Zelda Jones, 90, of Grinnell died Wednesday, Feb. 18, 2009, at Friendship Manor Care Center.

A funeral service was held Monday, Feb. 23, 2009 at Holland-Coble Funeral Home in Montezuma. Internment was in the Barnes City Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer’s Foundation. Friends may give private condolences or sign the on-line guest book at hollandcoblefuneralhome.com.

The daughter of William and Effie Evans Bryan, she was born Oct. 23, 1918, in Keokuk County. She attended Keokuk County School and Barnes City High School. On March 14, 1934, she was united in marriage with Woodrow Jones in Oskaloosa. She was a bookkeeper for several years for various companies in the New Sharon and Grinnell areas. She also worked as a waitress for Skel Diner, Maid-Rite and Grinnell College, and helped with the consolidation of the Barnes City, New Sharon and Lacey schools. She had been a member of the United Methodist Church and the Lend a Hand Club.

She is survived by her husband of 74 years, Woodrow of Grinnell; her sons and daughters, Evelyn Bunn, Ellen Inman, Lloyd Jones and Daniel Jones, all of Grinnell; her sister, Alberta Strand of Anamosa; eight grandchildren; 14 great grandchildren and seven great great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, William and Effie Bryan; two brothers, Evan Bryan and William “Bill” Bryan; two sisters, Artice Schwab and Mary Perry and two great grandchildren, Cassie Bunn and Kyle Jones.