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Curtis Gould services held

I. Curtis Gould, 71, of 311 S.W. Loomis Ave., Des Moines, formerly of Grinnell, died Sunday, July 27, at Iowa Methodist Medical Center following a lengthy illness.

Graveside services were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Prairie View Cemetery in Gilman, with the Rev. Donald M. Scheller, pastor of the Gilman United Methodist Church, officiating. Friends may call the Smith Funeral Home here for additional information.

The son of Fred R. and Inez Johnson Gould, he was born April 19, 1909, in Gilman. He attended schools there, graduating from Gilman High School. He later attended the American Institute of Business in Des Moines.

On July 9, 1930, he was married to Luna Berniece Sonner

in Des Moines. The couple farmed southeast of Gilman. They moved to Des Moines during World War II where Mr. Gould was employed at the Ankeny defense plant. He served with the U.S. Navy during the war, and following his discharge the couple returned to Gilman to farm. In 1955 they moved to Grinnell, and Mr. Gould was owner of Gould's Feed and Grain for 18 years. The couple returned to Des Moines in 1975.

While in Grinnell, Mr. Gould was a member of B.P.O. Elks Lodge No. 1266.

Survivors include his wife, Berniece; his children, Donn J. Gould of Rte. 1, Gilman, Larry C. Gould of Chaska, Minn., and Jane E. Spires of Des Moines; and five grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents.