

## Dennis Brubaker

Dennis Lee Brubaker, 60, of Gilman died of cancer Sunday, Dec. 12, at his home.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. Angie Hulin, pastor of the Gilman Community Church, officiating. Organist was Margaret Wheeler, and pallbearers were Bill Ashing, Neil Bortell, Dennis Bouma, Rick Dillon, Albert Lemke, Dave Price and Jeff Richardson.

Burial was in Prairie View Cemetery, Gilman.

The son of Everett LeRoy and Helen Lavera Stuart Brubaker, he was born June 19, 1939, in Grinnell. He was raised and educated in the Grinnell and Searsboro areas and was a 1957 graduate of Searsboro High School.

He was married to Betty Lou Kroeger March 30, 1959, in Iowa City. The couple lived in the Grinnell area.

They moved to Gilman in 1972 where Mr. Brubaker was employed as plant manager for Mid-Iowa Telephone Co. In 1993, he began working for Kellogg Hardware Store. He retired in 1998.

Surviving are his wife; his parents; one daughter, Pam McGerr of Gilman; one son, Bill of

Marysville, Wash.; two sisters, Kathy Bouma of New Sharon and Betty Dillon of Grinnell; one brother, Larry of Smyrna, Tenn.; and five grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one daughter, Denise Rae Brubaker.

Memorial contributions may be directed to the Dennis Lee Brubaker Memorial Fund.

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