Robert H. Mills

Robert H. Mills, 81, of Grinnell died Tuesday, July 1, 2003, at Grinnell Regional Medical Center.

The body was cremated and a private service will be held at a later date. Memorial contributions may be sent to Grinnell Regional Hospice.

The son of Isiah and Glossie Cochran Mills, he was born Jan. 16, 1922, in Starkville, Miss. He was raised and educated in Laurel, Miss. He was a veteran of the United States Army Air Corps during World War II. He was married on April 25, 1943, at Lowery Field, Colo., to Audrey Goodman. They moved in 1947 to Des Moines where he received a bachelor of arts degree from Drake University. He then was employed for many years in Des Moines with Hunt Wesson, a food supplier. He retired in 1984 and in 1987 they moved to Grinnell.

He was a member of the Grinnell United Methodist Church and the Masonic Lodge.

He is survived by his wife Audrey of Grinnell; two sons, Lee Mills of Ottawa, Kan., and Michael Mills of Castle Rock, Colo., and three grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents.