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Mr. Schroeder

services held

William Schroeder, 83, of 710 E. Fifth St., Tama, died Jan. 17 at the Grandview Acres Care Center in Toledo, where he had been a patient since Dec. 20. Death was attributed to cancer.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Mason-Hand Funeral Home in Tama, with the Rev. Harland T. Gant, pastor of the Tama United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was at the Sheridan Cemetery, rural Malcom.

The son of August and Sophia Steuhm Schroeder, he was born June 12, 1893, in Tama County. He received his education in rural schools.

On Sept. 9, 1916, he was married to Esther Haynes in Grinnell. The couple farmed in Poweshiek and Tama counties until Mr. Schroeder began work with the O.K. Tire Shop. He later worked as a road maintenance employee for the Tama County Highway Department until retirement.

Survivors include his children, Mrs. Jean Zhorne of Belle Plaine, Mrs. Alfred (Ruth) Brandt of Toledo, and Gerrald W. Schroeder of Cedar Rapids; 10 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and three sisters, Mrs. Minnie Casey of Toledo, Mrs. Sophia Puls of Grinnell, and Mrs. Marie Harris of Grinnell.

He was preceded in death by his wife in 1968, his parents, and four brothers.