Clyde E. Davis

Clyde E. Davis, 94, of Grinnell died Monday, Oct. 15, 2007, at Friendship Manor Care Centre under the care of Grinnell Regional Hospice.

A funeral service was held Thursday, Oct. 18, at Kruse-Phillips Funeral Home in Tama with John Epperson, pastor of Grinnell Christian Church, officiating. Interment followed in Haven Cemetery, rural Tama. A memorial has been established.

He was born Nov. 6, 1912, in Haven, the son of Tom and Sadie Reed Davis. He was united in marriage on Feb. 14, 1935, with Dorothy Thompson in the Methodist parsonage in Chelsea. They farmed in the Montour area. In his younger years he enjoyed hunting coon and deer as well as fishing. His greatest joy was spending time with his grandchildren.

He is survived by one daughter Gayle Powell of Mosbyrock, Wash.; one son, Jerry Davis of Grinnell; six grandchildren; 14 great grandchildren; one great great granddaughter and two half sisters, Phyllis Barnes of Galesburg, Ill., and Norma Davis of Tama. He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife Dorothy on Dec. 26, 2004, and one half brother, Harold Davis.