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Albert Plesek services held

Albert J. Plesek, 70, of rural Grinnell died Thursday, Feb. 1 at Iowa Methodist Medical Center in Des Moines.

A prayer service was held Sunday evening at the chapel of the Mason-Hand Funeral Home in Tama, led by Father J. Winslow Stark, and funeral services were held the next day at 1:30 p.m. with Father Stark officiating. Organist was Mrs. Glenn Berrey, and vocalist was James Mochal. Casketbearers were John Bennett, Daniel Parmley, Dennis Dolash, Gary Davis, Richard Sears, and John Lenhart. Burial was at the National Cemetery in rural Vining.

The son of Joseph and Julia Uchytel Plesek, Mr. Plesek was born March 25, 1908 in Chelsea, Iowa. He grew up in Chelsea and attended school there.

On Feb. 12, 1934, he married Esther B. Zhorne of Tama. The couple farmed for three years near Chelsea and then moved to their present home five miles southeast of Gilman. Mr. Plesek was a member of the Poweshiek County Farm Bureau and the Catholic Church.

Preceding him in death were his parents, a brother and a sister.

Mr. Plesek is survived by his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Carl (Vanita C.) Seeburger of Des Moines; two grandchildren; four sisters, Mrs. Hillis (Agnes) Klenk, Louise Plesek, and Mrs. Jesse (Helen) Baker, all of Chelsea, and Mrs. Louis (Lucille) Kalinary of Tama; and a brother, Edwin Plesek of Chelsea.