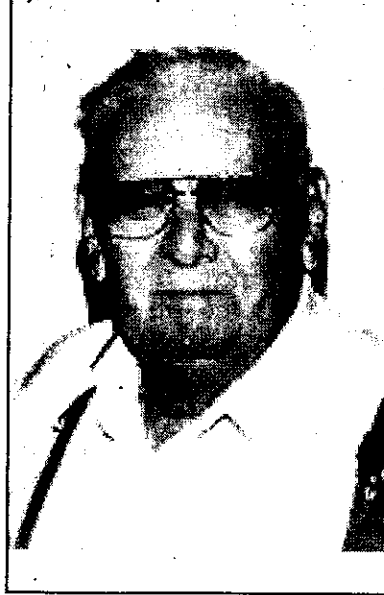


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EUGENE DALE "BUD" PRINGLE

Services for Dale "Bud" Pringle, 85, of What Cheer were held Feb. 19, at Holland-Coble Funeral Home in What Cheer. Burial was in Highland Cemetery at What Cheer. Memorial contributions may be made to the Serenity House Hospice in Oskaloosa or to What Cheer Fire & Rescue.

Dale Eugene Pringle was born July 19, 1927 in Indianapolis, the son of Joseph and Inez Sproul Pringle. His father passed away when Bud was in the eighth grade. His older brothers were both in the service so Bud assumed the responsibility of the family farm at age fourteen. Over the years Bud continued his farming operation and he owned and operated a live stock trucking company before managing Wakes Feed Store in What Cheer.

In 1984 he retired from farming and began driving a school bus for Tri-County School until 1999. Bud enjoyed attending harness races and the flea markets in What Cheer as well as dancing with his partner, Leda McAdams. He also enjoyed coffee time with his friends at Ahlbee's and a nice sunny day to mow lawns.

He was preceded in death by his

parents, an infant daughter, Connie Pringle; his son, Daniel Pringle; two brothers: Joseph and James Pringle and a sister, Frances Pringle.

Dale is survived by two sons: Larry (Karla) Pringle of Alexandria, Va and Kenny Pringle of Iowa City; his three daughters: Cathy Pringle of Ottumwa, Cindy (David) Curtis of Ottumwa and Kelly (Mark) Fitzsimmons of Red Wing, Minn. Bud also leaves behind a dear friend, Leda McAdams of Delta; 16 grandchildren and five great grandchildren.