

Donald E. Bradley



GH- Sept 11, 2006
Donald Eugene Bradley, 71, of Grinnell died Tuesday, Sept. 5, 2006, at Friendship Manor.

A memorial service was held Monday, Sept. 11, at Smith Funeral Home with John Epperson, pastor of Grinnell Christian Church, officiating. Inurnment was in Ames Municipal Cemetery in Ames. Memorials may be made to the Don Bradley Memorial Fund to benefit the Grinnell Police and Fire Departments. Online condolences may be submitted to the family on the Smith Funeral Home website www.smithfh.com.

He was born April 24, 1935, in Mendota, Ill., to Walter and Pauline Bowers Bradley. The family moved to Ames in 1940 and he attended Ames Public Schools. He graduated from Ames Senior High School with the class of 1953. He attended Drake University in Des Moines where he received a degree in journalism in 1955. He was united in marriage with Sherry Dahlberg Young in July, 1964. They resided in Ames during much of their life together. He moved to Grinnell in 1975 where he began his broadcasting career with radio station KGRN. His passion was broadcasting and he was the voice delivering news to listeners in communities of east central Iowa.

He is survived by one son David Bradley of Ames; three grandchildren; two great grandchildren and one sister, Karen Morden of Phoenix, Ariz. He was preceded in death by his parents.

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Services are pending at Smith Funeral Home.