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Helen I. Hall

Helen L. Hall of Newton, formerly of Grinnell, died Tuesday, April 29, 2008, at Mercy Medical Center in Des Moines.



A funeral service will be held Friday, May 2, at 10:30 a.m. in First United Methodist Church in Newton. A visitation with family members present will be held Thursday, May 1, from 6 to 8 p.m. at First United Methodist Church. Memorials may be left at the church or at Pence-Reese Funeral Home.

The daughter of Henry and Mary Haynes Meyer, she was born April 5, 1931, in Grinnell. She was a graduate of Grinnell High School with the class of 1948. She was united in marriage with Rex L. Hall in Grinnell on Nov. 15, 1946. She was a homemaker who also was employed for 30 years at Hy-Vee Food Store as a bookkeeper, retiring in 1990. She was a member of First United Methodist Church, United Methodist Women and Women of the Moose. She enjoyed spending time with her family and church family, bowling, sewing, reading, playing the organ and church work.

She is survived by her husband Rex of Newton; her daughters Barbara Bollinger of Iowa City and Connie Ayers of Kearney, Mo; two granddaughters and two sisters, Beatrice Ingraham of Marshalltown and Maxine Crossett of Hampton, Va. She was preceded in death by her parents, four brothers and two sisters.