
Harold W. Andes

Harold W. Andes, 69, of 1327 Summer St., Grinnell, died of cancer Thursday, Nov. 22, at Grinnell General Hospital.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. A. Cliff Bevins of the Grinnell First Baptist Church officiating. Organist was Margaret Wheeler.

Pallbearers were Vern Brooke, Harold Brown, Donovan Evans, Harry Mill, Howard Raffety and Maynard Raffety. Honorary bearers were Keith Brannian, Dwight George, Gary Parmenter, Raymond W. Rhodes, LaForest Sherman and Gale Wheeler.

Burial was in Hazelwood Cemetery, memorials in Mr. Andes' name may be made to the First Baptist Church.

The son of Isaac Jacob and Jenny May Williams Andes, he was born near Brooklyn on Oct. 5, 1921. He attended rural school and graduated from Brooklyn High School in 1939, then farmed on his parents' farm north of Brooklyn.

He was married to Mary Louise Phipps Sept. 21, 1941, in Grinnell. The couple continued to farm until 1947, then moved to Grinnell where Mr. Andes operated a general contracting business. He later worked in the drafting office of Denniston & Partridge Lumber Co., with Farmhand Inc., with the Donaldson Company and at the Mayflower Home. For the past seven years he had been associated with Gary Parmenter as a carpenter.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church and a former member of the Grinnell Kiwanis Club.

Surviving are his wife; one daughter, Patricia Ann Laubengayer of Moline, Ill.; one son, John of Grinnell; five grandchildren; two sisters, Margaret Holifield of Friendship Manor and June Douglas of Grinnell; and one brother, Charles of Brooklyn. He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers, Wayne and Ernest.