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Memorials may be directed to the Mary Phipps Memorial Fund and sent in care of Smith Funeral Home, P.O. Box 368, Grinnell, Iowa 50112.

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Funeral Home of Grinnell is handling arrangements.

Mary was born on July 19, 1931, in Greenfield to Oscar and Ruth Hill Schultz. She was raised in Greenfield and attended Greenfield schools.

On Oct. 29, 1948, she married Raymond W. Phipps in Montezuma. The couple lived in Grinnell, where she was a mother to three children and worked as a nurse's aide at the former St. Francis Hospital. She enjoyed reading, playing solitaire on her computer and cheering on the Iowa Hawkeyes.

Survivors include her two children, Diane Phipps of Malcom and Randy Phipps of Marshalltown; three grandchildren; one great grandson; and one sister, Judy Chester of Washington state.

She was preceded in death by her husband; her parents; one son, Gary Phipps; one brother, Oscar Schultz Jr.; and three sisters, Mildred Pickrell, Rosie Pickrell and Barbara Schultz.

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