

Fred Hoeksema

Fred Hoeksema, 65, of Rte. 2, Kellogg, died Saturday, Jan. 30, at Grinnell General Hospital.

A memorial service was conducted Wednesday at the American Legion Hall in Kellogg.

The son of Ben and Bessie June Carr Hoeksema, he was born Dec. 16, 1927, in Pella, where he was raised and received his education. He was a U.S. Army veteran and served in Korea. He lived in Otley and Gilman before moving to the Rock Creek lake area in 1970.

Mr. Hoeksema was a self-employed carpenter and recently had worked for the Department of Natural Resources.

He was married to Joyce Reavis Nov. 1, 1976, in Newton.

He was a former member of the Gilman American Legion and a current member of the Kellogg American Legion.

Surviving are his wife; two daughters, Mikalyn "Mickey" Pickens of Grinnell and Karen Hoeksema of Milwaukee, Wis.; two stepsons, Chris Reavis of Calistoga, Calif., and Derek Reavis of Newton; and four step-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

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