Max Charles Olson

Max Charles Olson, 80, of Des Moines, died Monday, Aug. 16, 2004, at Mercy Hospice in Johnston.

A visitation will be held Friday, Aug. 20, from 5 to 7 p.m. at Hamilton's Funeral Home, 605 Lyon St., in Des Moines. A prayer service will be held at 7 p.m. that evening at the funeral home. Burial will be Saturday, Aug. 21, at 11 a.m. at Ivy Hill Cemetery in Malcom. Memorials may be made to Mercy Hospice, Johnston; the Animal Rescue League or the donor's choice.

He was born Sept. 30, 1923, in Malcom. He served in the United States Army and was a resident of Des Moines for 40 years. He was traffic manager for 25 years at Ross Daniels Company and also clerked for Greenfield Professional Auctioning. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and a master gardener with the Hosta Club.

There are no immediate survivors.