Cecil Medhus

Cecil J. Medhus, 79, of Gilman died Friday, Dec. 1, at Marshall-town Medical and Surgical Center.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday at the Pursel-Davis Funeral Home in Marshalltown, with the Rev. Richard Boatman, pastor of the Reinbeck United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Rose Hill Memorial Gardens, Marshalltown.

The son of Oliver M. and Grace C. E. Bender Medhus, he was born C. May 2, 1916, in rural Gilman. He attended Gilman High School.

He was married to Wilma E. Zesch April 15, 1939, in Kirksville, Mo. They farmed in rural Gilman until retiring in 1975.

Mr. Medhus was a member of the Marshall County Farm Bureau.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, Clarence and Martin, both of Gilman; one brother, Marvin of Toledo; three grandchildren and three great-grandsons.

He was preceded in death by two infant daughters, an infant brother and a sister, Olive Ferguson.