

Maurine Slycord

Maurine L. "Reany" Slycord, 73, of Newton, the sister of Marjorie Mikles of Grinnell, died of complications following surgery Sunday, Aug. 27, at Iowa Methodist Medical Center in Des Moines.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at the Wallace-Pence Funeral Home in Newton, with the Rev. David Rex, pastor of the Newton Church of God, officiating. Burial was in Newton Union Cemetery.

The daughter of Fred and Bernice Hall Billman, she was born March 19, 1922, in Marietta, Iowa. She had lived in Newton since 1941. Mrs. Slycord had worked for M.G. Laundries in Newton.

She is survived by one son, Paul of Mitchellville; three daughters, Charlene Catlett and Janet and Joyce Slycord, all of Newton; nine grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; two brothers, Cecil and Leonard Billman, both of Marshalltown; and two sisters, Mildred Turner of Grinnell and Marjorie Mikles of Grinnell.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one son, Phillip; one granddaughter; and a sister, Doris Eaton.

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