

Maie DeHart Rites Tuesday

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Mrs. Maie DeHart, 66, a lifelong resident of Grinnell, died Sunday morning (Dec. 13) at Friendship Manor nursing home, where she had been a resident the past three years.

She was the daughter of William and Elizabeth Ferneau Ziska and was born in Grinnell on Sept. 20, 1904. She attended the Grinnell schools and graduated from Grinnell High School.

On Sept. 17, 1924, she was married to Otto W. DeHart, and the couple had five children, three of whom survive—Mrs. Cleo (Colleen) Mullins of Knoxville, Craig DeHart of Newton, and Mrs. David (Billie) Abarr of Grinnell.

She was a member of the Grinnell United Methodist church and was formerly a member of the Rebekahs. Mrs. DeHart had worked as a secretary for the former Dlinidin Real Estate Agency, and during World War II she worked for the ROTC unit at Grinnell College. Later she was a secretary in the city clerk's office for the city of Grinnell.

She is survived by her three children; nine grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and her brother, William F. Ziska of Park Ridge, Ill. She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Otto, in 1955; and two sons, Richard in 1930 and Keith in 1952.

Funeral services for Mrs. DeHart will be held at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Smith Funeral Home with the Rev. J. Eugene Young officiating. Organist will be Mrs. Willard Heffner. Pallbearers will include Curtis Ferneau, James Pierce, Robert Rutherford, Kenneth Saunders, Max Stanley and Clark VerSteeg.

Burial will be in Hazelwood Cemetery. Friends may call at the Smith Funeral Home.