

Mildred Avis Edgington

Mildred Avis Edgington, 81, of Friendship Manor died Saturday, Feb. 9, at Grinnell General Hospital.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. Raymond C. Lott, pastor of the Grinnell United Methodist Church, officiating. Organist was Margaret Wheeler, and pallbearers were Doyle Brubaker, Michael Edgington, Roger Edgington, Ron Edgington, Jerry Kelly and Steven Reams.

Burial was in Hazelwood Cemetery. Memorials in her name may be made to Grinnell General Hospital.

The daughter of George and Dora Read Edgington, she was born Jan. 24, 1910, south of Grinnell. She attended rural school in Washington Township and graduated from Grinnell High School in 1927.

She taught in rural school near Searsboro. After her father's death, she remained with her mother to assist in farming. From the mid-1950s to 1975 she worked as an accounting clerk for Iowa Southern Utilities Co.

She attended the Grinnell United Methodist Church. She was a member of the Grinnell General Hospital

Auxiliary, the DAR, the Grinnell Museum Society and several volunteer organizations until her health began to fail.

She is survived by her brother, Harold Edgington of Grinnell. She was preceded in death by her parents; one sister, Arlene Horn; and one brother, Loren.