



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

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Deryl Damman



Born: 8/24/1929

Died: 5/24/2003

Services will be held at: 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, May 28, 2003 at St. John United Church of Christ in Melbourne

Visitation times are: 5:0 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on Tuesday, at Ryan-Davis Funeral Home in Melbourne, where the family will be present from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

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Deryl was born on August 24, 1929 in Newton, Iowa, the son of Walter and Mabel (Miller) Damman. Raised in Newton, he moved to Melbourne in his mid-teens, where he graduated from Melbourne High School in 1947. On September 5, 1948, he married Eileen Gauch in Melbourne. He lived and farmed in the Melbourne area for all of his adult life. He was an active fast-pitch softball pitcher well into his fifties when golf became his passion until he could not play anymore. He was a member of Farm Bureau, Pork Producers, and Lincoln Valley Golf Club. He is survived by his daughter: Linda (Jim Whitacre) Warner, of Newton; sons: Duane (Deanna) Damman, of Melbourne and Dean (Janet) Damman, of Melbourne; sister: Helen (Mrs. Gary) Barnes, of Overland Park, Kansas; four grandchildren: Stacy (Mrs. Rodney) Porter, Christopher (Besty) Damman, Corey Damman, and Craig Damman; and three great- grandchildren: Georgia Porter, Jalen Porter, and Cole Damman He was preceded in death by his parents, one brother, and one sister.

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