

OBITUARIES

Clara K. Anderson, 91

Mrs. Clara K. Anderson, 91, a resident at Bickford House, died Thursday, Jan. 23, 2003, at the Marshalltown Medical & Surgical Center.

Services were Monday at the Estel-Perrin-Avey Funeral Home with Pastor Corvin Seltzer officiating. Burial followed in the Riverside Cemetery.

Mrs. Anderson was born in Tama County on Oct. 28, 1911 the daughter of James and Emma Prusha Otta Sr.

On March 27, 1937, in Marshalltown, she was united in marriage to Garth Anderson, he preceded her in death in 1973.

reared and educated in the Montour area, she graduated from Montour High School and then the Iowa Normal School (now University of Northern Iowa) and received her teachers certificate. She then returned to Tama County and taught in rural County Schools.

Following their marriage, they farmed in the Gilman area until moving to a farm south of State Center where they farmed until Mr. Anderson's death in 1973. In 1975 she moved into Marshalltown and in May 2002 she moved to the Bickford Place.

She was a former member of the Rhodes United Methodist Church and the Marshalltown Sr. Citizens.

Survivors include her children Caralee (Mrs. Wilbur) Hutchens of Marshalltown; Judy (Mrs. Ron) Koster of rural Gladbrook; and Richard Anderson of Guymon, OK; nine grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Preceding her in death were her parents, her husband, a great-grandson Michael Montgomery; two brothers James Jr. and Lawrnece; two sisters Eldora and Loretta and a daughter-in-law Marianne.