

Clifford Metz

Clifford E. Metz, 81, of Grinnell died Saturday, Dec. 12, at his home.

Funeral services will be conducted at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at the Harrison Funeral Home in Tama, with burial in Oak Hill Cemetery.

A native of Tama, Mr. Metz had been a resident of Grinnell since 1990. He was a representative of Four Star Agri Services of Buffington, Ind. He was a member of the Farm Bureau and the Christian Church of Pomona, Mo.

Survivors include one son, Edward of Galesburg, Ill.; one daughter, Grace Elliott of Grinnell; a sister, Hazel Van De Walle of Tama; four grandchildren and one great-grandchild. H-R

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Clifford E. Metz, 81, of 1228 Reed St., Grinnell, died at his home Saturday, Dec. 12.

Funeral services were conducted Dec. 16 at the Harrison Funeral Home in Tama, with the Revs. Dennis Smith and Bill Adams officiating. Pallbearers were Jack Hall, Marvin Keller, Jack Lang, Mark Lang, Dave Devilder and Ronald Read. Honorary bearers were Art Keller, Melvin Doty, Lloyd Hall and O.V. Osborne.

Burial was in Oak Hill Cemetery, Tama. A memorial fund has been established.

The son of Edward and Inez Cory Metz, he was born Jan. 12, 1911, in Tama. He graduated from Tama High School in 1928 and attended the University of Iowa.

He was married to Eva Dorothy Wolcott, Oct. 11, 1933, in Webster City. They farmed south of Tama until 1944 when they moved to a farm in Madison Township, Poweshiek County. They retired in 1979 and moved to Pomona, Mo. Mrs. Metz died in 1989, and Mr. Metz moved to Grinnell in 1990.

He had been active in the Farm Bureau, Grange and Republican Party. He served as a Madison Township trustee and clerk and worked for the ASCS office in Poweshiek County. He also worked for McNess Feeds of Freeport, Ill., and Four Star Agri Services of Bluffton, Ind.

He was a member of the Christian Church in Pomona, Mo.

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He was preceded in death by his parents and his wife.