Lester H-R Heishman 1989

Lester Heishman, 90, died Tuesday morning, Oct. 10, at St. Francis Manor following a stroke.

A funeral service will be held Friday, Oct. 13, at 1:30 p. m. at Sheridan United Methodist Church with the Rev. William Schlobohm officiating and burial will be in Sheridan Church Cemetery. Visitation at Harrison Funeral Home, Tama, was to take place Wednesday evening and another visitation will take place Friday from 9 to 11 a. m. at St. Francis Manor. A memorial in Mr. Heishman's name has been established.

He was born Dec. 19, 1898, in Sheridan Township where he was to live his entire life, the son of Philip and Catherine Shank Heishman. He was educated in rural schools and followed the occupation of a farmer throughout his life and also was a seed corn salesman for Funk Hybrid Seed Corn for 28 years.

He was married Nov. 16, 1921, in Grinnell to Louise Rubenbauer.

He was a member of Sheridan United Methodist Church.

He is survived by his wife Louise; four sons, Earl Heishman, Grinnell, Floyd Heishman and Lyle Heishman, rural Malcom, and Clinton Heishman, rural Tama; three daughters, Bernice Sleeuwenhoek, rural Grinnell, Dorothy Stoker, Grinnell, and Sally Douglas, Bettendorf; 25 grandchildren and 31 great grandchildren.