

42 Sept 19, 1988
**Rites held for
 Mrs. Johnston**

Arlene V. Johnston, 56, of 703 Franklin St., Victor, formerly of Grinnell, died of cancer at her home Wednesday, Sept. 14.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Friday at the McAninch-Fremming Funeral Home in Victor, with the Rev. Randy Battey, pastor of the Victor First Baptist Church, officiating. Organist was Coreen Baerg, and vocalist was Edward McAdam.

Bearers were Richard Coats, Gene Cronbaugh, Delmar Bayer, Edward Maschmann, Everett Refer and Albert Van Thournout.

Burial was in Victor Memorial Cemetery.

The daughter of Benjamin and Stella Fayer James, she was born Aug. 26, 1932, at Montezuma. She attended schools in Montezuma and graduated from Montezuma High School in 1951.

She was married to Kenneth I. Johnston Aug. 22, 1953, in Grinnell. They farmed near Grinnell and she was employed at the DeKalb Hatchery. In 1960 the family moved to Victor and farmed. Mrs. Johnston operated restaurants from 1965 to 1977, and from 1978 to 1986 she was a self-employed hog buyer.

She was a member of the Little Mount Baptist Church and was a past officer of the Victor Federated Women's Club, the American Legion Auxiliary, the Rebekah Lodge and the Past Noble Grand Circle.

She is survived by her husband, Kenneth; her children, Dennis and John Johnston and Patricia Altemeier, all of Victor; one grandson; three sisters, Louise McLain of Montezuma, Erma Holcomb of Fort Collins, Colo., and Florence Wiley of Grinnell; and one brother, the Rev. Warren James of Montezuma. She was preceded in death by her parents.

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On August 22, 1953 she was married to Kenneth I. Johnston in Grinnell. They farmed near Grinnell and she was employed at the DeKalb Hatchery. In 1960 the family moved to Victor and farmed. She operated restaurants from 1965 to 1977 and from 1978 to 1986. She was a self-employed hog buyer.

Mrs. Johnston was a member and past officer in the following organizations, Victor Federated

Women's Club, the American Legion Auxiliary, the Rebekah Lodge, and the Past Noble Grand Circle.

She is survived by her husband, Kenneth Johnston of Victor; her children, Dennis Johnston, John Johnston, and Patricia Altemeier, all of Victor; one grandson, Brian Altemeier; three sisters, Louise McLain of Montezuma; Holcomb of Fort Collins, Colo.; and Florence Wiley of Grinnell, and one brother, Rev. Warren James of Montezuma. She was preceded in death by her parents.

Funeral services were held at 2 P.M. Friday, Sept. 16, at the McAninch-Fremming Funeral Home in Victor, with the Rev. Randy Battey, pastor of the Victor First Baptist Church, officiating. Organist was Mrs. Coreen Baerg and vocalist was Edward McAdam. Casket bearers were Richard Coats of Victor, Gene Cronbaugh of Belle Plaine, Delmar Bayer of Victor, Edward Maschmann of Victor, Everett Refer of Victor, and Albert Van Thournout of Victor.

Flowers bearers were Richard and Lillian Coats of Victor and Dale and Jane Noyes of Amana.

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She was baptized Aug. 28, 1949, and became a member of the Little Mount Baptist Church, rural

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