

## Vera McRitchie

Vera McRitchie, 81, of Grinnell, died Feb. 6, 2013, at University of Iowa Hospital.

A private funeral service was held on Feb. 10 in Michigan. A burial was held in White Chapel Cemetery in Troy, Mich.

Memorial contributions can be made to the Digestive Disease Center Fund (30576003) at University of Iowa Foundation, One West Park Road P.O. Box 4550, Iowa City, IA 52244-4550. Checks can be written to the University

of Iowa Foundation with "In Memory of Vera McRitchie" in the subject line.

Vera was born on Dec. 26, 1931, to Melvin and Kathleen Quackenbush of Strathroy, Ontario, Canada. She worked as a nurse in Rochester, Mich., before moving to Grinnell in 2002.

Vera is survived by sister, Norma Robertson; her brother, William Quackenbush; her children, Karen McRitchie, Debra Fenton, Donald McRitchie, and Robert McRitchie; and three grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

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