LaVonne Vos



La Vonne Byers Vos, 93, of Grinnell' died Friday, Nov. 28, 2008 at St. Francis Manor.

A funeral service was held Tuesday, Dec. 2, at Holland-Coble Funeral Home in Montezuma. Memorials may be made to the Grinnell Regional Medical Center Gift Shop. Friends may offer condolences on-line at hollandcoblefuneralhome.com.

Edna La Vonne Byers, the daughter of Shirley A. and Dora Mitchell Buster Byers, was born Dec. 6, 1914, in Ware, Iowa. She was a 1932 graduate of Greentop High School in Greentop, Mo. She was united in marriage with Warren Byers with whom she had five children, She worked for the Iowa Soil Conservation Board as office administrator beginning in 1956, retiring in 1981. She was remarried to Francis Vos and they resided in Runnels. She enjoyed volunteering at the Grinnell Regional Medical Center Gift Shop.

She is survived by two daughters Shirley Brynildson of Parachute, Colo, and June Steffen of Grinnell; two stepdaughters, Valerie Van Helten and Vickie Schut; one sister Claire Hevener of Hemet, Calif., several grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her two husbands, Warren Byers and Francis Vos; two sons, David Buster Byers and William Edward Byers; one daughter, Dora Jane Worthingon; one brother Melvin P. Buster; one sister Reva Wilkins and an infant grandchild.

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