Ralph Henry Quick

Ralph Henry Quick, 87, of Kellogg, died Tuesday, March 14, 2017, at the Grinnell Regional Medical Center.

A funeral service will be held at 10:30 a.m., Monday, March 20, at the Wallace Family Funeral Home and Crematory in Newton. The family will greet friends from 2 to 4 p.m., Sunday, March 19, at the funeral home. Memorials to St. Francis Manor may be left at the funeral home.

Ralph, the son of Walter L. and Margaret Mae Camerer Quick, was born Feb. 25, 1930 in Melcher-Dallas, Iowa. Ralph served in the United States Army during the Korean War. On Sept. 5, 1954, he was united in marriage to Florence Eileen McCormick in Melcher. Ralph worked as a mason and bricklayer prior to working at the Maytag Company and farming. He retired from Maytag in 1994 with over 28 years of service. Ralph loved the outdoors and farming, plus fishing, hunting, gardening, coffee with the guys at the local COOP, and the grandkids.

Those left to honor his memory include his wife, Florence; son, David of Pensacola, Fla.; four daughters, Diane Finch of Kellogg, Denise Flanagan of Bondurant, Karen Kotke of Ankeny, and Connie Hupp of Grinnell; 11 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; his siblings, Marianne Louise Smith of Baxter, Helen Hall of Melcher Dallas, Nellie Wertz of Kellogg, Ruth Luett of Texas; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; siblings, Virginia Grace, Norma Jean, Bernice, Lee, Donald, and Bill; and one granddaughter.