Alice Anderson

Alice Anderson, 93, of Grinnell died Tuesday, Dec. 14, 2004, at St. Francis Manor Care Center.

A funeral service will be held Saturday, Dec. 18, at 10:30 a.m. in Wheelan Funeral Home in Rock Island, Ill. Visitation will take place at 9:30 a.m. Burial will take place in Chippianock Cemetery, Rock Island. Memorials may be made to the Shriners’ Hospital for Crippled Children, 2900 Rocky Point Drive, Tampa FL 33607.

She was born July 15, 1911, the daughter of Oscar and Vicea Anderson. She was a 1928 graduate of Rock Island High School and a 1932 graduate of Moline Public Hospital School of Nursing. After graduation she moved to San Diego, Calif., where she was employed as a nurse at Hillcrest Hospital until her retirement in 1976. Following retirement, she cared for a close friend Virginia Morrison, a stroke patient, until her death in 1991. She moved to St. Francis Manor in 1997.

She was a Girl Scout leader, a hostess for military personnel during World War II in San Diego and devoted her life to bringing newborns into the world and caring for the ill.

She is survived by three nephews, Ray Bulens of Grinnell, Jim Hanson, Rock Island, and Jerry Hanson, Mason, Ohio. She was preceded in death by her parents, one brother Ted Anderson and two sisters Pearl Bulens and Hazel Hanson.