Marvin Wade Low

Marvin Wade Low, 72, of Tama died Wednesday, Feb. 14, 2007, at Grinnell Regional Medical Center following a sudden illness.

A service was held Monday, Feb. 19, at Kruse-Phillips Funeral Home in Tama with Pastor Dewey Grimes officiating. Interment will follow in Oak Hill Cemetery, rural Tama. A memorial fund is being established.

He was born on April 26, 1934, in Tama, the son of Wade and Margaret Kriegel Low. He was united in marriage with Mary Jean Novotny on Oct. 7, 1954. After his discharge from the United States Army, he returned to the Tama-Toledo area where he worked for Martin Johnson's D-X in Toledo. He purchased the business in 1959, and in 1979 moved it to 100 North County Road in Toledo which he still operated. He belonged to the former Tama-Toledo Jaycees. He enjoyed attending the Iowa State Fair, tractor shows, auctions and farm sales.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Jean of Tama; one daughter, Connie Sue Low of Coralville; one brother George Lowe of Tama; four sisters, Darlene Belvin of Chelsea, Phyllis Wallace and Delores Keys of Marshalltown and Sharon Judge of Cedar Rapids. He was preceded in death by his parents.