

Nellie Craver

Nellie B. Craver, 90, of Montezuma died Monday, Feb. 13, at Grinnell General Hospital.

Funeral services were conducted Friday at the Watts Funeral Home in Montezuma, with the Rev. Thomas Pickles of the United Methodist Church officiating. Burial was in West Liberty Cemetery.

She was the daughter of James and Fannie Hudson McCoy and was born Aug. 2, 1898, near Montezuma. She was married to Arno L. Craver Nov. 23, 1921, and the couple farmed in Poweshiek County before moving to a farm near Lynville.

They moved to Kellogg in 1960 and to Grinnell in 1978, then returned to Montezuma in 1981. Mrs. Craver recently had lived at the Montezuma Senior Home.

She is survived by three sons, Paul and Larry of Newton and Arthur of Montezuma; one daughter, Gelene Steffy of McPherson, Kan.; six grandchildren; three-great-grandchildren; and one sister, Elizabeth Sarver of Grinnell.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; two grandchildren; and two sisters, Madge Snider and, in infancy, Alice McCoy.

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