

## Marvin D. Johnson, 71

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Marvin D. Johnson, Sr., 71, of Montezuma died Wednesday, June 12, at Grinnell Regional Medical Center from complications of Alzheimer's disease.

No funeral service was scheduled, but visiting hours were held from 2 p.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday, June 15, at the Harden Funeral Home, New Sharon with cremation following the visitation. Memorials may be made to the Montezuma Fire and Ambulance Department.

Marvin was born May 4, 1931, at Sioux Falls, S.D., the son of Emil and Anna (Scholander) Johnson. He was educated at Elmore, Minn., and after his schooling, worked as a truck driver and helped on the family farm. Aug. 18, 1951, Marvin was united in marriage with Jean Gust at Blue Earth, Minn. He farmed in the Elmore area for several years and had his own trucking business at Blue Earth. He later moved to

Tracy, Minn., where he worked as a hog buyer for the Armour Company. Marvin and his family settled in Montezuma in 1970. He began working for Audas Feed & Supply in 1977. He served on the Montezuma City Council for several years and enjoyed working with his mules, collecting model tractors and hats, and spending time with his grandchildren.

Marvin's memory is honored by his wife Jean of Montezuma; his three daughters, Barb (& Lyle) Martin of Lynnville; Linda Upton (& companion Dave Schinckel) of Grinnell; and Nancy (& Jim) Hargis of New Sharon; his son, Dale (& Gayle) Johnson of Montezuma; seven grandchildren; one great-grandson; and his sister, Arlyce (& Roger) Holland of Elmore, Minn.

Marvin was preceded in death by his parents.

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**Correction:** It was brought to the attention of the managing editor of The Montezuma Republican that the cause of death in the Marvin Johnson obituary was incorrect. After checking with Harden

Funeral Homes, it was found that the copy sent to The Republican was incorrect. The cause of death should have been reported as emphysema rather than complications of Alzheimer's Disease.

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