

**MRS. H. G. ARMSTRONG.**  
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**Woman of Beautiful Character Leaves  
Circle of Warm and Loving  
Friends.**

A lovable woman who had passed her three score years and ten went to her final reward Monday, December 18th, when Mrs. H. G. Armstrong breathed her last. Her death came after several weeks' illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dawley Child.

Harriet May Dawley, daughter of Mordecai and Ruth Raymond Dawley, was born May 25th, 1851, at Mt. Holly, Vt. March 13, 1877, she was united in marriage to Harry G. Armstrong, and until 1881 their residence was at Dresden, Iowa, where Mr. Armstrong was postmaster. In 1881 they moved to Grinnell and together they have lived here during the long period of forty-one years in loving happiness and connubial bliss.

A quiet, lovable woman, Mrs. Armstrong has lived well her life and has made her home a home of love and goodwill.

Surviving her are her daughters, Mrs. Harriet Hastings, of Grinnell, Dr. Metta A. Burd, of Cedar Rapids, Mrs. May Laros, of Hart, Mich., Mrs. Ruth Walker, of Webster City, Mrs. Dawley Child, of Grinnell, and one son, Herbert H. Armstrong of this city. Her brother, Chas. A. Dawley, also survives her. One brother and one sister preceded her in death.

In accordance with her request, the funeral will be private, at the home of her daughter tomorrow.

Bearers will be her son, H. H. Armstrong, her sons-in-law, Dr. Walter Burd, Geo. H. Walker, John Hastings, and Fred Laros and her brother C. N. Dawley.

Mrs. Armstrong's life has been notably sweet and useful. She has lived not only for her children but in her children also, setting them an example of beautiful pureness and love, and has been rewarded by seeing them grow into lives of usefulness, following the example of one who made her home a model of cheer and who inspired her children with a love for higher education and useful living. Of Revolutionary ancestry she lived the patriotism she inherited and has left a delightful memory of service well rendered and of a life truly lived.