

Eugene B. Auten

Eugene B. Auten, 70, of Kellogg died of cancer Sunday, Oct. 22, at his home.

A memorial service was conducted Wednesday at Wallace-Pence funeral Home in Newton, with Boyd Davis, president of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, officiating.

The son of Frank M. and Ida Belle Critchett Auten, he was born July 31, 1925, in Grinnell. He was a 1943 graduate of Kellogg High School.

Mr. Auten served with the U.S. Army during the Korean conflict. He was a farmer, a school bus driver, did maintenance for 20 years, served as a driver for Progress Industries and was custodian of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints. He was secretary of the Lions Club in Kellogg from 1960 to 1986.

Surviving are two daughters, Kimmerly Frances Auten of Spanish Fork, Utah, and Kaydren Bethnee Auten of Provo, Utah; one brother, Bert of Newton; and two sisters, Anne-Lois Reynolds of Newton and Margaret Beveridge of Middletown, Conn.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Jasper County.

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