

(William C.)

Mildred Cunningham

Mildred Cunningham, 93, died Friday, May 19, at Friendship Manor.

Funeral services were held Monday, May 22, at Smith Funeral Home with the Rev. Lon Lewis, pastor of the United Methodist Church, officiating. Organist was Margaret Wheeler and vocal music was by Marty Duffus. Pallbearers were Isadore Berman, Ronald Cunningham, William Cunningham, Clark Jensen, Bob Peters and David Thom. Interment was in Hazelwood Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the United Methodist Church.

She was born July 10, 1901, in Audubon County, the daughter of Arthur and Mary Lehr Dean. She graduated from St. Mary's High School, Ellsworth, Minn., and from Mercy Hospital School of Nursing in Des Moines. She was married to William Clark Cunningham April 7, 1923, in Indianola; they lived in Des Moines before moving to Grinnell in 1947. She was a private-duty nurse before becoming a homemaker.

She was a member of the United Methodist Church, United Methodist Women, Sunset Club and T.T.T.

She is survived by two daughters, Mary Lewis, Grinnell, and Joan Nielsen, Oakley, Calif., and one son, John Cunningham, Aiken, S.C.; 11 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; two brothers, Harvey and LeRoy Dean; one sister Florence Risser and four grandchildren.

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