

**Marvin ^{O'H-R}
Alexander**

Marvin Alexander, 74, of 1303 Prairie St., Grinnell, died of cancer Tuesday, Nov. 28, at Grinnell General Hospital.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. Stanley Meade, pastor of the Grinnell First Baptist Church, officiating. Organist was Kathleen Heffner, and pallbearers were Thomas Coffey, Michael Mittermeier, Ronald O'Halloran, David Schinckel, Clyde Sumpter and Bill Warner.

Burial was in Hazelwood Cemetery.

The son of John Wesley and Sarah Fannie Dobbs Alexander, he was born May 26, 1915, at Monticello, Ky. He and his parents moved to Grinnell in 1922, and he attended school here. He was married to Zona Louise Coffey May 19, 1936, at Monticello.

Mr. Alexander was employed by the Maytag Co. in Newton for 28 years, retiring in 1977. He previously worked for the M. and St. L. Railroad, Lennox Industries and the former Grinnell Foundry. He was a member of United Auto Workers Local 997 of Newton.

Surviving are his wife; one daughter, Eula Schinckel of rural Grinnell; two grandchildren; two step-sisters, Fanny Mullen of Indianapolis, Ind., and Rosie Eaton of Monticello, Ky.; and a step-brother, David Criswell, also of Monticello.

Funeral Home, Grinnell, Iowa