Howard "Baldy" Buwalda

Born: 10/29/1929
Died: 12/26/2002

Services will be held at: No Services are scheduled
Visitation times are: No viewing or Visitation

Howard "Baldy" Buwalda, 73, of 913 South 10th Avenue, Marshalltown, died Thursday, December 26, 2002 at the Iowa Veterans Home in Marshalltown. He has donated his body to Des Moines University and no services are planned. He will be buried in the Service Center Cemetery in Albia at a later date.
Howard was born October 29, 1929, in Mitchellville, Iowa, the son of Paul and Edna (Daft) Buwalda. He was raised and educated in Otley and later served in the Army during the Korean Conflict. On April 25, 1953, he married JoHanna Dejong. His childhood fascination with trucks continued into adulthood. He was a self-employed trucker, and later worked for Trowbridge Constuction, Concrete Inc., and Modern Tractor. He retired from Marshall County in 1994 after sixteen years as a mechanic. He is survived by his sister Pauline VanderSchel, of Pella, and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins. He was preceded in death by his parents, and his wife JoHanna.