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Funeral services will be conducted at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at St. Mary's Catholic Church, with the Rev. Eugene Hoenig, pastor of St. Bridget's Catholic Church of Victor, officiating. Burial will be in Hazelwood Cemetery.

A Rosary service will be held at 7 p.m. Friday at the Smith Funeral Home, where friends may call from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Memorials may be made to the Helena Flanagan Memorial Fund.

Mrs. Flanagan is survived by two sons, William M. of San Francisco, Calif., and David M. of Denver, Colo.; two daughters, Joanne Bolton of Grinnell and Marguerite Owens of Omaha, Neb.; seven grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and a sister, Huberta Murrin of Denver.

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Memorials may be left at the funeral home.

The daughter of William and Ellen Quinn Jones, she was born March 12, 1904, near Parnell. She graduated from Parnell High School and received her nursing degree from Mercy Hospital School of Nursing in Iowa City.

She was married to William Flanagan Sept. 15, 1930, in Parnell. The couple farmed east of Grinnell. Mrs. Flanagan served as a nurse at St. Francis Hospital here from 1929 to 1967. Following her husband's retirement from farming, the couple moved to the Ann St. address in 1970.

Mrs. Flanagan was a member of St. Mary's Church and the Altar and Rosary Society of the church.

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