Dorothy L. Estal



Dorothy L. Estal. 83 of the Mayflower died Friday, July 19, at Grinnell Regional Medical Center.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, July 22, at the Grinnell United Church of Christ - Congregational, with the Rev. Susan Leathem officiating. Organist was Alice Renaud, and casket bearers were members of her family. Burial was at Hazelwood Cemetery, with the Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

She was born Aug. 11, 1918, in Grinnell to Ashel and Jessie Burroughs Murphy. She was a 1936 graduate of Albion High School, and the superintendent of the Marshalltown School District.

On March 24, 1940, she was married to E. Wayne Estal in Marshalltown. They lived in Grinnell where her husband was a vice president of Grinnell Mutual Reinsurance Co. Following Mr. Estal's death in 1970, she worked for Grinnell College.

She was a member of the Grinnell United Church of Christ – Congregational, the PEO, the Tuesday Club and Just-a-Mere Club.

Surviving are one son, John of Deerfield, Ill.; two daughters, Judy Vosepka of Golden Valley, Minn., and Jan Maberry of Odessa, Texas; seven grandchildren and one greatgranddaughter.

Her parents, her husband and eight brothers and sisters preceded her in death

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Memorials may be directed to the Mayflower.

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