

Edna Stewart

Edna Mae Stewart, 84, of 1815 Belmont Dr., Grinnell, died Wednesday, Aug. 7, at Friendship Manor.

Funeral services are pending at the Smith Funeral Home, where friends may call for additional information.

Among survivors are her husband, Delmar, and a son, Roger, both of Grinnell.

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Edna Mae Stewart, 84, died Wednesday, Aug. 7, at Friendship Manor.

Funeral services were conducted Friday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. Raymond C. Lott, pastor of the United Methodist Church of Grinnell, officiating. Organist was Margaret Wheeler, and pallbearers were Dale Larsen, Gary Lowry, Terry Lowry, Jerry Schneider, Robert Stewart and Stan Stewart.

Burial was in Hazelwood Cemetery. Memorials in Mrs. Stewart's name may be made to the Grinnell United Methodist Church.

The daughter of Herman and Lena Alertson Larsen, she was born Sept. 28, 1906, in rural Malcom. She attended a rural school in Malcom Township and graduated from Grinnell High School in 1924. She received a degree in education from Drake University.

She was married to Delmar Stewart July 20, 1930, in Grinnell. The couple farmed in the Blue Point community for 31 years before moving to Grinnell in 1966. Mrs. Stewart's career in education spanned 32 years. She taught at various rural schools in Poweshiek County and later at Cooper Elementary School in Grinnell.

She was a member of the Grinnell United Methodist Church, the United Methodist Women, a charter member of the Poweshiek County Retired Teachers Association and

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a live member of the Iowa Education Association. She was also active with Beulah Chapter No. 47, Order of Eastern Star, and the Grinnell General Hospital Auxiliary.

Surviving are her husband; one son, Roger of Grinnell; two grandchildren; one great-grandson; her sister, Louise Neister of Grinnell; and her brother, Donald Larsen, also of Grinnell.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one sister, Irene Christianson; and one brother, Ernest Larsen.