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Mrs. Tressa G. Cox, 80, died Saturday afternoon at St. Francis Manor. Mrs. Cox formerly made her home at 532 Broad St. before going to St. Francis Manor in March.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. Eugene L. McClure officiating. Organist will be Kathleen Heffner, and vocalist will be Mrs. Susan Capers. Burial will be at Hazelwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Cox is survived by her children, Mrs. Donald (Lois) Allgood of New Sharon, Mrs. Roger (Erma) Lincoln of Grinnell, Gerald E. Cox of Salem, Ore., and Mrs. Charles (Marjorie) MacIsaac of Torrance, Calif.; 12 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs. Alvin (Mabel) Briggs of Colorado.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Joy Cox, in 1973, and a son, Kenneth J. Cox in 1960.

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The daughter of Ezra Land and Estella Beal Gable, she was born near Union Mills in Mahaska County. She attended schools near her home.

On Dec. 21, 1919, she was married to Joy Lester Cox. The couple had five children. Mr. and Mrs. Cox farmed near New Sharon until 1930 when they moved to the Grinnell area to farm. In 1960, they moved to Grinnell. While living here, Mrs. Cox worked at the Mayflower Home infirmary. She was a member of the Grinnell United Methodist Church and the women's society of the church. She was also a member of the Literary Club.

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She was preceded in death by her husband, her parents, and a son, Kenneth J. Cox.