Betty K. Coons

Betty "Peg" K. Coons, 82, of Grinnell died on Saturday, Jan. 28, at St. Francis Manor in Grinnell.

A graveside service for Betty K. Coons will be held at 12 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 3, at the White Chapel Memorial Gardens in Gladstone, Mo.

She was born on June 2, 1923, in Kansas City, Mo., the daughter of Fred A. and Pearl Effie Loyd Peterson. She was raised in Kansas City and graduated from high school there.

On May 6, 1943, she married David E. Coons. The couple had two sons, Fredrick and David. She worked as a bookkeeper for Malnar Mechanical and later for U.S. Engineering.

She is survived by her husband; her sons and their spouses, all of Grinnell; four grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and a brother, Dick Peterson of Tombstone, Ariz. She was preceded in death by her parents, two brothers and three sisters.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials be directed to Grinnell Regional Hospice or to St. Francis Manor.