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Keith Arthur services held

Funeral services for Keith Arthur, 47, who died Wednesday of injuries he sustained in an automobile accident near Searsboro, were held at 1 p.m. Saturday in Herrick Chapel on the Grinnell College campus. The Rev. Irene Weitert, pastor of the Searsboro Community Friends Church, officiated. Organist was Kathleen Heffner. Pallbearers were Keith Beaderstadt, Rex James, Lyle Hubby, Mike Mintle, Gordon Lewis, and Jack Weise. Honorary pallbearers were Robert Dale, Joseph Handell, Doyle Mikles, Robert Patrick, Mike Phillips, Hollis Sisco, and Dennis Elhard. Graveside rites were conducted by Marion Gibson, commander; Edwin Richardson, chaplain; and members of the Grinnell Veterans Ceremonial Unit. Burial was at the Jackson Township Cemetery at Montezuma, with the Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Keith Arthur, 47, killed in Wednesday crash

A Searsboro man was killed and shortly thereafter transferred to the Veterans' Administration Hospital in Iowa City. Officials there listed him in "serious" condition Wednesday.

Keith Arthur, 47, was the fatality in the crash. Arthur had been an employee of Grinnell College's building and grounds department for some time. Seriously injured in the accident was John Harold Roberts, 20, of New Sharon. Roberts was brought to Grinnell General Hospital immediately after the crash.

A charge of failure to yield half of the travelled portion of the road is pending on Roberts. Combined damages in the crash, Allen said, totaled \$5,000.

Keith Arthur was born on July 6, 1930, the son of Cecil H. and Pansy Gerard Arthur, near Searsboro. He attended schools there and graduated from Searsboro High School, before serving with the U.S.

Marine Corps in the Korean conflict. On Jan. 6, 1953, he married Gladys Snook in Montezuma. The couple had always lived in Searsboro.

For several years he had farmed and done part-time carpentry work for Rex James in Searsboro. For the past 15 years, he was employed at Grinnell College. Surviving him are his wife, three daughters, Mrs. Terrance (Marilyn) O'Brien, Nancy Arthur of Ames, and Barbara Arthur of Malcom; two sons, Rex Arthur of

Lynnville, and Cecil Arthur of the family home; his father, six sisters, Mrs. Bert (Margaret) Stensrud of Montezuma, Mrs. Ed (Betty) Lash of Massillon, Ohio, Mrs. Roger (Eva) McDowell of Searsboro, Mrs. Richard (Doris) Lowry of rural Grinnell, Mrs. Ronald (Shirley) Tice of Corning, and Mrs. Jack (Aileen) Saunders of Panora; and two brothers, Kenneth Arthur of Mansfield, Mo., and Ward Arthur of Omaha, Neb. Funeral arrangements were incomplete Wednesday, but friends may call at Smith Funeral Home.