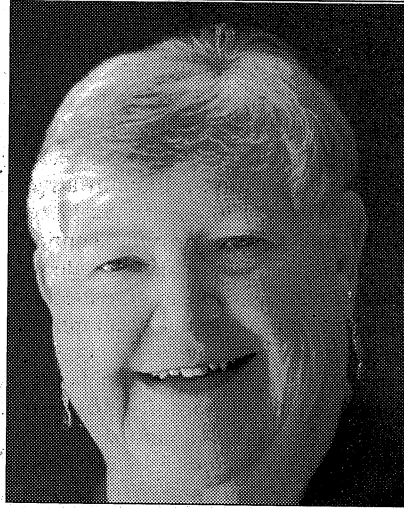

Karen Buffington



Karen Buffington, 82, of Springdale, Ark., and formerly of Grinnell, died Jan. 4, 2023, of natural causes at Brooklyn Community Estate in Brooklyn, Iowa.

A private memorial service will be held the afternoon of Jan. 21 in Grinnell. Celebrate Life Iowa is in charge of cremation, with burial in Fayetteville, Ark.

Karen Dodson was born July 7, 1940, in Chariton, Iowa, the daughter of Homer and Dorothea Dodson. She married Floyd Buffington, and was an office worker who lived and worked in Grinnell until retiring to Springdale, Ark.

She is survived by two sisters, Connie Carlson and Shirley Phillips; two sons, Jon and Scott; and one granddaughter.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Floyd.

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