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Memorials in Mr. Anderson's name may be made to Grinnell General Hospital and left at the Smith Funeral Home.

The son of Robert L. and Irma Marousek Anderson, he was born June 25, 1934, in Grinnell. He attended school here and was graduated from Grinnell High School in 1952. He worked for the California State Fish and Wildlife Program for a few years, then moved to Oklahoma. He was married to Neva Brown on Jan. 31, 1958, at Tulsa, Okla. Following their marriage, they moved to Grinnell.

Mr. Anderson was employed at Iowa Southern Utilities Co. for five years and with the Parsons Company at Newton for four years. He owned and operated the Grinnell Maid Rite and later Andy's Motel. He had recently been employed by Farmhand, Inc.

Survivors include his wife, Neva; a son, Michael Anderson; a daughter, Jana Anderson; his mother, Mrs. Irma Anderson of Grinnell; two sisters, Mary Louise Swaner of Monterey, Calif., and Carolyn Phipps of Grinnell; and a brother, John Anderson of Grinnell.