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Woodrow Jones, 95, of Grinnell died Saturday, July 11, 2009, at his home.

A funeral service will be held Wednesday, July 15, at 10:30 a.m. at Holland-Coble Funeral Home in Montezuma. Visitation will be held Tuesday at Holland-Coble Funeral Home in Montezuma beginning at 10:30 a.m. with family members present from 6 to 8 p.m. Memorials may be made to Grinnell Regional Hospice. On-line condolences may be sent to hollandcoblefuneralhome.com.

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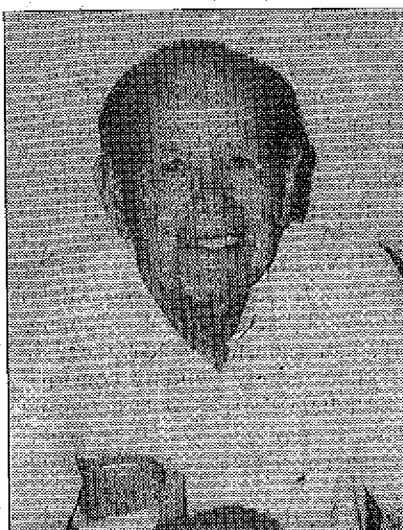


Woodrow Wilson Jones, son of Robert and Sarah (Hart) Jones was born on Aug. 2, 1913, in Mahaska County. He attended Lowe Country School and Barnes City High School. On March 14, 1934, he was united in marriage to Zelda Bryan in Oskaloosa. To this union four children were born, Evelyn, Ellen, Lloyd and Daniel. Woodrow farmed a few years and drove a truck for a couple local drivers, before they moved to Dixon, Ill., so he could attend barber school. He worked in the local barber shop for a couple of years before returning to Barnes City. He started to farm again until the mid 1950's when he bought a welding repair shop in Barnes City. In 1960, he sold the welding shop and went to work for the State of Iowa Department of Transportation as a mechanic in Grinnell, retiring in 1976. Woodrow enjoyed woodworking, animals, fishing and gardening. He also loved to play the harmonica, dancing, and to go deer hunting in Wyoming. He was a member of the Moose Lodge in Grinnell.

He is survived by his four children, Evelyn (Carrell) Bunn of Grinnell, Ellen (Robert) Inman of Grinnell, Lloyd (Linda) Jones of Grinnell, and Daniel (Joan) Jones of Grinnell; his eight grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and seven great-great grandchildren.

Woodrow was preceded in death by his parents, Robert and Sarah Jones; his wife, Zelda Jones on Feb. 18, 2009; eight brothers, Palmer, Robbie, Wesley, James, George, William, David and Louis; four sisters, Mary Jones, Anna Grife, Lizzie Grife and Sarah Jones; and two great-grandchildren, Cassie Bunn and Kyle Jones.

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