

Clyde W. Bailey

Clyde Wayne Bailey, 80, of Grinnell died Monday, Nov. 9, at Friendship Manor.

Graveside services are set for 11 a.m. Friday at Pittsburgh Cemetery, Keosauqua, with the Rev. Keith Briggs, pastor of the First Friends Church of Grinnell, officiating. Pallbearers will be Nicholas Bailey, Michael Gould, Andrea Heckel, Kristin Morrison, Wendi Ward and Sara Wray.

The son of David Earl and Frances Alma Baird Bailey, he was born June 7, 1918, on a farm near Douds. He received his education in Keosauqua and was a 1937 graduate of Keosauqua High School.

He was married to Fern Sadler in 1940. He farmed in the Douds area prior to moving to Grinnell in 1947. Mr. Bailey operated a trucking company here. He began working for Cornland Plant Foods in 1951 and continued in fertilizer sales for several years before working as an inspector for the Iowa Department of Agriculture. He retired in 1983.

Surviving are two children, Jean Gould of Gilman and Keith of Grinnell; three brothers, Lee of Kahoka, Mo., Fred of Boise, Idaho, and Dick of Broom, Texas; two sisters, Esther Kilpatrick of Dallas and Edith Eymann of Phoenix; six grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two sisters, Ruth Pruett and Edna Hepp.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

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