

OBITUARY

ROY DAVID VAN METER

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Roy David Van Meter was born April 19th, 1892 at Griswold, Iowa and died at Newton, Iowa on February 23th 1956.

A farmer in the Jasper county area for much of his life he had made his home in Newton for the past seven years. He had been in ill health for a number of years prior to his death.

Survivors include his wife and aged father, four daughters, Lela Johnson and Mary Herbrandt of Grinnell, Gwenth Martensen and Dorothy Bennallock of California; and a son, William Van Meter, also of California.

Also surviving are two brothers, Ray and Walter, both of Marshalltown; and two sisters, Lela Van Meter and Letah Rippe of Toledo, Ohio.

Funeral services were conducted from the Smith Funeral Home in Grinnell on March 2nd with the Rev. Leland Mann, D.D., minister of the Congregational church, officiating.

Soloist at the final rites was Mrs. Bonnie Duncan and she was accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Rhee Auman.

Pallbearers were Arthur Goeke, Julius Herbrandt, Maurice Kester, Orville Patterson, Glen Reavis and Robert Thompson.

Interment was at Hazelwood cemetery.