Robert Breiting



Robert A. Breiting Robert A. Breiting, 78, of 710 Eighth Ave., Grinnell, died Thursday, Sept. 28, at Iowa Methodist Medical Center in Des Moines.

A memorial service was conducted Sunday afternoon at St. John's Lutheran Church, with the Rev. Arvid Dixen officiating. Organist was Margaret Amo. The body was cremated.

Memorials in Mr. Breiting's name may be made to the church.

The son of Alfred and Mabel Lewis Breiting, he was born July 21, 1911, in Grinnell. He attended Grinnell schools.

He was married to Della Stewart Sept. 20, 1931, in Grinnell. The couple continued to live in Grinnell where Mr. Breiting owned Breiting Carpet and Installation until 1980.

He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church where he taught Sunday school and served on the church's board of directors. He was also a member of the Autumn leaves, was a Boy Scout master and was a former member of the Grinnell City Council.

Mr. Breiting was a recipient of the Lamb Award, the highest honor for Boy Scout leaders, from the Lutheran Church.

He is survived by his wife Della; a daughter, Karen Roussos of Newton; one son, Kenneth of Malcom; two grandsons; and two brothers, Raymond of Denver, Colo., and Gerald of Puyallup, Wash. He was preceded in death by his parents.