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## Mike Brady

Mike Brady, 63, of Searsboro died Monday, May 24, 2010, at his home.

A memorial service will be held Friday, May 28, at Smith Funeral Home with John Epperson, pastor of Grinnell Christian Church, officiating. Visitation will be held Thursday from 1 until 8 p.m. at Smith Funeral Home with family members present from 5 to 7 p.m.

Memorials may be made to the Michael L. Brady Memorial Fund to benefit organizations of his family's choice. Memories and condolences may be shared with his family at [www.smithfh.com](http://www.smithfh.com).

Gr H-R 5-31-10

Mike Brady, 63, of Searsboro died Monday, May 24, 2010, at his home. A memorial service was held Friday, May 28, at Smith Funeral Home with the Rev. John Epperson officiating. Memorials may be made to the Michael L. Brady Memorial Fund to benefit organizations of his family's choice. Memories and condolences may be shared with his family at [www.smithfh.com](http://www.smithfh.com).

He was born April 9, 1947, in Des Moines, the son of Robert and Norma Munn Brady. He was raised in Carlisle and Knoxville, Iowa, and Akeley, Minn., graduating from Akeley High School with the class of 1965.

Following his education, he moved back to Iowa where he resided in Knoxville and Chariton. He was united in marriage with Phyllis Nelson on Aug. 21, 1998, in Newton.

He worked as a mold setter for Maytag in Newton for 33 years until his retirement in 1999. During a labor strike while employed at Maytag, he worked for a construction company which was building the mile-long bridge near Knoxville. He was for many

years a member of Local #957 of the United Auto Workers Union of Newton.

He is survived by his wife Phyllis Brady of Searsboro; his stepchildren, Bob Roach, Leslie Christianson and Brian Roach, all of Chariton, and Jessica Clementi of Grinnell and Kris Clementi of Des Moines; 12 grandchildren; his brother, David Brady of Des Moines; and his sister, Debbie Simmons of Mountain Home, Ark. He was preceded in death by his parents and his son Shawn Brady in 1991.

