

Mary G. Jones

Mary G. Jones, 86, of the Mayflower died Monday, April 13, at the Mayflower Health Care Center.

A memorial service will be conducted at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, April 21, in Herick Chapel on the Grinnell College campus. The Rev. David B. Bowman, pastor of the United Church of Christ—Congregational, will officiate. The body was cremated, and burial of the ashes will be in Riverside Cemetery, Marshalltown, at a later date.

The daughter of Raymond and Edith Throw Jones, she was born July 10, 1906, in Marshalltown. She attended Marshalltown schools, graduating from high school there in 1924. She received her B.A. degree from Grinnell College in 1928.

Miss Jones taught English, speech and drama at Grinnell High School until 1943. She enlisted in the U.S. Navy as a WAVE, serving in the office of the undersecretary of the Navy in Washington, D.C. Following her discharge in 1946, she moved to Edina, Minn., and was assistant manager of a laundry business. She returned to Grinnell in 1957 to assume the duties of alumni secretary at the college. She retired in 1971.

She was a member of the Grinnell Soroptimist Club and the Mortar Board of Grinnell College.

Surviving is a sister, Edith Jones Appleby of Grinnell. She was preceded in death by her parents and a brother, Leon R. Jones.

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