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A memorial service will be held at a later date.

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Mabel E. Jacobs, 99, of Grinnell died Saturday, Sept. 15, 2007, at Mayflower Homes Health Care Center.

A memorial service will be held Saturday, Oct. 13, 2007, at New England Congregational Church in Aurora, Ill.

She was born May 4, 1908, in Malden, Mo., to Ray and Maude Brown Waltrip. She was raised in southeast Missouri and graduated from Southeast Missouri State Teachers College at Cape Girardeau where she studied music. Following graduation she returned to Malden as an elementary school teacher.

On Aug. 26, 1930, she was united in marriage with the Rev. William Arthur Jacobs in Malden, Mo. Her husband was a pastor in Congregational Churches in Wisconsin, Iowa, Illinois and Florida. The couple retired to Grinnell in 1979 where they were faithful members of the United Church of Christ-Congregational in Grinnell.

She is survived by one daughter, Ellen Millhollin of Alpharetta, Ga.; one son, Michael Jacobs of Lake Geneva, Wis.; five grandchildren; nine great grandchildren and three great great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, her parents and one sister Pauline McDaniel.