Joseph R. Cutler

Joseph R. Cutler, 83, of Grinnell died Wednesday, July 21, at St. Francis Manor.

The Funeral Mass was celebrated Saturday at St. Patrick's Catholic Church near Cummings, with the Rev. John Frost officiating. Organist was Marilyn Conners. Pallbearers were Bill Davis, Gerald Holland, Jack Holland, Michael Holland, Michael Hotchkin and Bernard Irwin. Burial was in St. Patrick's Cemetery.

Memorials in Mr. Cutler's name may be made to St. Mary's Foundation of Grinnell or to St. Francis Manor and may be sent in care of the Smith Funeral Home.

The son of James and Elizabeth Hall Cutler, he was born Nov. 8, 1909, in Lemon, S.D. He moved to Madison County with his parents and attended rural school. He was a 1926 graduate of Dowling High School

in Des Moines.

Mr. Cutler worked for the U.S. Department of Agriculture. He served with the U.S. Army in New Guinea during World War II. From 1954 to 1968 he worked as a production analyst for the U.S. Army Transport Service. He moved from Corpus Christi, Texas, to Grinnell in 1985.

He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church.

. He is survived by one brother, Edward of Lynwood, Calif., and two sisters, Florence Hotchkin of Grinnell and Margaret Holland of Des Moines. July 26, 1993