

Thomas S. Clark

Thomas S. Clark, 77, of 808 Summer St., Grinnell, died Friday, Feb. 1, at Grinnell General Hospital.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. Raymond C. Lott, pastor of the Grinnell United Methodist Church, officiating. Organist was Teresa Thompson, and vocalists were Leroy and Doris Calvin. Pallbearers were Leroy Calvin, Don Donohoe, Dennis Fleener, Ron Johnston, and Michael and Scott Wagenknecht.

Burial was in Jackson Township Cemetery, Montezuma.

The son of Nathan Alexander and Blanche Cordelia Decker Clark, he was born April 3, 1913, in Ewart. He attended school in Ewart, Montezuma and Grinnell.

He was married to Marian McNeal Sept. 19, 1936, in Lancaster, Mo. They lived in Mason City and Monmouth, Ill., before moving to Grinnell in 1943.

Mr. Clark worked for the M&St.L Railroad and later with the Poweshiek County Road Maintenance Department until his retirement in 1978. He was a member of the United Methodist Church and B.P.O. Elks Lodge No. 1266.

Surviving are his wife, Marian of Grinnell; two daughters, Barbara Lavent of Grinnell and Nancy Kaisand of Greenville, S.C.; one brother, Austin of Green River, Wyo.; two sisters, Gladys Tone of Lexington, Ill., and Margaret Cratty of Ottumwa; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother, Kelly; and two sisters, Zella McClaren and Inez Wymore.

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