Henry Cade, 77, Pella

Henry Junior Cade, 77, of Pella passed away Nov. 13, 2006. Henry "Junior" Cade, son and the eldest child of Elton and Grace Aalbers Cade, was born Sept. 2, 1929, in Pleasantville. Junior attended schools in the Harvey and Attica area through grade six. He then moved to California with his Uncle Clark Cade for more schooling and work.

At age seventeen Junior joined the Air Force in Jacksonville, Florida. He spent 15 months in Okinawa, Japan, and then returned to Pella on furlough to visit family. This is when he met Marcia D. Klein. Also at that time he received his orders to transfer to Washington D.C. He then asked Marcia for her hand in marriage and they were united in marriage on Jan. 19, 1950, at the First Reformed Church in Pella. After their wedding reception they left for Washington, D.C. where they lived for four months. Upon Junior receiving his honorable discharge, the couple moved back to Pella. They lived briefly with Marcia's parents where Junior helped on the farm. They later moved to Pella and three daughters were born into the family: Cathy, Candace, and Carma.

Junior was a member of the First Reformed Church in Pella. He leaves his beloved wife Marcia of 56 years; his three daughters: Cathy Jo (Paul H.) Beyer, Candace Joy Dittmer, Carma Jean (Robert A.) Ruthven all of Pella, 10 grandchildren: three great-grandchildren; one sister and her husband, Irene and Dean Van Osdal of Burlington; and a special nephew, Curtis Lee Kane.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his sister, Betty Byers; and his brother, Wayne Lee Cade.