Leona Bennett

Leona Emma Bennett, 81, of Tama died Friday, March 24, at Grandview Acres in Toledo.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at Harrison Funeral Home in Tama, with burial in Haven Cemetery. Casket bearers will be Steve Formanek, Rob Formanek, Robert Bennett, Todd Saurbrei, Phillip Stewart and Dennis Deke. Honorary casket bearers will be her great-grandchildren.

She was born April 19, 1918, in Belle Plaine to Wesley and Josephine Bilek Kucera. She received her education at the Helena country school in rural Tama.

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She was married to Raymond Bennett Feb. 1, 1936, in Cedar Rapids. The couple farmed.

Surviving are three sons, Gene of California and Eldon and Gary, both of Toledo; one daughter, Judy Formanek of Chelsea; 10 grand-children; 11 great-grandchildren; and one brother, Henry Kucera.

She was preceded in death by her husband; one daughter, Janice Bartachek; four brothers, Lee, Jim, Joe and Jack Kucera; and one sister, Mary, in infancy.

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