

OBITUARY. 6/4

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Mrs. Mattie Walker.

Rev. T. O. Douglass on Saturday afternoon conducted the funeral of Mrs. Mattie Walker from the home on East Third Avenue. Mrs. Walker passed away on Friday after a long period of suffering from cancer. When stricken by this dread disease she kept the knowledge absolutely to herself for over a year and only her daughter was aware of her condition up to the last few days of her illness.

Mrs. Walker had for years been a valued employe of the Morrison-Ricker Manufacturing Co., and B. J. Ricker and C. F. Ricker attended the funeral as representatives of the company.

The music was furnished by Mrs. H. W. Somers and Mrs. Umbenhauer, who sang, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," and "Lead, Kindly Light." Interment was in Hazelwood cemetery.

Mrs. Walker was born in Davenport in 1862. She was married there but came to Grinnell after her husband's death. She is survived by a sister in Davenport and by her two children, Delbert, who is employed in Eagle Grove, and Marjorie, who made her home here with her mother.