Richard DeBruyn, 76, Galesburg—

Richard DeBruyn, 76, of Galesburg passed away Dec. 3, 2006. Funeral services were held Dec. 7, at the Pence-Reese Funeral Home. Burial was held at Hewitt Cemetery at rural Reasnor. Memorials can be given to Hospice of Jasper County.

Richard was born Feb. 3, 1930, at Galesburg to Carl Guy De Bruyn and Delia Homes. He attended Jasper County Schools. He lived on a farm north of Newton for 17 years and Galesburg most of his life.

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He served the US Marine Corp. during the Korean Conflict. He was a farm laborer, and a Jasper County Highway Department shop foreman.

He is survived by his brothers: Robert and Betty DeBruyn of Newton, and Charles and Rosie DeBruyn of Newton; a sister Kathryn Icenbice of Grinnell and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two sisters: Helen Quinn and Evelyn Wilson; six brothers: Clifford DeBruyn, Earl DeBruyn, Vernon DeBruyn, Ivan DeBruyn, Norman DeBruyn, and Marvin DeBruyn.