Georgia Y. Smith 6H-R



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A memorial service was scheduled for 10:30 a.m., Thursday, June 21, at the Smith Funeral Home in Grinnell with Pastor John Epperson officiating. Interment will be at Hazelwood Cemetery in Grinnell.

Visitation was held prior to her service at the funeral home.

Memorials may be designated to PALS (Poweshiek Animal League Shelter) and mailed in care of the Smith Funeral Home, PO Box 368, Grinnell, Iowa 50112. Memories and condolences may be shared with Georgia's family online at www.smithfh.com.

Georgia Y. Young was born on Feb. 25, 1929, in Stoutland, Mo., to Joseph and Bertha Oliver Young. She was raised near Stoutland and graduated from Stoutland High School in 1947.

Georgia was united in marriage with Cleo Smith on April 21, 1949, in Stoutland, and they had two daughters. Shortly after their marriage, they moved to Grinnell, and Georgia worked

at McNally's grocery store in Grinnell for over 37 years. She enjoyed taking care of her grandchildren, traveling to Missouri to see her family, tending her flower and vegetable gardens, feeding the birds and squirrels, reading, and visiting with people. She was a member of the Grinnell Christian Church.

Georgia is survived by her daughters, Barbara Smith and Wanda Hidlebaugh, both of Grinnell; three grandchildren; three great grandchildren; three brothers, Junior Young, Keith Young, and Jerry Young, all of Missouri; and sisters, Neva South of Arizona, Virginia Courison of Missouri, and Sharon Boyer of Pennsylvania.

Georgia was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Cleo, in 1996; brothers, Ray and Willard Young; and sisters, Wilma Clark and Elma Cleo Young.

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