Rites held for Allen Kies, 72

Funeral services for Allen Kies, 72, of Malcom were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the United Methodist Church in Malcom. Mr. Kies died Sunday, Aug. Lat Grinnell General Hospital. Officiating at the services was the Rev. John Maze. Organist was Mrs. Sonny Schneekloth. Pallbearers were Roger Bauman, Bob Sutfin, Don Bauman, Wesley Alertsen, Michael Bauman, David Mallory and Joe Cooney. Burial was at Ivy Hill Cemetery. with the Nevenhoven Funeral Home of Brooklyn in charge of arrangements.

A memorial fund has been established with the United-Methodist Church, Malcom.

The son of David and Delia King Kies, he was born Nov. 10, 1903, in Neillsville, Wis. He was married to Velma Bauman on May 3, 1929, at Viborg. S.D. A retired hardward store owner, Mr. Kies operated businesses in Hartwick, Malcom and Brooklyn.

Survivors include his wife, Velma; three sons, Wayne Allen of Muscatine, Richard Everett of Grinnell, and James Wesley of Topeka, Kan.; one brother, Robert Kies of California: a sister, Mrs. Katherine Kies Hoyle, also of California; 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two sons, Robert Leslie and David Franklyn; one brother, Fred; and one sister, Mrs. Margaret Sherard.