

Fawn M. Mann, 93 (Charles)

Fawn M. Mann, 93, died Wednesday, December 18, 1996, in her apartment at Mayflower at Grinnell.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, Dec. 21, at Watts Funeral Home. Officiating were Rev. Brian Carter and Rev. John Darlington. Organist was Kathleen Ramsey. Music selections were "In the Garden", "O, God Our Help In Ages Past", "Blessed Assurance", and "Have Thine Own Way Lord". Casket bearers were Steve Minner, Major Jeff Fisher, Don Henry, David Minner, Steve Cranston and Jim Cranston. Burial was in the Golden Rod Cemetery in Deep River.

Fawn was born July 25, 1903, near Deep River, the daughter of Clinton and Caroline (Haag) Cranston. She graduated from Deep River High School in 1922 and attended Iowa State Teachers College in Cedar Falls. On May 23, 1929, she was united in marriage with Charles Oakley Mann at Des Moines. To this union two daughters were born. They lived southwest of Montezuma before moving into Montezuma in 1940. Fawn taught school

most of her life. She taught country school and was an elementary teacher for 17 years at Deep River, then Malcom and Brooklyn. She retired from BGM Grade School at Brooklyn in 1970. Fawn had also ran a restaurant for a few years.

She was a member of the Montezuma United Methodist Church and the Dorcas Sunday School Class. She moved to Grinnell on Dec. 28, 1995. Fawn enjoyed doing hand work, making many things for her family and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Oakley, on Sept. 5, 1968; a brother, Marvin Cranston and a sister, Fern Wolford.

Fawn is survived by two daughters and their husbands, Donna and Howard Heck of Newton and Carolyn and James Fisher of Banning, Calif.; six grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; one niece, Jeanne Moore of Deep River; and other relatives and many friends.

Memorials can be made to either the Montezuma Public Library or the Montezuma United Methodist Church.

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