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Farrell E. Dayton, 80, of New Sharon died Jan. 24, 2013, at Grinnell Regional Medical Center under Hospice care.

Funeral services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Monday, Jan. 28, at Smith Funeral Home in Grinnell with Pastor Jim Sears, pastor of the Christian Life Church in Newton, officiating Organist was Marilynn Kriegel. Vocalists were Mary Jo Seaton and Carol Schmidt. Pallbearers were Gene Kephart, Bill Kephart and Scott Kephart, Daron Blanke, Garry W.

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Memorial contributions may be directed to the Farrell E. Dayton

Memorial Fund.

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Survivors include her husband, Eugene of New Sharon; her children, Sharon, Blanke of New Sharon, Barbara Boots and Sally Mills of Grinnell and Garry Dayton of Montezuma; one brother, Earl Davis of Malcom; 18 grandchildren; 43 great-grandchildren; and one greatgreat-grandchild.

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