Carmen L. Brackett

Carmen Louise Brackett, 67, died Thursday, March 24, at Taylor House Hospice in Des Moines of respiratory failure.

Funeral services for Carmen L. Brackett will be held at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, March 29, at Cornerstone Family Church, located at 3114 SW 61st St., in Des Moines, with burial to follow at 1:30 p.m. at Rock Creek Liberty Cemetery.

She was born in Des Moines and lived there until moving to Kellogg 12 years ago. She last worked for the State of Iowa as a supervisor of child and adult abuse; she retired in 1995. She enjoyed fishing, woodworking and spending time with her family.

She is survived by her daughter, Robin Hale of Des Moines; her son, Rich Brackett of Des Moines; seven grandchildren; three sisters, Marilyn Vicker of Des Moines and Virginia Mickelson and Karen Choate, both of Grinnell; and a brother, Carl Henry of Pleasant Hill. She was preceded in death by her parents, Marvin and Clarice Henry, and a brother, Marvin Jr.

Memorials may be made to Taylor House Hospice.

M.E. March 28, 2005