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Evelyn Martin

services set

Evelyn Martin, 95, of 913 Prairie St., Grinnell, died Tuesday evening, Nov. 16, at the home of her daughter, Isabel Rutherford.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1:30 p.m. Friday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. Robert C. Smith of the Grinnell First Baptist Church officiating. Burial will be at Hazelwood Cemetery.

The daughter of Madison and Eliza Ann McNabb Fernau, she was born June 4, 1887, at What Cheer. She attended schools in What Cheer.

She later moved to Grinnell and was married to John Bowman, who preceded her in death. They had lived in Nashville, Tenn., for a few years before returning to Grinnell in 1921.

On April 4, 1925, she was married to S.L. (Dess) Martin in Waterloo. They farmed for some 40 years in the Oak Grove community.

Mrs. Martin was a member of the Westfield Ladies Aid and the First Baptist Church.

She is survived by her daughter, Isabel Rutherford of Grinnell; three grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and seven great-great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husbands; three great-grandchildren; two sons, Sam and Fred Bowman; six sisters and three brothers.

Rites held for Mrs. Martin

Funeral services for Evelyn Martin, 95, of 913 Prairie St., who died Nov. 16, were held at 1:30 p.m. Friday at the Smith Funeral Home.

The Rev. Robert C. Smith, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated. Organist

was Edward Bohstedt. Pallbearers were Ed Brand, John Higdon, Robert Rutherford, Carroll Stuart, Gilbert Taylor, Hillard Turner Jr. and Carol VanWilligen.

Burial was at Hazelwood Cemetery.