of Wesley Chapel, Fla., Ed Bailey of Gilman, Jim Bailey of Cedar Falls, and Bill Bailey of Grinnell; and numerous friends and relatives.

She was preceded in death by her son Chad, her parents, her grandparents and her sister Bonnie Casey.