

## Richard E. 'Dick' Foster

Richard E. "Dick" Foster, 65, of Newton, formerly of the Kellogg area, died of kidney failure Monday, May 25, at Mercy Hospital Medical Center in Des Moines.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon at the First United Methodist Church in Newton, with the Rev. Jerry Brown officiating. Burial was in Newton Union Cemetery, with the Wallace-Pence Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

The son of Clyde Earl and Frances Greene Foster, he was born Nov. 29, 1926, in Hickory Grove Township, Jasper County. He attended Kellogg schools. Mr. Foster had been a Newton resident since 1951. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving during World War II.

He was married to Arline Kono Aug. 30, 1956, in Montezuma. He had worked at the OK Tire Shop in Grinnell, Midwest Manufacturing Co. in Kellogg and, for over 30 years, the Maytag Company Salvage Department, retiring in 1981.

He was a member of the First United Methodist Church, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion. He was a former member of the Newton Police Auxiliary and was a member of the Central Iowa Barbecue Club.

Surviving are his wife, Arline; one son, Richard of Newton; one daughter, Linda Morton of Newton; four grandchildren; one brother, Charles of Newton; and one sister, Dorothy Berry of Grinnell.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Larry and Virgil and one sister, Phyllis Teglar.

A memorial has been established in his name.