

Crain, Eva P. Beal
d. 6-15-1999

Eva Pauline Beal Crain

Nov. 1, 1915-JUNE 15, 1999

Eva Pauline Beal Crain, 83, formerly of Ames, died Tuesday of congestive heart failure at Marshalltown Medical and Surgical Center in Marshalltown. Funeral services will be 1 p.m. Saturday at Soderstrum Funeral Home in Roland with the Rev. Wayne Pfannkuch officiating. Burial will be in Brethren Cemetery in Maxwell.

Eva Pauline Beal Crain was born in Milford Township in Story County, the daughter of Raymond and Eva Edna (Bloomfield) Beal. She resided in Story County for most of her life, but also resided in Des Moines and Missouri. She married Alvin E. Mattingly on Aug. 22, 1936; he preceded her in death in 1967, and she later married Avery Curtis Crain on Oct. 30, 1952, in Mansfield, Mo. He preceded her in death in 1992. She worked as a hotel/motel manager in Des Moines for several years. Her interests varied with family, church and friends,



and she enjoyed antiques and cooking.

Survivors include two daughters, Betty Tjelmeland of Roland and Bonny Bisset of Des Moines; one grandson; and one great-grandson.

She was preceded in death by both husbands and three brothers.

Visitation will be after 3 p.m. Friday with the family present from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Soderstrum Funeral Home in Roland.

A memorial fund has been established.

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