

John Talbott

John E. Talbott Jr., 79, of Centerville a native of Brooklyn, died Thursday, Feb. 21, at Golden Age Manor in Centerville.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday at the Lange Funeral Home in Centerville, with the Rev. Richard Francis officiating. Burial was in the Brooklyn Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the First Presbyterian Church of Centerville or the Alzheimer's Foundation.

The son of John E. and Nellie Mathews Talbott, he was born Jan. 19, 1912, in Brooklyn. He was married to Irma Miller April 13, 1935, in Galesburg, Ill.

Mr. Talbott was employed by Iowa Southern Utilities Co. for 40 years. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Centerville and a past member of the Rotary Club. He was a World War II veteran of the U.S. Navy.

Surviving are his wife, Irma; one son, Jack of Santa Barbara, Calif.; one daughter, Helen Foster of Atlanta, Ga.; seven grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and three sisters, Betty Wirth of Yellville, Ark., Nellie Fae Berry of Buchanan, Texas, and Pat Hobart of Marietta, Ga.

He was preceded in death by one sister, Irene.

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