Keith McCammant

Keith McCammant, 59, of Grinnell died Tuesday, Sept. 8, at the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Iowa City.

A memorial service was conducted Friday at Ivy Hill Cemetery. Malcom, with the Rev. John Epperson of the Grinnell Christian Church officiating. Pallbearers were Ronnie Crady, Jack Douglas, Bill Hamel, Chuck Reed, Jim Reimers and Buzz Smith.

The son of Virgil and Opal Mallatt McCammant, he was born May 18, 1939, on the family farm near Ewart. He received his education in the Malcom School District and was a veteran of the U.S. Navy.

He was employed as a truck driver and held various construction jobs. He owned and operated Grandpa's Furniture Store for several years prior to his retirement in 1992. He was a former member of the Grinnell Eagles Lodge and was a member of the Eagles tug-of-war teams in the early 1980s.

Surviving are three children, Gino of Spokane, Wash., Tim of Grinnell and Renee Haley of Princevill, Ill.; two brothers, Kenneth of Mitchellville and Richard of Grinnell; and six grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his best friend, Tom Reed.

A Keith McCammant Memorial Fund has been established.

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