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Mr. Flanagan

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Larry Joseph Flanagan, 38, of Rte. 2, Montezuma, died Sunday as the result of a tractor accident near his home northeast of the county seat community. ^{Sept. 3}

Authorities said Mr. Flanagan was mowing weeds on an incline when the tractor tipped over, pinning him beneath it.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. today at the Grinnell Christian Church, with the Rev. John C. Epperson, pastor of the church, and the Rev. Paul Septer, pastor of the First Christian Church of Montezuma, officiating. Organist was Marlene Toney, and vocalist was Jerry H. Minner. Pallbearers were Laverne Hoover, Daryl Morrison, Roger Osborn, John D. Shultz, Marlin McKeag and Russell Talbert Jr.

Burial was at Hazelwood Cemetery, with the Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. A memorial has been established in Mr. Flanagan's name, and friends may contact the funeral home for additional information.

The son of Earl J. and Estaline I. Morrison Flanagan, he was born April 27, 1940, in Grinnell. He attended the Grinnell schools, graduating from high school in 1959. During the Vietnam war, he served with the U.S. Navy aboard an aircraft carrier. Following his discharge, he and his family lived southeast of Grinnell for two years. They returned to the San Diego, Calif., area where he was employed as an auto mechanic.

In July 1977, the family moved to Richardson Springs, Calif., where they were associated with the Christian Conference Center. They had returned to Grinnell and the Montezuma area to make their home a month ago.

He was married to Teri J. Kinzer on Dec. 28, 1963, at La Mesa, Calif. The couple had two daughters, Lori C., 13, and Katrina L., 11.

Mr. Flanagan is survived by his wife; his daughters; his mother and step-father, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jensen of Grinnell; his father, Earl J. Flanagan of Grinnell; and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Cleo Morrison of Grinnell.