Neil Hotchkin

Neil Hotchkin, 69, of Kellogg died of heart failure Thursday, Aug. 3, at Skiff Medical Center in Newton.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at the Wallace-Pence Funeral Home in Newton, with Vince Waltz, former pastoral minister at Sacred Heart Catholic church of Newton, officiating. Burial was in Our Silent City Cemetery, Kellogg.

Memorial contributions in Mr. Hotchkin's name may be made to the Kellogg Fire Department..

He was the son of Charles and Mary DeMart Hotchkin and was born April 30, 1926, in Grinnell. He attended Kellogg High School.

He was married to Joyce Deere Feb. 14, 1959, in Unionville, Mo.

Mr. Hotchkin, a shipping and receiving clerk at Midwest Manufacturing, was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Grinnell and the X Kellogg American Legion. He was to a past member of the International Moulders Union Local.

Surviving are his wife; two sons, Van of Kellogg and Rod of Hanna, Wyo.; two daughters, Joni Johnson of Kellogg and Samantha Hotchkin of Newton; 12 grandchildren; two brothers, David of Seattle, Wash., and Dennis of Bellevue, Wash.; and three sisters, Pat Pierce of Grinnell, Diane Byrd of Enumclaw, Wash., and Hope Cockerton of Newton.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one son, Scott; and one brother, Stephen.

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