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Norma Duffus rites Friday

(Harold)

Norma Jean Duffus, 54, of 1429 Main St., Grinnell, died Tuesday evening at Grinnell General Hospital.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1:30 p.m. Friday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. James P. Russell of the Grinnell United Methodist Church officiating. Burial will be at Hazelwood Cemetery. Memorials in Mrs. Duffus' name may be made to the American Cancer Society.

The daughter of Clifford and Evy Meldrem, she was born Jan. 6, 1927, near Brooklyn. She attended Malcom schools, graduating in 1944.

On Aug. 16, 1946, she was

married to Harold Duffus. Following their marriage they lived in Malcom, Gilman, Kellogg and Grinnell. Mrs. Duffus was a member of the Order of Eastern Star and the Grinnell United Methodist Church.

She is survived by her husband, Harold; three children, Michael Duffus of Newton, Connie Halsne of Des Moines and Martin Duffus of Grinnell; two sisters, Zadie Ross of Brooklyn and Merlene Whisenand of Kelley; and a brother, James Meldrem of Gilbert. She was preceded in death by her parents and three brothers.

Norma Duffus services held

Funeral services for Norma J. Duffus, 54, of 1429 Main St., who died Tuesday at Grinnell General Hospital, were conducted Friday at the Smith Funeral Home.

The Rev. James P. Russell, pastor of the Grinnell United Methodist Church, officiated. Organist was Kathleen Heffner, and vocalist was Dale

Clark. Pallbearers were Mel Adams, Paul Davoux, Ken Franklin, Darwin Krueger, Gene Story and Bob Townsend. Honorary bearers were Raymond Coburn, Russell Freeborn, Roy Meyer, Hubert Saxton, Dave Sturtz and Don Tough.

Burial was at Hazelwood Cemetery.