

(Leland L.)

Betty Utterback



M-R February 1, 2001

Betty Utterback, 75, of Grinnell died at her home Monday, Jan. 29.

Funeral services were held Thursday at the Grinnell Christian Church, Organist was Margaret Wheeler, and vocalist was Marty Duffus. Casket bearers were Christopher Grundler, Steve Fenske,

Mike Hudnutt, Doug Keis, Troy Kingery and Chad Reimers.

A private family burial service was conducted at Hazelwood Cemetery. The Smith Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

She was born Dec. 1, 1925, in Delta to Clyde and Esther White Dawson. She was raised in Sigourney and was a graduate of Sigourney High School.

She was married to Leland L. Utterback April 21, 1946, in Oskaloosa. They lived in various Iowa communities and worked for Grahams' Department Stores. They moved to Grinnell in 1981 and owned and operated Rainbow's End gift shop.

Mrs. Utterback was a member of the Christian Church and the Grinnell Area Chamber of Commerce.

She is survived by her husband; her mother, Esther Dawson of Grinnell; one daughter, Pamela Grundler of Grinnell; one sister, Virginia M. Utterback of Colorado Springs, Colo.; and one grandson.

Memorial contributions may be made to Grinnell Regional Hospice or to her church.