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Mrs. Townsend, 76, Dies In Des Moines Hospital Monday

Mrs. Mack L. (Elizabeth) Townsend, 76, died Monday at the Iowa Lutheran Hospital in Des Moines.

She had been hospitalized for the past two months suffering from arteriosclerosis.

Mrs. Townsend is survived by her husband, Mack, of the Mayflower Home here; a brother, Donald, of Cedar Falls; and two sisters, Byrle, of Millersburg, Ohio, and Elinor, of Great Falls, Mont.

No funeral services were held. Dunn's Funeral Home of Des Moines was in charge of final rites.

The Townsends were married in January, 1963, and moved to the Mayflower Home at that time.

A native of Luverne, Iowa, Mrs. Townsend moved with her family to Belle Plaine while quite young. She attended Grinnell College for two years, and also attended the Chicago Theological Seminary.

From 1922 to 1927, she served as a teaching missionary in China. Following her China duty, she attended Boston University where