

## Irene Bryan

Irene Bryan, 77, of 1315 Summer St., Grinnell, died of an apparent heart attack Monday, June 11, at her home.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Friday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. Raymond C. Lott of the Grinnell United Methodist Church officiating. Organist will be Margaret Wheeler, and pallbearers will be Robert Ashby, Ronald Baker, Marvin Cordes, Harold Churchill, Freddy Watson and Raymond Watson.

Burial will be in Jackson Township Cemetery in Montezuma.

The daughter of William and Freda Jahlas Cordes, she was born March 29, 1913, in Guernsey. She graduated from Guernsey High School in 1932.

On Jan. 1, 1935, she was married to Earl E. Bryan in Marengo. The couple farmed west of Montezuma for one year, and in 1936 moved to a farm in the Bethel community southwest of Grinnell. They moved to Grinnell in 1973.

Mrs. Bryan was a member of the Bethel Methodist Church and the Bethel Ladies Aid.

She is survived by two sisters, Lila Eberle of Wichita, Kan., and Wilma Watkins of Sheridan, and one brother, Darrell Cordes of Victor. She was preceded in death by her parents and her husband.