

## Robert D. Dale

Robert D. Dale, 78, of Grinnell died Friday, April 11, at his home of cancer.

Funeral services for Robert Dale will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, April 16, at the Smith Funeral Home with Pastor Howard Lord of Montezuma officiating. Pallbearers will include Ray Heinle, Daryl Keenan, Allen Latcham, Bob Pearce, Russ Sadler and Charlie Stepanek. Honorary bearers will be Howard McDonough, George Pearce, Tom Selle, Marv Steenhoek, Paul Stone, Madison Tomfeld and Jim Ulm.

Burial will be in the Westfield Cemetery.

The son of Thomas and Amy Radcliff Dale, he was born June 12, 1924, in Grinnell. He was a 1943 grad of Grinnell High School and a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving during World War II. He married Betty Heinle on Nov. 16, 1950, in Grinnell.

He farmed in the Grinnell area for 20 years and was employed by Grinnell College from 1968 until his retirement in 1989.

He was a member of the Westfield Church, the Masonic Lodge, the Grinnell American Legion, the V.F.W. and the I.O.O.F. Lodge.

Survivors include three sons, David and John, both of Grinnell, and George of La Feria, Texas; and seven grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife; one sister, Darlene; and one brother, in infancy.

Memorial contributions may be directed to the Masonic Lodge scholarship fund, Westfield Cemetery or Grinnell Regional Hospice.

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