

Harriet Bruce

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Harriet Lucille Bruce, 88, of Newton died of heart failure Sunday, Oct. 12, at Skiff Medical Center in Newton.

Funeral services will be conducted at 3 p.m. Sunday at Wallace-Pence Funeral Home in Newton, with the Rev. Jerry Brown, senior pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Newton, officiating. Visitation with the family will be from 2 to 3 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

The daughter of Charles and Alice Ewers Markley, she was born April 10, 1909, in Wayne County. She was raised in Millerton. She was a high school graduate and attended Simpson College for one year.

She was married to Early William Bruce May 7, 1933, in Newton.

Mrs. Bruce was the retired owner and operator of Bruce Cleaners in Newton. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and the Lady Elks.

Surviving are a daughter, Beverly Daniel of Grinnell; one son, Charles of Newton; five grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and three sisters, Leona McIntire of Nevada, Delores Abel of Ankeny and Cleo Gillman of Corydon.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her husband.

H.R. October 16, 1997