

Larry Sheets



Larry Sheets, 67, of Grinnell died Wednesday, Feb. 1, 2006, at his home.

A graveside service will be held at a later date at Westfield Cemetery.

Larry Arthur Sheets was born Oct. 22, 1938, in Peoria, Ill., the son of William and Lizzie C. Kahler Sheets. He attended schools in Peoria and in Brooklyn and Grinnell, Iowa. He was married on Jan. 1, 1958, to Janet Hofer in the First Baptist Church in Grinnell. He retired from the Maytag Co. in Newton in May, 1992, after 26 years of service. He enjoyed trapping, hunting and fishing, as well as times with his grandchildren including watching them in school sports.

He is survived by his wife; four daughters Rhonda Delk, Patricia Shearer, Linda Courter and Vicki Sheets, all of Grinnell; six grandchildren; two great grandchildren and one brother Bernard of Kellogg. He was preceded in death by his parents; a half brother Leo; his brothers Merle in infancy, Donald and Wilbur and one sister Wanda Ray.