James E. Talbott

James E. Talbot, 73, of Grinnell died Saturday, March 25, 2006, at his home. There will be no service. Memorials may be made to Grinnell Regional Hospice or to the James E. Talbott Memorial Fund.

He was born Oct. 29, 1932, in Grinnell to Asa Clayton and Isla Dorothy Anderson Talbott. He was raised in Grinnell and was a 1953 graduate of Grinnell High School. He was married on Nov. 30, 1954, to Dorris P. Elhard in Iowa City. They lived in Grinnell where he was employed as a truck driver. He retired from International Harvester as a mechanic. He was a member of the International Order of Odd Fellows (I.O.O.F.) lodge. He enjoyed hunting, fishing and gardening. He also loved to tinker at various projects and the company of his dog Sam.

He is survived by two sons Jerome Miller of Beaman and Willis Miller of Gilman; two sisters Madesta (Sis) Beason of Carthage, Mo., and Mary Trecase of Grinnell; seven grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents and his wife Dorris.