

## John Davis

John Louis Davis, 84, of Fairfield, a native of Lynnville, died Sunday, Aug. 3, at Jefferson County Hospital in Fairfield.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at the Fairfield Friends Church, with the Rev. Todd Follette officiating. Burial was in Lynnville Friends Cemetery, with the Gould Funeral Home of Richland in charge of arrangements.

The son of Orland and Gertrude McClung Davis, he was born March 23, 1913, in Lynnville. He was a 1931 graduate of Lynnville High School.

He was married to Alice Jones June 21, 1943, in Richland. He was ordained in the Church of God and served for 15 years as a pastor in Salem, Haskins and Brighton. He later served for 20 years as executive officer of the Washington County Conservation Parks Board.

Mr. Davis was president of the Iowa Quaker Men and later clerk of the Iowa Yearly Meeting and a member of the First Church of God, Brighton. He attended the Fairfield Friends Church.

He lived in Montezuma, Washington and Fairfield.

Surviving are his wife; five sons, Steven of Mitchellville, Donald of Mt. Pleasant, David of Battle Ground, Wash., Phil of Agency and Paul of Orlando, Fla.; 15 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and one sister, Dorothy Sparks of Lynnville.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother, Dwight; one sister, Mae Hunt; and one grandchild.

A general memorial has been established.

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