



**OBITUARIES FROM PURSEL-DAVIS FUNERAL HOME
MARSHALLTOWN, IOWA**

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Edra Campbell



Born: 2/19/1908

Died: 5/26/2003

Services will be held at: 1:30 p.m. on Friday, at the First United Methodist Church
Visitation times are: 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on Thursday at Pursel-Davis Funeral Home & Crematory, where the family will be present from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Edra Campbell, 95, of 305 North Sixteenth Street, Marshalltown, Iowa died Monday, May 26, 2003 at the Villa del Sol Health Center in Marshalltown. FUNERAL SERVICES will be held at 1:30 p.m., on Friday, May 30, 2003, at the First United Methodist Church. INTERMENT will follow services in the Melbourne Cemetery, Melbourne. A VISITATION will be from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on Thursday at Pursel-

Davis Funeral Home & Crematory, where the family will be present from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.. Prior to the service, friends and family are invited to a 12:00 p.m. noon luncheon at the church. MEMORIALS may be directed to the First United Methodist Church.

Edra Campbell was born on February 19, 1908 in Lawton, Oklahoma, the daughter of William and Sarah (McClane) Puderbaugh. She moved to Seymour, Iowa in 1913. Following the death of her mother, she moved to Milo, Iowa, where she graduated from Milo High School in 1925. She later received her Bachelor's of Music Degree from Simpson College in 1929 and moved to Melbourne that same year. On August 13, 1931 she married John A. Campbell in Elk Point, South Dakota. They lived in Melbourne all of their married lives. She taught Vocal Music in the public school system for twenty-five years. Following retirement, she gave piano lessons and was active in several community musical activities - Tuesday Musical Club, First United Methodist Church Chancel Choir, and community concerts. She was a member of several organizations that included; First United Methodist Church (UMW Board and Wesleyan Circle), Melbourne Fortnightly Club, American Association of University Women (Past President), Melbourne and Marshall County American Legion Auxiliaries (Past President), and the LaMoille and Marshall County Federated Women's Clubs (Past President). She is survived by several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, brother William, and sisters Opal and Isil.

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