

Warren S. Beaty

Warren S. Beaty, 67, of Rock Creek Lake, former co-owner of Grinnell Motors, died of cancer Tuesday, Oct. 17, at Grinnell General Hospital.

The body was donated to medical science. A memorial service was conducted Thursday morning at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. Raymond C. Lott, pastor of the Grinnell United Methodist Church, officiating. Organist was Kathleen Heffner.

Memorials in Mr. Beaty's name may be made to Hospice Grinnell or to Grinnell General Hospital.

The son of Roscoe Conklin and Vera Belle Short Beaty, he was born May 14, 1922, in Cedar Falls. When he was 8, he moved with his family to Waverly, graduating from Waverly High School in 1940. He then entered the U.S. Navy.

He was married to Gladys Buchan July 28, 1945, near Nashua. Following his discharge from the navy, the couple came to Grinnell where he was associated with his brother Wilson in operating Grinnell Motors. Mr. Beaty was a member of the American Legion, the Elks Lodge, and the Grinnell United Methodist Church. He was a former member of the Grinnell Jaycees.

Surviving are his wife; two sons, Marine Corps Maj. Scott R. Beaty of Hawaii and David B. Beaty of Humboldt; a granddaughter; one brother, Wilson of Grinnell; and a sister, Betty Jean Gambaiani of Waverly. He was preceded in death by his parents and two sisters, Dora Belle Howard and Beulah Mae Natzke.