

Leland Meredith

Leland L. Meredith, 74, 902 Prince St., died Thursday, Feb. 1, at Mercy Medical Center, Des Moines, of a heart condition.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Feb. 3, at the Grinnell Christian Church with John Epperson, pastor, officiating. Organist was Sue Martindale and vocal music was by David Edwards. Pallbearers were Mike Arment, Kevin Arment, Jeff Arment, Scott Meredith, Jason Meredith, Joel Meredith, Jon Neeley and Shane Mitchell. Flower bearers were Marilyn Clark, Mary Garr and Sharon Koger. Burial was in Hazelwood Cemetery.

The son of Jess and Martha Dearinger Meredith, he was born Feb. 14, 1915, near Searsboro and attended rural school near Sully.

He was married to Erma Irene Walker Sept. 8, 1933, at Montezuma and the couple farmed west of Searsboro, later moving to Searsboro. In 1966 they moved to Grinnell where he was associated with the buildings and grounds department of Grinnell College. He also worked for the DeLong's Sportswear for over

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He was a member of the Grinnell Christian Church and the Searsboro Odd Fellows Lodge.

Survivors include his wife Irene; two sons Lyle and LeRoy Meredith, both of Grinnell; four daughters, Donna Arment, Searsboro, and Judy Mitchell, Betty Stepp and Yody Neeley, Grinnell; 17 grandchildren; 11 great grandchildren; two brothers, Lowell Meredith, Kellogg, and DeVern Meredith, Searsboro, and two sisters Olive Burnham, Grinnell, and Mildred Renaud, Lynnvile. He was preceded in death by his parents; one daughter, Deloris A. Meredith; one son, Jerry D. Meredith; two brothers Melvin and Harold Meredith and two sisters Bernice Ponder and Ila Van Willigen.